

## **Open Awards of University of Colombo - 2020**

Applications are invited for the below mentioned awards from the UCSC internal undergraduate students who will **graduate in 2021**.

### **1. Student of the Year Award - 2020**

The award is granted to a student who shows excellence in his or her academic studies and also someone with sportsmanship, an interest in aesthetic and cultural activities, with a proven leadership among his/her peers and exemplary conduct and character.

### **2. D.P.P. Samarasekera Peace Prize - 2020**

The prize is given to a student who shows a marked interest either within the University community or outside it in activities which foster social harmony and/or shows courtesy, consideration, kindness and understanding in assisting those in distress. In selecting the recipient of the award, no consideration should be paid to the religious or political beliefs, sex or ethnic origin of the student.

### **3. Canekeratne Prize for General Merit - 2020**

The prize is awarded to a student who graduate with a First or Second Class (Upper Division) Pass in the Special Degree Examination and has considerable achievements in extra curricular activities.

### **4. Prof. Tilak Hettiarachchy Award for Academic Excellence - 2020**

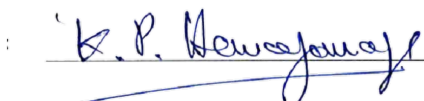
This award is presented to a student who secured a first class in the Special or General Degree programme of any Faculty/Institute in the University of Colombo. Consideration for the award shall be given to publications and research carried out during his/her undergraduate carrier; Prizes and Medals won; Scholarships/ Studentships obtained at the Year I examination; any other endowed Scholarships/ Bursaries including Commonwealth Elective Bursary obtained for academic performances during the undergraduate career; etc.

The students are requested to submit an application (**through the online form link provided in the notice**) to the Deputy Registrar, Examinations & Registration of the UCSC **on or before 28<sup>th</sup> October, 2021 (Before 12.30 pm)** with **documentary evidence of achievements**. A template is attached for each award. A student who wishes to apply for more than one award has to apply separately using the relevant template.

Even though the templates are covering overall aspects, the main consideration for each award will be indicated below.

1. Student of the Year Award – 2020 – Academic Excellence & Extra curricular activities
2. D.P.P. Samarasekera Peace Prize – 2020 – Activities related to Humanities
3. Canekeratne Prize for General Merit – 2020 - Extra curricular activities
4. Prof. Tilak Hettiarachchy Award for Academic Excellence – 2020 - Academic Excellence & Research works

Altogether four “open awards” are awarded and students in all Faculties/Institutes compete for the awards.



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