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Announcement

Workshop on Sexual and Gender-based Violence

- Objectives**
- To create awareness on sexual and gender-based violence (SGBV) in universities
 - To consider institutional and educational strategies for prevention and redress
 - To contribute towards Standard Operating Procedures (SOPs) to address cases of SGBV and possible backlash in universities
- Contents**
- Overview of SGBV in Sri Lankan Universities
 - Laws related to SGBV & Ragging
 - Institutional Strategies for Addressing and Preventing SGBV from Sri Lanka and India
 - Development of SOPs
- Resource Persons**
- **Professor Kumudu Wijewardene**
Co-Chair UGC Standing Committee on Gender Equity / Equality and Professor of Community Medicine, Dept. of Community Medicine, University of Sri Jayewardenepura
 - **Professor Camena Guneratne**
Dean Faculty of Social Sciences and Humanities, Professor in Law, Dept. of Language Studies, Open University
 - **Professor Maithree Wickramasinghe**
Professor in English, Dept. of English, University of Kelaniya
 - **Dr. Wijaya Jayatilaka**
Senior Lecturer, Dept. of Agricultural Extension, University of Peradeniya
- Target group**
- Deans, Heads of the departments/Units, Student counsellors and any other interested academics.
- Registration**
- Please fill the online form by visiting the website of SDC, www.jfn.ac.lk/sdc and submit same on or before **09.11.2016**.
- Date & Time:**
- **15 11.2016 (Tuesday), 09:00 – 16:00**
 - **16 11.2016 (Wednesday), 09:00 – 16:00**
- Venue**
- Mini-Auditorium, Dept. of Physics (2nd floor)
(Above office of the Dean/Science)

Director