

## CURRICULUM VITEA

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### Academic Qualifications

- **Bachelor of Arts (Hons) in History**  
Faculty of Arts, University of Peradeniya  
[Effective Date: 28<sup>th</sup> of November 2017]
- **Master of Arts in History**  
PGIHS, University of Peradeniya  
[Effective Date: 30<sup>th</sup> of November 2019]

### Professional Qualifications

- Successfully passed in **Ahadhiya Intermediate Certificate Examination- 2008**
- Successfully passed in **Muslim Daham Schools Final Certificate Examination-2008**
- **Diploma in Computer Science**  
National Computer Project (NCP) (2013)
- **Developing Leadership Qualities and Positive Thinking Training Programe-2013**  
Ministry of Higher Education [24<sup>th</sup> November 2013 to 14<sup>th</sup> December 2013]
- **Certificate in Human Rights**  
Centre for the Human Rights,  
University of Peradeniya (2014)
- **Certificate in Psychology and Basic Counseling Skills**  
**Department of Psychology**  
Faculty of Arts,  
University of Peradeniya (2017)
- **One Month Advanced International Training Program on Research manuscript Drafting and Publishing – 2020**  
Eudoxia Research Centre, India  
[30<sup>th</sup> of September to 31<sup>st</sup> of October 2020]

### **Extra-Curricular Activities**

- Senior Prefect, CP/W/Jamiul Azhar Central College (2011-2012)
- Participated and won 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> places in Zonal level Tamil Day, English Day and Meelad day Competitions. (From 2007 to 2012)
- Member of Curia Historica, Department of History, University of Peradeniya
- Committee member of Ladies Wing, Muslim Majlis, University of Peradeniya [2016 & 2017]
- Secretary of Old Girls Association, Past Pupils Association, CP/W/Al-Safa Muslim Vidyalaya (2018-2020)
- Member of Udatawinna Graduate Council. (UGC)

### **Awards/ Achievements**

- **First prize in Inter University Essay Competition- 2017**  
The Law Students' Muslim Majlis  
Sri Lanka Law College.
- **Second prize in Inter University Essay Competition- 2016**  
The Law Students' Muslim Majlis  
Sri Lanka Law College.
- **Certificate of Merit for Obtaining Three Distinction Passes at the G.C.E.A/L Examination – 2012**  
Government Pensioner's Association,  
Madige Udatawinna.
- **Second Prize in Senior English Essay Competition**  
Inter School Islamic Day Competitions- 2011  
Islamic Students Movement,  
Trinity College Kandy.

### **Academic Experiences**

- **Temporary Assistant Lecturer in History**  
Department of Social Sciences  
Faculty of Arts and Culture,  
South Eastern University of Sri Lanka [From 25<sup>th</sup> of November 2019 to 15<sup>th</sup> of November 2021]

### **Other Contributions**

- Sub-Committee Member of the 8<sup>th</sup> South Eastern University International Arts Research Symposium- 2019 [18<sup>th</sup> of December 2019]
- Sub-Committee Member of 3<sup>rd</sup> Arts Undergraduate Colloquium-2020 [22<sup>nd</sup> of January 2020]
- Committee member of 10<sup>th</sup> South Eastern University International Arts Research Symposium-2021

## **Research and Publications**

### **Books**

'*Ilam Pirayum Edai Tharasum*' (இளம் பிறையும் எடைத் தராசும்), Translated a Sinhala historical research book named '*Anda Sandha Saha Tharadiya*' by Prof.K.M.Rohitha Dasanayaka into Tamil, published by Kumaran Book Publishers (2021).

### **Chapter of Books**

Firdawsiya, H.F. (2019) Sri Lankan Muslims' trade links with South India up to the time of British rule, In F.C.S.Feroziya, N.K.Jayethilaka (Eds.), *Ithihasaya Shasthriya Sangrahaya-2019* (ஓதிஹாஸய ஸாஸ்த்ரீய சங்க்ரஹய -2019), Curia Historica, University of Peradeniya, pp.171-184.

