



# Buddhist and Pali University of Sri Lanka

## Academic Vacancies

### Detailed Sheet

The Buddhist and Pali University of Sri Lanka invites applications from suitably qualified candidates for the following academic positions until **17th September 2025**.

### Academic Vacancies

➤ Faculty of Buddhist Studies

01. **Lecturer (Probationary)/Lecturer (Unconfirmed)/  
Senior Lecturer Grade II/I Posts:**

- I. Buddhist Culture
- II. Religious Studies and Comparative Philosophy

02. **Lecturer (Temporary) Posts:**

- III. Buddhist Culture
- IV. Religious Studies and Comparative Philosophy

03. **Instructor in Computer Technology – Grade II**

➤ Faculty of Language Studies

04. **Lecturer (Probationary)/Lecturer (Unconfirmed)/  
Senior Lecturer Grade II/I Posts:**

- I. Pali
- II. Sinhala
- III. Tamil Language
- IV. Korean Language

**03. Lecturer (Temporary) Posts:**

**V. English**

**VI. Japanese Language**

**VII. French Language**

❖ Candidates must be able to teach in both Sinhala and English mediums.

<b>Qualifications for Academic Posts</b>
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<b>01. Lecturer (Probationary)</b>
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- (1) A Degree with specialization in the relevant subject with First or Second Class (Upper Division) Honours and at least 01 year experience in teaching/research/professional work/postgraduate studies.

**OR**

- (2) A Degree with specialization in the relevant subject with Second Class (Lower Division) Honours and at least 01 year experience in teaching/ research/ professional work/ postgraduate studies

**OR**

- (3) (a) A degree with specialization in the relevant subject-without Honours or any other degree with at least Second Class Honours, and (b) A Postgraduate Degree of at least 02 academic years duration in the relevant subject with a research component by way of thesis/ dissertation;

**OR**

- (4) Such academic or professional qualifications or professional experience as may be approved by the University Grants Commission upon the recommendation of the Higher Educational Institution concerned.

<b>02. Senior Lecturer, Grade II</b>
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- (1) Candidates shall possess the academic qualifications required for Lecturer (Probationary).

**AND**

- (2) (i) A Master's Degree in the relevant field obtained after a full-time course of study of at least two academic years (or an equivalent part-time course of study) with a research component by way of thesis/dissertation or a Doctoral Degree.

In the case of Faculties of Arts, Humanities, a Master's Degree of one year's duration in the relevant field may be accepted when combined with an evaluated research record in conformity with current guidelines.

**OR**

- (ii) Such professional qualifications and experience as may be approved by the University Grants Commission upon the recommendation of the Higher Educational Institution concerned.

**AND**

- (3) At least six (06) years experience in one or more of the following:-

- (i) Teaching at University Level,
- (ii) Professional experience,
- (iii) Research in a recognized Institution,
- (iv) Postgraduate Studies to acquire the qualifications stipulated at (2) above.

- (d) The current guidelines in regard to evaluated research and dissemination is that a candidate should obtain a minimum total of 15 marks and the marking scheme for this purpose is section 2.0 and 3.1 of the marking scheme for post of association professor/professor.

**Note: For further information**

**University Grants Commission Circular No. 935**

**University Grants Commission Circular No. 721**

**University Grants Commission Circular No. 07/2018**

**University Grants Commission Circular No. 08/2016**

03. Lecturer (Temporary)
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- (1) A Bachelor's Honors/Special Degree with specialization in the relevant subject with First or Second Class (Upper Division)

**OR**

- (2) A Bachelor's Honours/Special Degree with specialization in the relevant subject with Second Class (Lower Division)

- (3) (a) A Degree with specialization in the relevant subject without Honours or any other degree with at least Second Class Honours,

And

- (b) A recognized postgraduate degree in the relevant subject.

