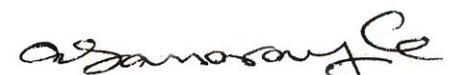


## FOREWORD

The University Grants Commission (UGC) is pleased to present the ninth volume of annual publication on university statistics, "Sri Lanka University Statistics 2010".

This publication includes statistical data covering all the key aspects of the university system of Sri Lanka which comes under the purview of the UGC. Though this publication is primarily aimed to fulfill the management information needs of the system, action has been taken to present most of the necessary data for retrospective years too for the convenience of those engaged in research and policy making in Higher Education. The statistics presented in the publication is classified under five chapters namely, chapter 1 for General Information of the University Sector, Chapter 2 for University Admissions, Chapter 3 for Undergraduate Enrolment & Graduate Output, Chapter 4 for Employment Statistics and Chapter 5 for Income & Expenditure of Higher Educational Institutions.

The Management Information Systems Division of the UGC has accomplished this important activity with the active contribution of the Universities and other Higher Educational Institutes which come under the purview of the UGC. Any constructive and supportive suggestions for the improvement of this publication are very much appreciated.

  
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