

Summary Report of “Workshop on Gender Mainstreaming in Higher Education in Sri Lanka”

Workshop venue: Global Towers Hotel, Colombo 6

Dates: 5th to 7th June 2018

Participants called: 28 from 7 Universities (Moratuwa, EUSL, UOJ, UWA, SJ, SEUSL, Ruhuna)

Participants attended: 22 from 6 universities (Ruhuna absent)

Purpose: To help universities in Sri Lanka linked to UGC develop an effective action plan to strengthen gender mainstreaming in their universities

Information gathered in the workshop:

- Introduction to GEEC at the UGC by Prof: Uma Coomarasuwamy
GEEC: Achievements, Progress, Future plans (Launching safety mobile app like, future trainings)
- Gender concepts and relationship with higher education
- Gender analysis frameworks and tools (Change matrix, 12 box, Havard and Moses frame works
- Gender main streaming in higher education: looking at the past
- Gender main streaming in higher education: learning from international tools and practices
- Drafting of gender mainstreaming action plan for our university
- Challenges while implementation and UGC helps

Resource persons: **Ranjini Murthy**, Independent researcher, Gender main streaming

Dr. Manas from COL (Funding agency)

Immediate Expectation of UGC:

Inform to director GEEC, UOJ-----Report about workshop----GEEC should arrange 3 days' workshop for nearly 40 staff of UOF by using us as resource persons

For the workshop GEEC, UOJ should

Prepare detail budget for the workshop[resource persons charges, meals and refreshment for participants, if issuing certificate, cost for that, accommodation and

venue host if organized outside university]--- send the budget to UGC for funding through COL[funding only for 1st workshop]--workshop