



# POSTGRADUATE DIPLOMA IN DEVELOPMENT STUDIES

PGDip (Dev St) - 2022/23

Online Mode

SLQF LEVEL - 8 (NO. OF CREDITS - 25)

## INTRODUCTION

The Postgraduate Diploma in Development Studies - PGDip (Dev St) provides knowledge in multidisciplinary fields paying special attention to the current needs of the developing countries. The curriculum of the programme is designed to treat development issues in a multi-disciplinary context.

## ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

- A Bachelor's degree, from a recognized University/Institution in Development Studies or related subject area; **OR**
- Any other Bachelor's Degree, with prior learning/ work experience in Development Studies or related subject area; **OR**
- Professional Qualification in Development Studies or related subject area from a recognized professional body acceptable to the Faculty Board and the Senate of the University with prior learning/ work experience in Development Studies or related subject area; **OR**
- Completion of NVQ level 7 (equivalent to Bachelor's Degree in SLQF) with relevant work experience in Development Studies or related subject area as determined by the Faculty Board and the Senate; **AND**
- A good knowledge of English language and satisfactory performance at a selection test and/or selection interview.



### DURATION

ONE YEAR



### MEDIUM

ENGLISH



### DURING

WEEKEND



### COMMENCEMENT

NOVEMBER 2022



### PROGRAM FEE

LOCAL STUDENTS: LKR 102,500/=  
FOREIGN STUDENTS: USD 1800

## HOW TO APPLY

Application form can be downloaded from the Faculty website [fgs.cmb.ac.lk](https://fgs.cmb.ac.lk). Completed application form along with the certified copies of National Identity Card, Birth Certificate, relevant educational and professional qualifications and work experience (if any) and payment slips should be scanned and sent via email ([pgdds@fgs.cmb.ac.lk](mailto:pgdds@fgs.cmb.ac.lk)). In addition, the hard copies of these certified documents should also be sent through the registered post to reach the Senior Assistant Registrar, Faculty of Graduate Studies, University of Colombo, No 35/30, Prof. Stanley Wijesundara Mawatha, Colombo 07 on or before 30th September 2022. Please mention the programme name on the left side of the envelope.

Application fee of LKR 3,000/= (Local Students)/ USD 15 (Foreign Students) can be paid by using the code 318-5611-0001-0 through any People's Bank Branch or by using the online payment portal ([pay.cmb.ac.lk](https://pay.cmb.ac.lk)).