

EVENT INFORMATION

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Introduction

UCSC

The University of Colombo School of Computing (UCSC) is the pioneer in ICT education in Sri Lanka. Formed in 2002, it is an integral part of the University of Colombo and has consistently produced graduates of the highest caliber that excel in all forms of industry.

The main objective of the UCSC is to provide high quality undergraduate degree programs to students in the fields of Computer Science and Information and Communication Technology. At present, 780 internal undergraduate students are enrolled at the institution. Over the years it has been able to establish itself as the Centre of Excellence in the streams of Computer Science and Information Communication Technology among all other universities in Sri Lanka.

The Special Degree of UCSC

B.Sc. in Computer Science and B.Sc. in Information and Communication Technology

The special degree programs in Computer Science (CS) and Information and Communication Technology (ICT) at the UCSC are well recognized among the national and international academic and corporate sectors. The main focus of fourth (special) year is on research where the selected undergraduates are provided the knowledge and expertise not only in solving problems but also in thinking about problems analytically and holistically and providing solutions through research. The 12-month individual research project utilizes the knowledge students have gained in the previous years and also teaches them new skills and helps them gain valuable knowledge to place them above their counterparts in the industry.

UCSC Career Fair

The UCSC Career Fair is a good opportunity for various organizations to meet outstanding students with interest in various areas and related disciplines. At the same time, the UCSC Career Fair aims to offer students the possibility to meet face-to-face with organizations representatives, through on-campus recruiting, interviews and interactive presentations.

Correspondence regarding the UCSC Career Fair 2013 will be done in conjunction with the Professional Development Center (PDC) of the UCSC. Companies that wish to participate in this event need to confirm their participation before Friday, 11th October, 2013 by using any contact method mentioned later in this document.

In addition, all the participating companies need to register for the event by paying a regsitration fee of LKR 20,000 to the account of "University of Colombo School of Computing" on or before Friday, 18th October, 2013. Please note that account details are given in the "Procedure" section of this document. Companies are expected to send the payment details with a scanned copy of the deposit slip by e-mailing it to info@careers.ucsc.lk.

The registration includes a booth, complimentary lunch, morning and evening refreshments and parking for three representatives from participating companies, and free registration with Career Fair website to search student resumes.

Lists of student details with their CVs and the preferences will be provided to the companies following the confirmation of payment. The participating companies may shortlist the CVs according to their requirements and these short-listed students would be interviewed by the participating companies in the first two interview sessions on the day of the Career Fair. A third interview session will also be conducted for walk-in interviews where students would take part according their preference.

Objectives of UCSC Career Fair 2013

- ❖ To provide the corporate sector with the opportunity to recruit highly skilled employees from a large pool of fresh graduates.
- To provide undergraduates an opportunity to start their career with a reputed organization.

Procedure

- 1. Deadline for the companies to confirm their participation is Friday, 11th October, 2013
 - Method of confirmation: Directly contacting the organizers via the following phone numbers and email addresses.
 - Contact persons:
 - Aftha Jaldin:
 - +94-774-422980
 - aftha.jaldin88@gmail.com
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 - mailme@sanjaya.me
 - Sachith Seneviratne:
 - +94-779-467439
 - vihanga88@gmail.com
 - o General correspondence email address for the event:
 - info@careers.ucsc.lk
 - It is better if you can let us know for what vacancies you hope to conduct the interviews and and the technologies used in your company, with this email.
- 2. Payment Options
 - Deadline for the Payments is **Friday**, **18**th **October**, **2013**.
 - Participating companies need to register for the event by paying fee of LKR
 20,000.
 - Payment could be done via cash or cheque deposits to the below mentioned account.

- > Name of A/C Holder: "University of Colombo School of Computing"
- > A/C Number: **086-1001-111-91222**
- > Bank and Branch: **People's Bank, Thimbirigasyaya Branch.**
- Cheques should be drawn in favour of the above name of account holder.
- Payment confirmation can be done by emailing to above-mentioned email address and contacting any of the listed contact persons.
- Scanned deposit slip needs to be attached to payment confirmation email (Please include the name of the company in the deposit slip for our reference).
- 3. List of students and a booklet containing student profiles with resumes will be provided to the companies upon payment confirmation.

Career Fair Profile

Date: 31st October, 2013

Time : 9.30 a.m. - 5.50 p.m.

Venue: Prof. V. K. Samaranayake Auditorium, University of Colombo School of Computing

Program Schedule for UCSC Career Fair 2013

Inauguration (at W002 Hall) 9.30 a.m.

Lighting of the traditional Oil Lamp 9.35 a.m.

Inauguration Speech by the Director of UCSC 9.40 a.m. - 9.55 a.m.

Speech by the Program Chairperson 9.55 a.m. - 10.05 a.m.

Refreshments 10.05 a.m. - 10.30 a.m.

Interview Session No 1 (at Auditorium) 10.30 a.m. - 12.30 p.m.

Lunch Break 12.30 p.m. - 1.30 p.m.

Interview Session No 2 1.30 p.m. - 3.30 p.m.

Tea Break 3.30 p.m. - 3.45 p.m.

Walk-in Interviews 3.45 p.m. - 5.45 p.m.

Vote of Thanks 5.45 p.m. - 5.50 p.m.

Message to the Participating Organizations

Participants of the UCSC Career Fair

Targeted Participants

- Leading organizations in the field of IT
- CS and ICT (special) undergraduates of UCSC
 - o 40 Computer Science (special) undergraduates
 - o 20 Information and Communication Technology (special) undergraduates

Benefits for the Participants

Corporate sector

- Opportunity to recruit the outstanding students as their employees.
- Opportunity to collaborate with other organizations and the university for a better mutual understanding.

Undergraduates

- Opportunity to start the professional career at a reputed organization.
- Opportunity of selecting an organization according to the preferences that best suits their areas of expertise.

UCSC

- Opportunity to promote the degree programs
- * Better control over maintaining its reputation and recognition within the industry.

Appendix 1 - Organizing Committee

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