



The AUA Youth Forum 2019

Draft Program "Arogya Parama Labha"- Wellbeing beyond Health

Dates : 18th -22nd November 2019

Venues : University of Colombo (UOC) Sri Lanka

Accommodation- Hotel Galadari, Colombo

Time/venue/topic	Programme	
	Day 1: Sunday -17/11/2019	
00.00 - 19.00	Arrival and check-in of the delegates	
19.00 - 21.00	Dinner- Hotel Galadari	
Day 2: Monday - 18/11/2019 (UCSC/UOC)		
08.30 - 09.00	Registration	
09.00 - 09.30	Opening ceremony - Cultural event by Sri Palee campus	
(UCSC Auditorium)		
09.30 - 09.45	Welcome and Opening remarks	
	Prof. Chandrika N Wijeyaratne, Executive President, Asian University	
	Alliance 2019-2020, Vice Chancellor, University of Colombo.	
09.45 - 10.00	Introduction to the program content	
	Dr. Chathuranga Ranasinghe, Chairperson, Asian University Alliance Youth	
	Forum 2019.	
10.00 - 10.30	Group photo	
10.30 - 10.45	Refreshments	
11.00 - 12.00	Keynote-Introduction to Health and Wellbeing: Regional Challenges and	
(UCSC Auditorium)	SDG3 Dr Razia Pendse, World Health Organization (WHO) Representative	
	to Sri Lanka.	
12.00 - 12.15	'Ice breaker activity'	
12.15 - 13.00	Lunch	
13.15 - 15.00	Alcohol Tobacco and Substance: Our Duty - Activity based discussion	
	Dr. Mahesh Rajasuriya. Consultant Psychiatrist, Director Centre for	
	Combating Tobacco. Faculty of Medicine, UOC.	
15.00 - 15.15	Refreshments	
15.30 - 16.30	Sexual Health and Youth - Activity based discussion and poster making	
	Prof. Chandrika N Wijeyaratne Senior Professor in Reproductive Medicine	
	UOC.	
	Ms. Madhusha Dissanayake, Assistant Representative, United Nations	
	Population Fund (UNFPA), Sri Lanka.	
	Dr. Dharshi Thoradeniya Senior Lecturer, Faculty of Arts, UOC.	
16. 45	End of session : Day 1	
19.00 onward	Welcome Dinner	
Day 3: Tuesday -19/11/2019 (UCSC/UOC)		
06.00 - 07.00	Yoga session - Activity	
	Venue: Hotel Galadari	







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	Dr. Manori Amarajeewa, Senior Lecturer, Institute of Indigenous Medicine,
	UOC
07.15 - 08.45	Breakfast and travel to University of Colombo UCSC
09.00 - 10.15	Nutrition and future challenges - Activity
	Dr. Ranil Jayawardena, Consultant Clinical Nutritionist, Coordinator Health
	and Wellness Unit, Faculty of Medicine UOC
10.15 - 10.45	Refreshments
11.00 - 12.00	Nutrition and future challenges cont Discussion
12.15 - 13.00	Lunch
	Theme 'Healthy Food'
13.15 - 15.00	Mental Health - Lecture Discussion
	Prof. Priyanjali De Zoysa - Clinical Psychologist, Department of
	Psychological Medicine, Faculty of Medicine UOC
15.00 - 15.15	Refreshments
15.30 - 16.30	Wellbeing in the Cyber Age – Panel Discussion
(UCSC Auditorium)	Prof. Priyanjali De Zoysa
	Mr. Jayantha Fernando - Chairman, National Center for Cyber Security
	Dr. Shiromi Arunatileka - Senior Lecturer, University of Colombo School of
	Computing
16. 45	End of session : Day 2
	4: Wednesday – 20/11/2019 (field visit to Sri Palee Campus)
07.45 - 09.45	Breakfast and Leave the hotel to Sri Palee Campus Horana
10.00 -10.30	Welcome
	Prof. Ranjan Hettiarachchi, Rector, Sri Palee campus UOC
	Incorporating Physical Activity to Life
	Dr. Chathuranga Ranasinghe, Specialist in Sports and Exercise Medicine,
40.20 44.20	Faculty of Medicine UOC
10.30 - 11.30	Moving with Nature
	Hike with site specific performance and tree planting (Activity)
44.20 42.20	Mr. Pujitha De Mel - Lecturer, Preforming Arts, Sri Palee campus UOC
11.30 - 12.30	Refreshments and
12.20 12.20	'Painting a cloth'
12.30 - 13.30	Contemporary drumming and dancing/ music/ mask making - Workshop
13.30 - 14.30	Sri Palee UOC Staff and Students Lunch
15.50 - 14.50	'Traditional Sri Lankan food'
14.30 - 16.30	Contemporary drumming and dancing/ music/ mask making - Workshop
14.30 - 10.30	cont.
	Sri Palee UOC Staff and Students
16.30 - 17.30	Refreshments
17.30 - 18.00	Traditional sport performance - "Angampora"
18.00 - 19.30	Talent Show
40.20 20.20	Sharing the experiences with the participants
19.30 - 20.30	Dinner – Local food with action stations
20.30	End of session day 3 and leave to the hotel







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Day 5: Thursday -21/11/2019 (USCS/UOC)		
10.00 - 11.30	Community empowerment for a healthy society	
	Prof Carukshi Arebepola- Consultant community physician - Faculty of	
	Medicine UOC	
11.45 - 12.45	Lunch	
13.00 - 15.00	Achieving wellbeing beyond health: role for regional policies in Asia	
	Lecture discussion	
	Dr. Kokila Konasinghe - Senior Lecturer, Faculty of Law, UOC	
	Prof. Saroj Jayasinghe- Professor of Medicine , Consultant physician, Faculty	
	of Medicine UOC	
15.00 - 15.15	Refreshments	
15.15 - 16.30	Preparation for presentations	
16.30	End of session Day 4	
Day 6: Friday -22/11/2019 (USCS/UOC)		
09.00 am - 09.45 am	Preparation for the presentations	
(USCS Auditorium)	Closing ceremony of AUAYF	
09.45 am - 10.00 am	Refreshments	
10.30 am - 12.00	Student Presentations	
	Venue: Senate hall UOC	
12.00 -12.15	Closing Remarks	
12.30 - 13.30	Farewell lunch with AUA delegates	
14.00 - 17.00	Campus/ Colombo tour and shopping	
19.00 - 21.00	Inauguration ceremony of the UOC Annual Research Symposium- NAT	
	Hall UOC	
	Dinner and Entertainment- College House Garden UOC	
	Entertainment – Sri Palee campus	
Day 7: Saturday -23/11/2019		
00.00-14.00	Departure of the participants	
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