<b>04 Instructor in Computer Technology – Grade II</b>
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- (i) A first or second class in the B.Sc. special degree in Computer Science/Computer Engineering from a recognized University:  
OR
- (ii) (a) A pass in the B.Sc. special degree in Computer Science/Computer Engineering from a recognized University  
or  
A first or second class in the B.Sc. General Degree with Computing as a subject component from a recognized University.  
AND
- (b) One year experience in the field or Computing.  
OR
- (iii) (a) A pass in the B.Sc. General Degree with Computing as a subject component from a recognised University.  
or  
A first or second class in the B.Sc. General Degree (where computing is not a subject component) from a recognised University.  
AND
- (b) Two years experience in the field or Computing.
- (iv) A pass in the B.Sc. General Degree (where Computing is not a subject Component) from a recognised University.  
AND  
Three years experience in the field or Computing.  
OR
- (v) Any other Degree  
AND  
A Postgraduate Diploma in Computer Science/Computer Technology from a recognized University.  
AND  
One year experience in the field of Computing.

**Note: For further information**

**University Grants Commission Circular No. 725**

**Note:**

- \* Appointees to permanent academic positions (Lecturer Probationary, Lecturer Unconfirmed, Senior Lecturer Grade II/I) are required to sign a bond with the University agreeing to serve continuously for five years from the date of first appointment.

**(I) Salary Scales:**

- Senior Lecturer (Grade I): U-AC 3 (I) – Rs. 160,520 – 7 × 3,900 – 187,820 (p.m.)
- Senior Lecturer (Grade II): U-AC 3 (II) – Rs. 138,980 – 11 × 2,940 – 171,320 (p.m.)
- Lecturer (Unconfirmed): U-AC 3 (III) – Rs. 121,340 – 5 × 2,940 – 136,040 (p.m.)
- Lecturer (Probationary): U-AC 3 (IV) – Rs. 94,400 – 10 × 2,400 – 118,400 (p.m.)
- Instructor in Computer Technology (Grade II): U-AS 2 (II)

– Rs. 85,305 – 3 × 2,400 – 92,505 (EB) 94,905 – 14 × 2,400 – 128,505 (p.m.)

- \* Permanent academic appointees will be entitled to other allowances as per University Grants Commission (UGC) Circulars.

- **Lecturer (Temporary): U-AS 2 – Rs. 85,305 (Fixed Salary)**

**Statutory Benefits**

- ❖ The appointee will contribute 10% of the monthly salary to the Buddhist and Pali University Provident Fund. The University will contribute 15% of the monthly salary to the Provident Fund and 3% to the Employees' Trust Fund.
- ❖ Gratuity Payment

**Other Benefits**

- Other allowances as specified in UGC Circulars.
- Will have to contribute to the University's Medical Scheme.

**How to Apply**

**Application forms and details of qualifications** can be obtained from the office of the Senior Assistant Registrar (Administration) up to **10.09.2025** by calling in person or by sending a self-addressed envelope (23 × 10 cm) affixed with stamps worth Rs. 120/- to the Senior Assistant Registrar (Administration), indicating the post applied for on the top left-hand corner of the envelope. Applications can also be downloaded from the University website: [www.bpu.ac.lk](http://www.bpu.ac.lk)

Duly completed applications, along with copies of relevant certificates and proof of experience, should be sent under registered post to the **“Senior Assistant Registrar (Administration), Buddhist and Pali University of Sri Lanka, No. 37, Moragahahena Road, Pitipana Town, Homagama,” on or before 17.09.2025**, clearly indicating the post applied for on the top left-hand corner of the envelope. A copy of the registered post receipt should be attached to the envelope.

Applicants from Government Departments, Corporations, Statutory Boards, the UGC, or Higher Educational Institutions should forward their applications through the Head of the respective institution.

Applications that are incomplete, illegible, late, or not in compliance with the above instructions will be rejected without notice. Only shortlisted candidates will be called for interview.

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17.08.2025