



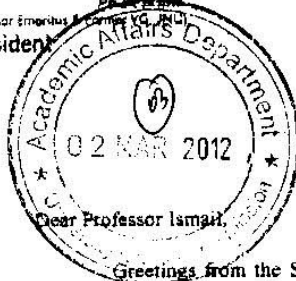
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Admissions to South Asian University (SAU) -2012

Dear Professor Ismail,

Greetings from the South Asian University, New Delhi. I hope this letter finds you in good health. I am writing to you for a special reason. As you may know, the South Asian University established by the South Asian Association for Regional Cooperation began teaching in 2010. Now it offers MA degree courses in Computer Science, Economics, Legal Studies, Bio Technology, International relations and Sociology. These courses are open to all eligible students from SAARC countries and beyond at subsidized rates.

Sri Lanka makes considerable annual contributions to sustain the university. However, we have seen that Sri Lankan student representation has been quite low and below its allotted quota at the present time. The main reason for this is the fact that SAU is not widely known in Sri Lanka, and many candidates simply do not apply even though SAU degrees are recognized by the University Grants Commission of Sri Lanka.


In order to remedy this situation, the university has begun an outreach program particularly focusing on Sri Lanka this year. As part of this campaign, we have created an information blog specifically for potential Sri Lankan candidates. This can be visited via the following link: <http://sau-admissions-sl-2012.blogspot.in/>

In addition, the SAU website provides more information related to the next intake of students which will be updated after 29th of February 2012. The next Entrance examination will be held in Colombo on 27th of May 2012. You can get additional information via local newspapers as well as by visiting the SAU website via the following link after February 29th 2012: <http://www.southasianuniversity.org/>

It is our hope that eligible final year undergraduates, recent graduates and young teachers in your university will make use of the opportunities we offer. We would appreciate if you could forward this information to eligible candidates associated with your university and would place a link from your website to the SAU website which provides updated application-related and other relevant information.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Sincerely yours,


(G.K. Chadha)

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