

The World Top 2% Scientist Awards - 2024

No	Awardee Name	Name of the Award	Achievement	Faculty
1	Prof. Nimal Rajapakse	Top 2% of researchers worldwide	Stanford Elsevier World's Top 2% Scientist Career- Long list	FoE
2	Prof. Priyan S. Dias	Top 2% of researchers worldwide	Stanford Elsevier World's Top 2% Scientist Career- Long list	FoE
3	Prof. Dushantha Jayakody	Top 2% of researchers worldwide	Stanford Elsevier World's Top 2% Scientist Single- Year List 2024	FoE
4	Prof. Dhanushka Udayanga	Top 2% of researchers worldwide	Stanford Elsevier World's Top 2% Scientist Single- Year List 2024	FHS
5	Dr. Bhagya Nathali Silva	Top 2% of researchers worldwide	Stanford Elsevier World's Top 2% Scientist Single- Year List 2024	FoC
6	Prof. Charitha Jayaruk	Top 2% of researchers worldwide	Stanford Elsevier World's Top 2% Scientist Single- Year List 2024	FHS

Productivity Awards - 2024

No	Awardee Name	Award Type	Faculty
1	Prof. Ruwan Jayathilaka	Productivity awards given for researcher with over 4 Q1 scopus index publications.	SBS
2	Dr. Eranga Wijesinghe	Productivity awards given for researcher with over 4 Q1 scopus index publications.	FoE
3	Prof. Dushantha Jayakody	Productivity awards given for researcher with over 4 Q1 scopus index publications.	FoE
4	Dr. Bhagya Nathali Silva	Productivity awards given for researcher with over 4 Q1 scopus index publications.	FoC

Citation Awards - 2024

No	Awardee Name	Citation Award Type	Faculty
1	Prof. Dushantha Jayakody	Scopus 500+ & Google Scholar 500+	FoE
2	Prof. Dhanushka Udayanga	Scopus 500+ & Google Scholar 500+	FHS
3	Dr. Bhagya Nathali Silva	Scopus 200-499 & Google Scholar 500+	FoC
4	Prof. Nimal Rajapakse	Scopus 200-499	FoE
5	Prof. Charitha Jayaruk	Scopus 200-499 and Google Scholar 200-499	FHS
6	Prof. Dilshan De Silva	Scopus 200-499 and Google Scholar 200-499	FoC
7	Dr. Eranga Wijesinghe	Scopus 200-499 and Google Scholar 200-499	FoE
8	Dr. Chandima Somarathna	Scopus 50-199 and Google Scholar 200-499	FoE
9	Prof. Preethi Udagama	Scopus 50-199 and Google Scholar 200-499	FHS
10	Dr. Niroscha Priyadarshani	Scopus 50-199 and Google Scholar 200-499	FHS
11	Prof. Ruwan Jayathilaka	Scopus 50-199 and Google Scholar 200-499	SBS
12	Prof. Priyan Dias	Scopus 50-199 and Google Scholar 200-499	FoE
13	Prof. Nuwan Kodagoda	Scopus 50-199 and Google Scholar 50-199	FoC
14	Ms. Madara Jayanetti	Scopus 50-199 and Google Scholar 50-199	FHS
15	Prof. Rahula Attalage	Scopus 50-199 and Google Scholar 50-199	PVC(Academic)
16	Prof. Samantha Thelijjagoda	Scopus 50-199 and Google Scholar 50-199	PVC (R & I)
17	Dr. Lakmini Malasinghe	Scopus 50-199 and Google Scholar 50-199	FoE
18	Dr. Dharshana Kasthurirathna	Scopus 50-199 and Google Scholar 50-199	FoC
19	Prof. Ayantha Gomes	Scopus 50-199 and Google Scholar 50-199	FoE
20	Prof. Samantha Kumara Rajapaksha	Scopus 50-199 and Google Scholar 50-199	FoC
21	Ms. Thisara Shyamalee	Scopus 50-199 and Google Scholar 50-199	FoC
22	Prof. Anuradha Jayakody	Scopus 50-199 and Google Scholar 50-199	FoC
23	Prof. Pradeep Abeygunawardhana	Scopus 50-199 and Google Scholar 50-199	FoC
24	Dr. Samarajeewa Karunaratne	Google Scholar 50-199	FoE
25	Prof. Nisha Jayasuriya	Google Scholar 50-199	SBS
26	Prof. Saliya Arachchige	Google Scholar 50-199	SBS
27	Mr. Ranitha Weerathna	Google Scholar 50-199	SBS
28	Ms. Navodika Karunaratna	Google Scholar 50-199	SBS
29	Prof. Sarath Chandrasena	Google Scholar 50-199	FoE
30	Dr. Lahiru Kosala Bandara Lindamulla	Google Scholar 50-199	FoE
31	Prof. Ramesh Fernando	Google Scholar 50-199	FoE
32	Ms. Geethma Pathirana	Google Scholar 50-199	SBS
33	Mr. Kavinga Yapa Abeywardena	Google Scholar 50-199	FoC
34	Mr. Susantha Wanniarachchi	Google Scholar 50-199	FoE
35	Dr. Prasanna Sumathipala	Google Scholar 50-199	FoC
36	Mr. Amila Nuwan Senarathne	Google Scholar 50-199	FoC
37	Prof. Suren Peter	Google Scholar 50-199	SBS
38	Dr. Kalpani Manathunga	Google Scholar 50-199	FoC
39	Ms. Narmada Gamage	Google Scholar 50-199	FoC
40	Ms. Chathurangika Kahandawaarachchi	Google Scholar 50-199	FoC
41	Prof. Dasuni Nawinna	Google Scholar 50-199	FoC
42	Ms. Anjalie Gamage	Google Scholar 50-199	FoC
43	Dr. Dinuka Wijendra	Google Scholar 50-199	FoC

