



VACANCIES - PERMANENT

ACADEMIC, ACADEMIC SUPPORT, ADMINISTRATIVE, CLERICAL & ALLIED GRADE AND MINOR GRADE STAFF

ACADEMIC STAFF

01. Post of Senior Lecturer Gr I/II, Lecturer (Unconfirmed), Lecturer (Probationary)

FACULTY OF MEDICINE

Department of Clinical Sciences

- ❖ **Subject Area:** Obstetrics & Gynaecology, Paediatrics

FACULTY OF ENGINEERING

Department of Aeronautical Engineering

- ❖ **Subject Area:** Aerodynamics, Aircraft Structures, Computational Fluid Dynamics, Finite Element Analysis, Aircraft Composite Structural Design, Air Breathing Propulsion, Aircraft System Analysis.

Department of Mechanical Engineering

- ❖ **Subject Area:** Manufacturing Systems, Sustainable Energy Systems and Environment, Automotive Engineering, Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning, Micro Mechatronics, Industrial Automation, Advanced Robotics, Heating Ventilation and Air Conditioning.

Department of Electrical, Electronics and Telecommunication Engineering

- ❖ **Subject Area:** Electronic Design, Computer Architecture, Data Structures and Algorithms, Digital Signal Processing, Antennas and Propagation, Optical Communication, Autonomous Systems and Robotics, Medical Instrumentation, Biomedical Image and Signal Processing, Biomaterials/Tissue Engineering, Medical Informatics and Expert Systems.

Department of Marine Engineering

- ❖ **Subject Area:** Design of Marine Vessels, Ship Hydrostatics and Stability, Ship Construction, Ship Structures, Ship Resistance and Propulsion, Engineering Knowledge (Motor), Marine Robotics and Autonomous Vehicles, CAD for Ship Design.

Special Note: For faculty of Engineering candidates with following qualifications will be preferred:

- Four-year Bachelor of the Science of Engineering Honours Degree in respective disciplines.

FACULTY OF MANAGEMENT, SOCIAL SCIENCES AND HUMANITIES

Department of Management and Finance

- ❖ **Subject Area:** Business Analytics, Financial Analytics, Business and Financial Statistics, Machine Learning, Big Data Analytics, Artificial Intelligence, Data Visualization, Business Intelligence, Management and Strategic Management.

Special Note: For the Department of Management and Finance, candidates with professional qualifications such as CIMA, ACCA, CA Sri Lanka etc. will have a distinct added advantage.

Department of Languages

- ❖ **Subject Area:** Data Science, Computer Science, Artificial Intelligence, Machine Learning, Applied Statistics, Computational Mathematics, Data Analytics, Business Analytics, Database Systems, Cloud Computing, and Data Engineering.

Special Note: Preference will be given to candidates who possess postgraduate qualifications (MSc, MPhil, or PhD) in one or more of the above areas.

FACULTY OF ALLIED HEALTH SCIENCES

Department of Nursing and Midwifery

- ❖ **Subject Areas:** Fundamentals of Nursing, Nursing Skills Practice, Adult Nursing, Research and Supervision.

Special Note: For the Department of Nursing and Midwifery, candidates are required to hold the registration at the Sri Lanka Nursing Council with BSc (Hons) in Nursing.

Candidates with experience in university-level teaching experience in clinical supervision and Bedside teaching will be preferred.

FACULTY OF COMPUTING

Department of Computer Science

- ❖ **Subject Areas:** Operating Systems, Foundation of Computer Science, Data Structures and Algorithms, Computer Systems Architecture, Computer Networks and Wireless Communication, Object Oriented Programming, Server-side Application Development.

Department of Computer Engineering

- ❖ **Subject Areas:** Edge AI & Embedded Intelligence, Robotics & Autonomous Systems, Distributed / High-Performance Computing, Computer Architecture & AI Hardware, IoT & Smart Systems.

FACULTY OF TECHNOLOGY

Department of Bio System Technology

- ❖ **Subject Areas:** BBST (Hons) in Applied Biotechnology degree: Molecular biology, Bioprocess technology, Bioinformatics, plant biology
BT(Hons) in ICT degree: UI/UX Engineering, Fundamentals of Visual Computing, Image Processing, Mobile Application Development, Information Security, Artificial Intelligence & Machine Learning, Cloud Computing and Data Science, Software Quality Assurance.

Special Note: For BBST (Hons) programme: candidates with BSc Hons Degree specializing in Molecular Biology, Biotechnology, Biology or Biology related discipline with a PhD or full time 02- year research Master's degree in the related field will be preferred.

