Progress Report for Senate - Centre for Quality Assurance (CQA) (From 2nd half of March, 2022 to 1st half of April, 2022)

1. The post of Director and Deputy Director for Centre for Quality Assurance (CQA):

(i) The outgoing Director/CQA:

Senior Professor Samanthi Senaratne has relinquished the duties of the Director/Center for Quality Assurance (CQA), with effect from 28.02.2022. She has served as the Director/CQA (formally known as Internal Quality Assurance Unit) since 2014, for three terms. The Vice Chancellor, all the Deans, Coordinators and the Directors who were present at the Senate Standing Committee on Quality Assurance (SSCQA) held on 24.02.2022, conveyed their appreciation for the work rendered by her, for the development of Quality Assurance in SJP.

(ii) The new Director/CQA:

With the approval of the 524th Council held on 10th March, 2022, Professor R.B. Marasinghe was appointed as the Director of the Center for Quality Assurance.

(iii) The new Deputy Director/CQA:

With the approval of the 525th Council held on 07th April, 2022, Dr. Varuni Jayasooriya was appointed as the Deputy Director of the Center for Quality Assurance.

2. Study programme evaluation:

The CQA evaluated the proposals of the following study programmes in accordance with the recommendations of the QAC of UGC.

| Certificate | | | |
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| 13.04.2022 | Certificate in Entrepreneurial Business Management | Level 01 | |
| | (First review before submitting to the CRC) | | |
| Diploma | | | |
| 13.04.2022 | Diploma in Entrepreneurial Business Management | Level 03 | |
| | (First review before submitting to the CRC) | | |

| Higher Diploma | | | |
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| 13.04.2022 | Higher Diploma in Entrepreneurial Business Management | Level 04 | |
| | (First review before submitting to the CRC) | | |
| Bachelors Honours | | | |
| 10.04.2022 | Bachelor of Science Honours in Human Biology | Level 06 | |
| | (First review before submitting to the Senate) | | |
| 19.04.2022 | Bachelor of Science Honours in Human Biology | | |
| | (Final review before submitting to the Senate) | | |
| Masters Degree by Coursework | | | |
| 29.03.2022 | Master of Buddhist Studies | Level 09 | |
| | (Final review before submitting to the CRC) | | |
| 04.04.2022 | Master of Development Economics | | |
| | (First review before submitting to the CRC) | | |
| Masters Degree by Coursework and Research | | | |
| 29.03.2022 | Master of Arts in Buddhist Studies | Level 10 | |
| | (Final review before submitting to the CRC) | | |
| 04.04.2022 | Master of Science in Development Economics | | |
| | (Final review before submitting to the CRC) | | |

3. Programme review of the Faculty of Allied Health Sciences

Faculty of Allied Health Sciences has completed document uploading to the digital repository as prescribed by the QAC-UGC and awaiting for the review visit.

4. Review of Postgraduate Study Programmes

Launching Ceremony of the Manual for above study programme was held on 16th March 2022 at the Auditorium of University Grants Commission and several members including Director/CQA, Prof. R.B.Marasinghe, Director/PIM, Dr. W.G.S.Kelum and Professor Charmalie Nahallege as a member of the author panel were present at the ceremony. Accordingly, the relevant Deans/Directors/Programme coordinators are working on drawing up a Postgraduate Programme Review Plan for year 2023-2027.

Professor R.B. Marasinghe

Director/Centre for Quality Assurance

21.04.2022