## **VACANCY**

# Accelerating Higher Education Expansion and Development (AHEAD)

## **Development Oriented Research (DOR) Grants**

## Faculty of Applied Sciences Uva Wellassa University of Sri Lanka

A research group attached to Department of Science and Technology, Uva Wellassa University has secured a research grant worth LKR 40 million under the title "Coastal geomorphology, Quaternary geology, and value addition to coastal mineral resources of Sri Lanka". Under the project vacancies, a Research Assistant position is available and applications are called from highly qualified prospective candidates as follows.

## **Educational and other Qualifications**

No	Position	Contract Duration	Basic Qualifications
1	Research Assistant III	1 year	B.Sc. (special) in Earth Sciences or a related area (Final year undergraduates can apply for this position, as it will be opened in August 2021). Priority is given those who have experience in analyzing shoreline changes and sediment transport patterns using LiDAR and Landsat data.

#### General Conditions:

Age should be 30 or below on the date of application.

#### **Salary Particulars:**

Research Assistant will be paid a total salary of Rs. 63,250.00 (with EPF and ETF) per month for one-year period.

#### Benefits:

Selected applicant will contribute 8% from their monthly salary to the Employee Provident Fund (EPF) while the AHEAD/DOR grant will make a contribution of 15% of their salary of which 12% will be credited to Employee Provident Fund (EPF) and 3% to the Employee Trust Fund (ETF).

## Method of Application:

Self-prepared application along with a detailed CV including academic and professional qualifications shall be emailed to as\_ratnayake@uwu.ac.lk on or before 05<sup>th</sup> August 2021 (mention email subject as Vacancy for Research Assistant III). Short-listed candidates will be called for an interview during the second week of August 2021. The University reserve the right to shortlist the candidates. Applications, which do not meet the requirements, and applications, which reach after the closing date, will be rejected without intimation.

Contact either Dr. Amila Ratnayake (Coordinator) or Prof. Jagath Pitawala (Deputy Coordinator) of the research project for further details.

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