For BT (Hons) in Information and Communication Technology degree programme candidates with BSc Hons degree specializing in Computer Science, Computer Engineering or Information and Communication Technology with a PhD or 02- year research Master's degree in the related field will be preferred.

Department of Engineering Technology

- ❖ **Subject Areas:** BET (Hons) in Construction Technology degree: Civil/Structural Engineering; Construction & Concrete Technology; Soil mechanics; Strength of materials; Surveying and Highway construction.

Special Note: Special Note: For BET (Hons) in Construction Technology degree programme candidates with BSc Hons degree in Civil Engineering or Materials Engineering or BET (Hons) in Construction Technology with a PhD or full time 02- year research Master's degree in the above-mentioned subject areas will be preferred.

FACULTY OF CRIMINAL JUSTICE

Department of Criminology

- ❖ **Subject Areas:** Criminology and Criminal Justice/or Law

FACULTY OF BUILT ENVIRONMENT & SPATIAL SCIENCES SOUTHERN CAMPUS – SOORIYAWEWA

Department of Architecture

- ❖ **Subject Areas:** Architecture.

Department of Spatial Sciences

- ❖ **Subject Areas:** UAV Piloting, UAV Mapping, Programming in Spatial domain.

Special Note: For the Department of Architecture, preference will be given to the Chartered Architects. For the Department of Spatial Sciences, preference will be given to the Registered Surveyor with certification as UAV Operator with more than 300 flying hours for drone / UAV mapping.

FACULTY OF INDUSTRIAL STUDIES SOUTHERN CAMPUS – SOORIYAWEWA

Department of Industrial Quality Management

- ❖ **Subject Areas:** Quality Management, Financial Management & Business Administration, Digital Business & Marketing, Other Multidisciplinary areas in Quality Management.

Department of Property and Investment Management

- ❖ **Subject Areas:** Property Management, Portfolio and Investment Management, Urban Planning, Other multidisciplinary areas in Property Management.

ACADEMIC SUPPORT STAFF

02. Post of Instructor Grade II

FACULTY OF ENGINEERING

Department of Aeronautical Engineering

- ❖ **Subject Areas:** Aerodynamics, Aircraft structures, Flight dynamics, Propulsion

Department of Mechanical Engineering

- ❖ **Subject Areas:** Automation (PLC, HMI), Pneumatics, Programming (C++, Python, Octave, MATLAB) Automobile, CAD (SolidWorks, AutoCAD)

Special Note: Candidates with Four-year Bachelor of the Science of Engineering Honours Degree in respective disciplines will be preferred.

FACULTY OF COMPUTING

Department of Computer Science

- ❖ **Subject Areas:** Fundamentals of Programming, Object Oriented Application Development, Client Side Application Development, Server side Application Development, Database Designing and Development, Mobile Application Development, System Designing and Software Development Methodology.

ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF

03. Post of Assistant Registrar
04. Post of Assistant Registrar – Legal and Documentation

CLERICAL AND ALLIED GRADE STAFF

05. Post of Technical Officer Gr. II Seg. "B"
06. Post of Technical Officer (Mechanical) Gr. III
07. Post of Technical Officer (Electrical) Gr. III
08. Post of Technical Officer (ICT) Gr. III

MINOR GRADE STAFF

09. Post of Cook Gr. III

SALARY SCALES

Academic & Academic Support Staff

01. Post of Senior Lecturer Gr. I
U-AC 3 (I) Rs. 160,520 - 7 x 3,900 - 187,820 p.m. + (116% + 2,200 Academic Allowance + Other Approved Allowances)
02. Post of Senior Lecturer Gr. II
U-AC 3 (II) Rs. 138,980 - 11 x 2,940 - 171,320 p.m. + (116% + 2,100 Academic Allowance + Other Approved Allowances)
03. Post of Lecturer (Unconfirmed)
U-AC 3 (III) Rs. 121,340 - 5 x 2,940 - 136,040 p.m. + (102% + 1,800 Academic Allowance + Other Approved Allowances)
04. Post of Lecturer (Probationary)
U-AC 3 (IV) Rs. 94,400 - 10 x 2,400 - 118,400 p.m + (91% + 1,200 Academic Allowance + Other Approved Allowances)

05. Post of Instructor
U-AS 1 (I) Rs. 81,285 - 19 x 1,240 - 104,845 p.m. + (Other Approved Allowances)

Administrative Staff

06. Post of Assistant Registrar/ Post of Assistant Registrar – Legal & Documentation
U-EX 1 (II) Rs. 85,305 - 3x 2,020 - 91,365 (EB) 93,765; 12 x 2,400 - 122,565 p.m. + (Other Approved Allowances)