44	Prof. Renuka Herath	Google Scholar 50-199	SBS
45	Prof. Shiromi Karunaratne	Google Scholar 50-199	FoE
46	Ms. Shashika Lokuliyana	Google Scholar 50-199	FoC
47	Ms. Lokesha Prasadini Weerasinghe	Google Scholar 50-199	FoC
48	Prof. Sarath Peiris	Google Scholar 50+	FHS

Outstanding Achiever Awards for Winners of Research/Projects at Local and International Platforms - 2024

No	Awardee Names	Achievement type	Faculty
1	Prof. R. P. Niranga U. Amarasingha	Fulbright Advanced Research and Lecturing Awards	Faculty of Engineering
2	Prof . P.I. Ayantha Gomes	E.O.E. Pereira Award for the best paper at the 118th annual sessions of Institute of Engineers Sri Lanka.	Faculty of Engineering
3	Ms. Raveesha S. Illesinghe	The Best Research Award 2024 (Open Category) awarded at the Institute of Applied Statistics, Sri Lanka.	Faculty of Engineering
4	Dr. Prasanna Haddela	Dr. E.M.Wijerama Award 2024 at the 137th Anniversary International Medical Congress.	Faculty of Computing
5	Prof. Thambiliyagodage Charitha Jayaruk	Ramakrishna Memorial award for analytical and biography, chemistry awarded by the Institute of Chemistry Ceylon, Sri Lanka.	Faculty of Humanities and Sciences
6	Prof. W.P.S. Dias	President's Award for Scientific Research awarded by the National Research Council, Sri Lanka.	Faculty of Engineering
7	Prof. Colin N. Peiris / Prof. Sriyani Peiris	Patent for Innovation-National Intellectual Property office of Sri Lanka.	Faculty of Humanities and Sciences

Outstanding Project Awards - 2024

No	Name of the recipients/ Students Names	Achievement	Faculty
1	Dr. Dinuka Wijendra, Ms. Jenny Krishara, Thamindu Gamage, Chathurika Dombepola, Kaushalya Premarathne, Charith Jayasingha	SLASSCOM Ingenuity Awards - Best innovative project/product- University category- Southern province	Faculty of Computing
		NBQSA 2024 - Bronze Award - Tertiary Students (Technology)	
2	Samadhi Rathnayake L.R.S.T. Lekamge, N.P.T.D. Samaranayake, N.V. Weerawarna, D.M.J.C.B. Dissanayake	SLASSCOM Ingenuity Awards - Best Innovative Product - University Category - NW province	Faculty of Computing
3	Prof. Dilshan De Silva Ms. Vithya Sangkavi, Ms. Kaushani Wijesundara, Ms. Lochani Jayawardhane and Ms. Arani Wijerathne,	APICTA 2024 - 1st runner-up (Tertiary Student Projects)	Faculty of Computing
		NBQSA 2024 - Gold Award - Tertiary Students (Business)	
4	Prof. Dilshan De Silva Mr. Ravindu Yasith, Mr. Piumika Saranga, Mr. Vishwa Jayawardhana, Mr. Huzni Hussain	NBQSA 2024 - Silver Award - Tertiary Students (Business)	Faculty of Computing
		, Top 24 Innovative Projects Globally (WSA Young Innovators Awards 2024)	
		Top 5 Winners - SPARK 2024 Competition	
		Winner - SciFest 2024	
5	Prof. Dilshan De Silva Ms. Semini Perera	NBQSA 2024 - Silver Award - Postgraduate category (FINALIST (Architecture Category) - INSPIRELI AWARDS)	Faculty of Computing
6	Mr. Chandana Shrinath Wijetunga Miyasi Kudagamage , Rasanjana Jayasri	World Largest Student Design Competition	Faculty of Architecture