Firdawsiya, H.F. (2020) Bawa Adam Mountain, a place of pilgrimage among Muslims- a historical view. In M.I.M.Kaleel (Ed.), *Suturulathurayil Iyatkaai Idarhalum Poruladara Veelchiyum* (சுற்றுலாத்துறையில் இயற்கை இடர்களும் பொருளாதார வீழ்ச்சியும்) (pp.171-184). Excellent Publishers.

### **Abstracts (Published)**

H.F.Firdawsiya. (2017) "Sri Lankan Muslims' Trade Activities with South India- Research Based on British Period", Proceedings, Undergraduate Research Congress-2017.

Firdawsiya, Hassim Fathima. (2020) "The Birth and Function of 'Bissokotuwa' in Irrigation Technology of Ancient Sri Lanka", *Global Dimension of Social Sciences and Humanities through Research and Innovation, Proceedings*, 9<sup>th</sup> South Eastern University International Arts Research Symposium-2020, p.30.

### **Conference Papers**

Firdawsiya, Hassim Fathima. (2020) "Reconstructing Ancient Health Habituations - Research Based on Ancient Anuradapura Kingdom of Sri Lanka", International Web Conference on Redefining, Restructuring & Revamping the World for Sustainable Development Amidst New Normal, Rabindranath Tagore University, Madya Pradesh, Bhopal. (24<sup>th</sup> to 26<sup>th</sup> of July 2020)

Firdawsiya, Hassim Fathima. (2021) "The Birth and Function of 'Bissokotuwa' in Irrigation Technology of Ancient Sri Lanka", 9<sup>th</sup> South Eastern University International Arts Research Symposium-2020, Faculty of Arts and Culture, South Eastern University of Sri Lanka, Oluvil. (19<sup>th</sup> January 2021)

Firdawsiya, Hassim Fathima. (2022) "The New-faced Harappan Civilization: Historical Study Centered on the Rakigharhi Archaeological Site", 10<sup>th</sup> South Eastern University International Arts Research Symposium-2020, Faculty of Arts and Culture, South Eastern University of Sri Lanka, Oluvil (3<sup>rd</sup> February 2022)

Anuzsiya, S. & Firdawsiya, H.F. (2022) "The Importance of Coins and Inscriptions in the Development of Indian Ocean Commercial History", 10<sup>th</sup> South Eastern University International Arts Research Symposium-2020, Faculty of Arts and Culture, South Eastern University of Sri Lanka, Oluvil (3<sup>rd</sup> February 2022)

### **Journal Articles**

Firdawsiya, Hassim Fathima. (2017) The alternative actions of the indigenous people prior to the movement against the religious imposition of the British in Sri Lanka- an overview of the early 19<sup>th</sup> century, Kalam International Research Journal, Faculty of Arts and Culture, South Eastern University of Sri Lanka, 11(1), pp.157-167.

Firdawsiya, H.F. (2018) Foreign relations from Kautilya's point of view: Research based on Mandal theory, Kalam International Research Journal, Faculty of Arts and Culture, South Eastern University of Sri Lanka, 11(1&2), pp.80-95.

Firdawsiya, H.F. (2018) The role of scholar Sithy Lebbe in buiding the Sri Lankan Muslim community towards modern education of the 20<sup>th</sup> century- A historical study, Kalam International Research Journal, Faculty of Arts and Culture, South Eastern University of Sri Lanka, 11(1&2), pp.115-131.

Firdawsiya, H.F. (2020) Marriage rituals of Kandyan Muslims in the 20<sup>th</sup> century- A study based on Udatalawinna Madige, Kalam International Research Journal, Faculty of Arts and Culture, South Eastern University of Sri Lanka, 13(2), pp.111-133.

Firdawsiya, H.F. (2016) வேரில்லாத சமூகமாக இலங்கையில் முஸ்லிம்கள், *Al Inshirah*, Muslim Majlis, University of Peradeniya, Vol.60.

### **Personal Information**

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### **Non-related Referees**

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