

PROFILE

I am an articulate qualified English professional who is able to effectively communicate with students from diverse backgrounds or varying degrees of ability. Also a committed and dedicated professional with a proven ability to teach, motivate and direct students to maximum performance by encouraging a positive and energetic environment.

LANGUAGE

Tamil
English
Sinhala

HOORUL FIRTHOUZ ZAINULABDEEN

LECTURER (PROBATIONARY) IN TESL





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Education

Master of Arts in Teaching English as a Second Language (TESL) (Reading)

(November 2020 - Up to date)

Post Graduate Institute of English
The Open University of Sri Lanka

Bachelor of Arts Specialized in Teaching English as a Second Language (TESL)

(July 2015 - April 2019)

South Eastern University of Sri Lanka
Second Class (Upper division)

GPA - 3.69

Work Experience

Lecturer (Prob) in TESL

May 2022 - Present
South Eastern University of Sri Lanka

Visiting Instructor in English

September 2021 – May 2022 South Eastern University of Sri Lanka

Temporary Assistant Lecturer in English

February 2021 – August 2021 South Eastern University of Sri Lanka

Temporary Instructor in English

March 2019 – January 2021 South Eastern University of Sri Lanka

Student Teacher (English)

October 2018 – December 2018 Addalaichenai Muslim Maha Vidyalaya

Certifications

- TESOL Certificate & Badge: Advanced Practitioner.
- Certificate of participation in TESOL Elevate Virtual.
- Certificate of attendance for attending the 6th Annual Qatar University International Conference titled "Changing Roles and Expanding Responsibilities of ELT Teachers in Post-Covid Era."
- Certificates for presenting research papers.
- Certificate of participation in One day workshop on "Active and Cooperative Learning to improve students' Listening and Speaking skills."
- Certificate of participation in the work shop on "Academic Writing."
- Certificate of appreciation for the contribution as a member of technical session committee at the 9th International Symposium at SEUSL.
- Certificate of participation in three-week leadership training programme.
- Certificates in English Language Day Competitions during schooling.
- Certificate in MS Office.

Referees

Available upon request

Research & Publications

Presented a research paper on "Writing difficulties: An investigation based on simple present, present continuous and present perfect tenses among the ESL undergraduates" at the 9th International Arts Research Symposium – 2020 held in South Eastern University of Sri Lanka.

Presented an abstract on "Writing difficulties: An investigation based on tenses among the undergraduates of South Eastern University of Sri Lanka" at the 1st APSPA International Conference on School Psychology: Mental Health and Well-being among children.

Presented a research paper on "The Impact of Social Media among The Undergraduates of SEUSL" at the 8th International Symposium held in 2018 at South Eastern University of Sri Lanka.

Extra-Curricular Activities

- Participated in One-day stakeholder's workshop on "Curriculum Revision" at SEUSL.
- Participated in revising the curricula of TESL degree programme at DELT, SEUSL.
- Volunteered to sit for the part 1 of the Pilot Test of University Test of English Language (UTEL).
- Participated in US embassy workshop "Active and Cooperative Learning to Improve Students' Listening and Speaking skills."
- Conducted an English language programme at the DELT, SEUSL for the students from different schools from other provinces.
- Served as the secretary of English Literary Association during schooling.
- Served as a senior prefect during schooling.