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CARRIER OBJECTIVE

To get a challenging position of lecturer in which I can utilize my experience and make the bright carrier of students.

ACADEMIC QUALIFICATIONS

- ❖ **Diploma in Medical Microbiology**
2017, University of Colombo
- ❖ **MBBS**
2006 – 2011, University of Sri Jayawardenapura, Sri Lanka

Key Achievements:

- 2nd MBBS - 2nd Class Upper
- 3rd MBBS - 1st Class: Distinctions in Microbiology, parasitology & pathology
- Final MBBS - 2nd Class Lower

RESEARCH

PUBLISHED AS ABSTRACTS:

- ❖ Characteristics of enterococcal urinary tract infection in a tertiary care hospital (2017) - 76th Annual Academic Sessions Galle Medical Association.
- ❖ Food dependent exercise induced anaphylaxis (2012) - Allergy and Immunology Society of Sri Lanka, 6th Biennial Scientific Sessions.
- ❖ Food dependent exercise induced anaphylaxis (2012) -The Ceylon Medical Journal.

- ❖ Antibiotic consumption and carbapenem resistance: the vicious cycle (2020) - Annual Academic Sessions, Colombo South Clinical society.
- ❖ Epidemiology and contributory factors for occurrence of candidaemia among paediatric patients in a tertiary care center, Sri Lanka - (2019) 78th Annual Academic Sessions of the Galle Medical Association.
- ❖ Epidemiology and clinical presentation of culture positive melioidosis in the Southern province of Sri Lanka (2019) - The Bulletin of the Sri Lanka College of Microbiologists.
- ❖ Analysis of *S.pneumoniae* bacteraemic cases with view of epidemiology and comorbidities associated with invasive pneumococcal diseases in a tertiary care centre Sri Lanka (2018) - 11th International Symposium on Pneumococci and Pneumococcal diseases (ISPPD).
- ❖ Surveillance of melioidosis cases with view of different presentations and outcomes in a tertiary care centre Sri Lanka (2018) - 28th European Congress of Clinical Microbiology and Infectious Disease (ECCMID).
- ❖ Case report: Melioidosis presenting as urinary tract infection (2017) - 2nd South Asian Melioidosis Congress.
- ❖ Epidemiology, presentation and outcome of patients with melioidosis in a tertiary care centre (2017) - 2nd South Asian Melioidosis Congress.
- ❖ Neonatal Sepsis following maternal carriage of *Streptococcus pneumonia* (2017) - The Bulletin of the Sri Lanka College of Microbiologists.
- ❖ Acute invasive *Aspergillus* rhinosinusitis presenting as multiple cranial nerve palsies: A case report (2021)- International Society for Human and Animal Mycology, Asia Fungal Working Group
- ❖ Analysis of accidental discovery of COVID-19 patients from normal wards in a non-COVID caring tertiary care hospital (2021) - Sessions of Sri Lanka College of Microbiologists

JOURNAL ARTICLES:

- ❖ Neurobrucellosis complicated with lumbar epidural abscess; A shepherd's agony (2018) -The Ceylon Medical Journal.
- ❖ Challenges of managing Enterococcal endocarditis: a review of two cases (2017) - Galle Medical Journal.
- ❖ Epidemiology, presentation and outcome of patients with melioidosis in a tertiary care centre (2017) - Sri Lanka Journal of Infectious Diseases.
- ❖ Case report: Melioidosis presenting as urinary tract infection (2017) -Sri Lanka Journal of Infectious Diseases.
- ❖ Case report: Melioidosis poor compliance resulting in a relapse (2017) - Sri Lanka Journal of

Infectious Diseases.

- ❖ Battle with bugs: winning with non-antibacterial methods (2017) - The Bulletin of the Sri Lanka College of Microbiologists.

UNPUBLISHED:

- ❖ Prevalence of carbapenem resistance and molecular analysis of carbapenem resistance among *Pseudomonas aeruginosa* in a tertiary care hospital (2019) – MD Dissertation.

ORAL PRESENTATIONS AT CME SESSIONS-

- ❖ Three cases of invasive meningococcal disease (October 2019) - Continuous Medical Education (CME) programme of Sri Lanka College of Microbiologists.
- ❖ “Staph are there everywhere, but can we beat them anywhere?” (June 2017) - Continuous Medical Education (CME) programme of Sri Lanka College of Microbiologists.

SPECIAL INTERESTS

- ❖ Research related to infectious diseases

COMPUTER LITERACY

- ❖ Proficient in basic use of computer including MS word, excel and powerpoint.
- ❖ SPSS

CARRIER SUMMARY

- ❖ Registrar in Medical Microbiology:2017 to date
Current Station - Lady Ridgeway Hospital
Previous Stations - Teaching Hospital Karapitiya, National Hospital of Sri Lanka & Colombo South Teaching Hospital
- ❖ Diploma trainee in Medical Microbiology: November 2015 to 2017
- ❖ MO- Orthopaedic; Teaching Hospital Karapitiya: March 2014 to November 2015
- ❖ Resident House Officer Orthopaedic; Teaching Hospital Karapitiya: 2013 December - March 2014
- ❖ Internship at Teaching Hospital Mahamodara & Teaching Hospital Karapitiya: 2012

December- 2013 December

- ❖ Temporary demonstrator at Department of Microbiology, University of Sri Jayawardenapura: 2011- 2012

EDUCATION

- ❖ Postgraduate Institute of Medicine, University of Colombo - 2015 to date
- ❖ University of Sri jayawardnepura :2006 – 2011
- ❖ Sangamiththa Balika Vidyalaya: Grade 1 to 13

EXTRA CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

- ❖ Completed Speech & Drama Examinations up to grade 7 at International Institute of Music, Speech & Drama (Grade 7 all island prize winner)
- ❖ Member of Sri –Lankan Girl Guides Association
- ❖ Senior School Prefect (2002 – 2005)

PERSONAL DETAILS

- ❖ DOB- 10.03.1986
- ❖ Name in full – Kankanamge Don Dulnie Saranga Wijewera
- ❖ Civil Status - Married

REFERENCES

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| ❖ Dr. N. S. Chandrasiri,
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