

# DIPLOMA IN INTERNATIONAL MIGRATION STUDIES

International migration has become a timeless global phenomenon. Hence, it is vital to develop human resources with a sound knowledge on international migration and skills on migration process, and measures to overcome multiple challenges of migration by ensuring safe, orderly and regular migration. Such an exposure is highly essential to provide effective services for migrants and their families, migration governing organizations and related other stakeholders. This diploma programme is developed in recognizing the importance of international migration in economic development in both origin and destination countries, and also the needs of developing and upskilling human resources in relation to international migration. The candidates of this programme are encouraged to learn and reflect on theoretical and practical aspects of international migration with an interdisciplinary perspective while applying their skills in identifying migration-related issues and implementing relevant measures in addressing such challenges. This programme will consist of 30 credits (SLQF level 3).

## CONTENT

- DIMS 3101 : Introduction to International Migration
- DIMS 3102 : International Migration Theories
- DIMS 3103 : International Migration and Sustainable Development
- DIMS 3104 : International Migration Governance and Management
- DIMS 3105 : International migration-related Issues, Policies and Programmes
- DIMS 3206 : Social Research Methods
- DIMS 3207 : Sri Lanka's International Labour Migration
- DIMS 3208 : Seminars in International Migration
- DIMS 3209 : Independent Project Report (6000 Words)

## ADMISSION REQUIREMENT

- G.C.E. A/L with 3 passes or equivalent qualification (SLQF level 2)  
OR
- G.C.E. O/L with 6 passes or equivalent qualification ((SLQF level 1) AND one years' experience in a relevant field.  
OR
- Completion of a Certificate Course in the relevant subject/field from a recognized institution, accepted by the Department and 2 years' experience in a relevant field.  
AND/OR, WHERE NECESSARY
- Passing the admission/selection test and/or interview.

APPLICATION CAN BE OBTAINED BY SENDING  
EMAIL TO  
dims@demo.cmb.ac.lk

### Course commencement

06 January 2024

### Closing date of applications

30 October 2023

### Medium of instructions

English and Sinhala

### Target group

SLBFE Employees, Employees at Foreign Employment Recruitment Agencies NGOs and other interested applicants from migration related Sectors, Academics

### Duration

One Year - (Two Semesters)

### Delivery mode

Hybrid (on-site/online)

### Course fee

Local Participants - LKR 100,000

Foreign Participants - USD \$ 2,500

**APPLICATION SHOULD BE SENT TO**  
DEPARTMENT OF DEMOGRAPHY,  
FACULTY OF ARTS,  
UNIVERSITY OF COLOMBO

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