Clerical and Allied Grade Staff

07. Post of Technical Officer Gr. II Seg. "B" / Post of Technical Officer (Mechanical) Gr. III / Post of Technical Officer (Electrical) Gr. III / Post of Technical Officer (ICT) Gr. III
U-MT I (III) Rs. 51,095 - 07x540; 10x640 - 61,275 p.m + (Other Approved Allowances)

Minor Grade Staff

08. Post of Cook Gr. III
U-PL 2 (III) Rs. 44,575 - 16x490 - 52,415 p.m + (Other Approved Allowances)

OTHER BENEFITS

Sabbatical Leave, Academic Allowance and Research Allowance for eligible posts, EPF, ETF, Gratuity, Scholarships for children of employees, priority basis treatments at University Hospital - KDU and other privileges.

METHOD OF RECRUITMENT

Selection will be done by a structured interview based on the results of an aptitude test / trade test or presentation evaluation as applicable to the post.

GENERAL CONDITIONS

- Should be a citizen of Sri Lanka.
- Appointments will be done by the Board of Management of General Sir John Kotelawala Defence University only within the approved number of vacancies for each post.
- The applicant should send the application downloaded from the website (www.kdu.ac.lk) with certified copies of relevant certificates by registered post to The Registrar, General Sir John Kotelawala Defence University, Ratmalana or hand deliver to the University on or before **30.06.2026**.
- Applied post should be written on the top left-hand corner of the envelope.
- Candidates should submit separate applications for each Post applied for.
- Applications from employees in the Govt. Depts./ Corporations, Statutory Boards, UGC and Higher Educational Institutes should channel through their Head of Institutions.
- Candidates shall complete all required qualifications as at the closing date of the application.
- Applicants are strictly advised to apply in the format which can be downloaded from the KDU website. Late, incomplete or applications which do not comply with the prescribed format and those do not follow instruction No. 06 & not fulfil requirement in No. 07 will be rejected.
- Only the applicants who meet the required qualifications will be summoned for the interviews.
- Candidates for Academic/Academic Support posts are required to make a presentation (in English) before the Selection Committee in order to prove their teaching ability.
- Selected candidates should be able to serve and perform duties of the post in any premises of KDU.
- Selections will be done in accordance with the recruitment procedure approved in relation to the post by the University Grants Commission and based on the results of interview.
- The University reserves the right to short list candidates for the interview.
- Salaries are in accordance with latest DMS Salary circulars. In addition to salary, other allowances approved by government will also be paid.
- These Posts are permanent. The appointment will be on probation for a period of three (03) years.
- Applicants who are eligible under category (2) or (3) in the post No 1 & 2 of the recruitment procedures of UGC Circular No. 721 could be considered for appointment only if applicants qualified under category (1) of the recruitment procedures are either not available or evaluated and considered as unsatisfactory by the selection committee.
- Selected candidates, if presently serving in Government Departments will have to obtain their release through the Ministry of Public Administration. Government servants will not be entitled to maintain their pension rights whilst in the University Service.
- Candidates are instructed to refer to KDU web site for qualifications and UGC Circulars and relevant amendments for special notes regarding qualifications which are mentioned below:

◆ Post of Senior Lecturer Gr. I/II & Lecturer (Prob.)	-	UGC Commission Cir. No. 721, 935, 08/2016, 08/2016 (ii), 08/2016 (iii)
◆ Post of Lecturer (Unconfirmed)	-	UGC Commission Cir. No. 07/2018
◆ Post of Instructor	-	UGC Commission Cir. No. 725 and University Scheme of Recruitment
◆ Post of Assistant Registrar	-	UGC Commission Cir. No. 15/2017
◆ Post of Assistant Registrar – Legal & Documentation	-	UGC Commission Cir. No. 948
◆ Post of Technical Officer Gr. II Seg. "B"	-	UGC Commission Cir. No 622, 763
◆ Post of Technical Officer (Mechanical) Gr. III/ Post of Technical Officer (Electrical) Gr. III / Post of Technical Officer (ICT) Gr. III	-	UGC Commission Cir. No 05/2022
◆ Post of Cook Gr. III	-	University Scheme of Recruitment

Application should be addressed to
The Registrar,
General Sir John Kotelawala Defence University,
Ratmalana 10390
Sri Lanka.

Closing Date
30.06.2026

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