



VACANCY

BHIKKHU UNIVERSITY OF SRI LANKA - ANURADHAPURA

The Bhikkhu University of Sri Lanka will entertain applications from suitably qualified Buddhist monks and persons for the following posts:

Academic Post

01. **Professor (Chair) - Buddhist Philosophy/Buddhist Civilization/ Practical Buddhist Studies/Archaeology /Education Science/Sociology/Psychology/History/ Philosophy/Library and Information Science/Heritage Management (02 Vacancies)**

U.G.C. Circular No. 916, 04/2014 and U.G.C. Circular Letter No. 04/2010

02. **Senior Lecturer Grade I/II / Lecturer(Unconfirmed)/Lecturer (Probationary) - (01 Vacancy)
(Practical Buddhist Studies/Buddhist Philosophy/Buddhist Civilization/Pali)**

U.G.C. Circular No. 721, 935, 07/2018 and 08/2016

Non-Academic Post

03. **Driver Grade III - U.G.C. Circular No. 14/2024
(02 Vacancies)**

Qualification

- Having passed six (06) subjects in G.C.E. (O/L) examination, at least with two (02) credit passes in maximum of two sittings.

AND

- Having obtained the license issued by the Commissioner General of Motor Traffic for driving heavy vehicles and a minimum of three (03) years experience in driving after obtaining the driving license.

Age: - Should be not less than 18 years and not more than 45 years at the closing date of applications.

Note: -

- Every applicant,
 - ✓ Should be a citizen of Sri Lanka.
 - ✓ Should be physically and mentally fit to discharge duties well in the post and serve in any part of the island.
 - ✓ Should be of excellent moral character.

Salary Scales – As per the U.G.C. Circular No. 02/2025 and 02/2025(i)

Professor (Chair) - Rs. 198,280 -13×4,850- 261,330 p.m. [U-AC 5(II)] will be placed initial salary step Rs. 198,280.00 + Academic Allowance 124%+13,300+Research Allowance 21% of Basic Salary & Cost of Living Allowance Rs. 17,800.00

Senior Lecturer Grade I – Rs. 160,520-7x3,900-187,820/-p.m. [U-AC 3(I)] will be placed initial salary step Rs. 160,520.00 + Academic Allowance 116%+2,200+Research Allowance 21% of Basic Salary & Cost of Living Allowance Rs. 17,800.00

Senior Lecturer Grade II – Rs. 138,980-11x2,940-171,320/-p.m. [U-AC 3(II)] will be placed initial salary step Rs. 138,980.00 + Academic Allowance 116%+2,100.00+Research Allowance 21% of Basic Salary & Cost of Living Allowance Rs. 17,800.00

Lecturer (Unconfirmed) – Rs. 121,340-5x2,940-136,040/-p.m. [U-AC 3(III)] will be placed initial salary step Rs. 121,340.00 + Academic Allowance 102%+1,800.00+Research Allowance 21% of Basic Salary & Cost of Living Allowance Rs. 17,800.00

Lecturer (Probationary) - Rs. 94,400 -10×2,400-118,400/-p.m. [U-AC 3(IV)] will be placed initial salary step Rs. 94,400.00 + Academic Allowance 91%+1,200.00+Research Allowance 21% of Basic Salary & Cost of Living Allowance Rs. 17,800.00

Diver Grade III - Rs 48,005-16x490 - 55,845 p.m [U- PL 3(III)]

Notes

- Only Buddhist monks are considered for the posts of Professor (Chair)/Senior Lecturer Grade I/II/ Lecturer (Unconfirmed)/Lecturer (Probationary).
- Preferences will be given to the applicants who have followed the first degree in English medium.
- Expertise in fields related to Buddhist heritage, including the conservation of palm-leaf manuscripts, will be considered a special qualification for the applicant for the post of Senior Lecturer Grade I/II / Lecturer(Unconfirmed)/Lecturer (Probationary)
- Those who are appointed to the post of Senior Lecturer Grade I/II/ Lecturer (Unconfirmed)/Lecturer (Probationary) should complete a minimum service period of ten (10) years to this University and enter into an agreement with the University.
- Teaching in English is considered as an essential requirement.
- Qualification details of all above posts can be obtain via University web site www.busl.ac.lk

Benefits

- In addition to the above salary and any other allowances approved by the University Grants Commission will also be paid to the staff where relevant.
- Those who join the University will become members of the University Provident Fund (UPF) and the ten percent (10%) of the salary will be credited by the employees and 15% will be credited by the University. Three percent (3%) of the salary will be credited to the Employees Trust Fund (ETF) by the University.
- Academic posts are entitled for study leave with pay and without pay as per the provisions of the Establishment Code of the University Grants Commission.
- All appointees to the posts of Professor (Chair)/Senior Lecturer Gr. I and II are entitled for Sabbatical Leave.

Applications

- i. Prescribed application forms and relevant information could be obtained from the Assistant Registrar (Establishments) by hand or by post sending a self-addressed, stamped, 23x10 cm in size envelope to Assistant Registrar (Establishments) on or before 03.02.2026 or could be downloaded from the University website www.busl.ac.lk
- ii. Candidates who apply for more than one post should submit separate applications for the each posts.

How to Apply

- i. Duly completed application forms should be forwarded with the CV, certified copies of certificates and relevant documents stated in the above circulars under the registered post indicating the post applied for on the top left hand corner of the envelope to receive the **"Assistant Registrar (Establishments), Bhikkhu University of Sri Lanka, Puttalam Road, Anuradhapura"** on or before 17th February 2026 and for the post of Professor (Chair) on or before 04th March 2026.
- ii. Candidates in the service of the Universities, Government Departments, State Corporations, and Statutory Bodies should channel their applications through the Heads of the respective Institutions.
- iii. Applications received after the closing date/ incomplete applications/ not in conformity with the above requirements/ not in the prescribed format of Bhikkhu University will be rejected without intimation.
- iv. The University reserves the right to shortlist only the qualified candidates and call for the interview.

Registrar (Acting)
Bhikkhu University of Sri Lanka
18.01.2026