Merit Awards - 2024

No	Name of the Recipients/ Students Names	Achievement	Faculty
1	Dr. Madhawa Herath	Postgraduate Research Merit Award – Section C, SLAAS (GRC)	Faculty of Engineering
2	Dr. Gayashika Fernando	GRC Merit Award for Postgraduate PhD Research – SLAAS	Faculty of Engineering
3	Prof. J. A. Dushantha Nalin K. Jayakody	NRC Merit Award – “Self-Energized UAV-Assisted Scheme for Cooperative Wireless Relay Networks”	Faculty of Engineering
4	Prof. J. A. Dushantha Nalin K. Jayakody	NRC Merit Award – “Recent Advances and Future Directions on Underwater Wireless Communications”	Faculty of Engineering
5	Dr. Chandima Somarathna	NRC Merit Award – “Rate Dependent Tensile Behavior of Polyurethane under Varying Strain Rates”	Faculty of Engineering
6	Dr. Chandima Somarathna	Merit Award – “Hyper-Viscoelastic Constitutive Models for Predicting Polyurethane Behavior”	Faculty of Engineering
7	Dr. Eranga Wijesinghe	IEEE Sri Lanka Circuit Challenge – 2nd Runner-Up – Wearable Medical Device	Faculty of Engineering
8	Prof. Migara Liyanage	Manamperi Awards 2024 – Second Runner-Up (Individual) – Bipedal Humanoid Robot Platform	Faculty of Engineering
9	Dr. Lakmini Malasinghe	Manamperi Awards 2024 – First Runner-Up (Group) – Educational IoT Playset	Faculty of Engineering
10	Dr. Nushara Wedasingha	Manamperi Awards 2024 – Second Runner-Up (Group) – Automated Behaviour Diagnosis Tool	Faculty of Engineering
11	Dr. Darshana Kasthurirathna/ Dr. Lakmini Abeywardhana	SLASSCOM Ingenuity Awards – 2nd Runner-Up – SL Legal Information Retrieval System (AYCA)	Faculty of Engineering
12	Ms. H. M. Samadhi Rathnayake	Imagine Cup 2024 – “Dev Relax” (Top 20 Global Innovations)	Faculty of Computing
13	Mr. C. Jagath Wickramaratne	Imagine Cup 2024 – “Hear Me” (Top 20 Global Innovations)	Faculty of Computing
14	Prof. R. P. Niranga U. Amarasingha	President – Sri Lanka Society of Transport and Logistics (Local Chapter of EAST)	Faculty of Engineering
15	Prof. R. P. Niranga U. Amarasingha	Competitive Travel Grant – Paper Presentation, Cleveland, Ohio, USA	Faculty of Engineering

16	Ms. Nuwanthi Abeygunawardena	IEEE R8 Student & Young Professional Congress 2024 – Travel Grant (USD 2,500), Grenoble, France	Faculty of Engineering
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Publication Awards - 2024

No	Name as per the SLIIT Email	Research Title	Award Name	Faculty
1	Prof. M. D. Ruwan K. Jayathilaka	Security matters: Empowering e-commerce in Sri Lanka through customer insights	Top 05% Q1 ranked scopus indexed journal Publication Award	SLIIT Business School
2	Mr. Zakib Ahamed Prof. P. I. Ayantha Gomes	Applicability of machine learning techniques to analyze Microplastic transportation in open channels with different hydro-environmental factors	Top 05% Q1 ranked scopus indexed journal Publication Award	Faculty of Engineering
3	Ms. J. K. Punmadara S. K. Jayasinghe , Ms. K. H. Sandali M. Ehalapitiya	Navigating economic crisis: Factors shaping resilience in Sri Lankan construction SME supply chains	Top 05% Q1 ranked scopus indexed journal Publication Award	SLIIT Business School
4	Prof. S. Dhanushka Udayanga	The 2024 Outline of Fungi and fungus-like taxa	Top 05% Q1 ranked scopus indexed journal Publication Award	Faculty of Humanities and Sciences
5	Prof. J. A. Dushantha N. K. Jayakody	Secure and Reliable IoT Communications in Underlay CRN with Imperfect CSI	Top 05% Q1 ranked scopus indexed journal Publication Award	SLIIT Business School
6	Prof. Dasuni P. Nawinna, Ms. Narmada D. U. Gamage	Digital Learning Challenges in Tertiary Education in Sri Lanka: A Social Capital Perspective	Top 05% Q1 ranked scopus indexed journal Publication Award	Faculty of Computing
7	Prof. J. A. D. Nalin K. Jayakody	DataAge: Age of Information in SWIPT-Driven Short Packet IoT Wireless Communications	Top 05% Q1 ranked scopus indexed journal Publication Award	Faculty of Engineering

8	Prof. W. Priyan S. Dias	Seismic retrofitting of masonry infilled RC buildings in low-to moderate-seismic regions: case study of typical Sri Lankan school buildings	Top 05% Q1 ranked scopus indexed journal Publication Award	Faculty of Engineering
9	Dr. S. P. B. Nathali Silva, Dr. R. Eranga H. Wijesinghe	Meta-heuristic optimization-based cost efficient demand-side management for sustainable smart communities	Top 05% Q1 ranked scopus indexed journal Publication Award	Faculty of Engineering, Faculty of Computing