

*Designing and managing international relations, educational projects
and mobility schemes in Asian Universities*
Erasmus+ KA102 Capacity Building in Higher Education

**ERASMUS+ TOOLKIT PROJECT
CASCADE TRAINING
UNIVERSITY OF KELANIYA,
SRI LANKA
22.11.2021**



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Experience of Project Design and Management

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Director, Centre for International Affairs
University of Kelaniya
Sri Lanka



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- **Erasmus Mundus IMPAKT Project**
- **Erasmus+ TOOLKIT Project**
- **Erasmus+ K107 International Credit Mobility Projects**
- **Virtual Mobility for Staff and Students**

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TOOLKIT - Designing and Managing International Relations, Educational Projects and Mobility Schemes in Asian Universities

Coordinated by University of Bologna, Italy

European Partners

Uppsala University

Vilnius University

7 Partners from Myanmar, Laos and Sri Lanka

Benefits

- **Knowledge and experience sharing**
- **Training for academic, administrative staff, students**
- **Training for non-partner HEI through National Workshops**
- **Increasing visibility on the global platform**
- **Recognition for the university by supporting activities conducted**
- **Establishing new partnerships**
- **Sustainability of existing partnerships**

ERASMUS MOBILITY

ERASMUS MUNDUS



- **Erasmus Mundus – International Mobility Programme for Academic and Knowledge Transfer 2014 – 2019 (IMPACT)**
- **Incoming mobility: Academic Staff, Postdoctoral, Undergraduate**
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- **Outgoing mobility: Academic Staff, Postgraduate, Undergraduate**
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Benefits

- **1 year mobility for 10 undergraduates (Geography, French)**
- **1 year mobility for 1 postgraduate student (Botany)**
- **1 month mobility for 6 academic staff**
- **Sustainability – Erasmus+ Partnerships and MoUs emerging**
- **Szczecin University Poland**
- **Rouen University France**
- **Tallinn University Estonia**
- **Lodz University Poland**
- **Merging Voices Consortium from Portugal**

ERASMUS+ MOBILITY



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- **Erasmus+ International Credit Mobility since 2016**
- **Incoming mobility: Academic Staff, Administrative Staff**
- **STT, STA**
- **Outgoing mobility: Academic Staff, Administrative Staff, Undergraduate**
- **STT, STA, SMS**

Virtual Mobility

- Pozega Polytechnic, Department of Economics
- Tallinn University, Faculty of Humanities 6 projects so far
- Szczecin University, German Studies, Dept of Modern Languages
- Siegen University, Fayoum University Egypt, Tongji University, China, Mother Teresa University, North Macedonia, German Studies, Dept of Modern Languages Sri Lanka
- DAAD – German Academic Exchange Service
- Goethe Institute
- Included in UNESCO-IESALC report on virtual student mobility (VSM)

UNESCO International Institute for Higher Education in Latin America and the Caribbean (IESALC)



ERASMUS ALUMNI DAY
UNIVERSITY OF KELANIYA
16th OCTOBER 2020





**ERASMUS DAYS 2021
UNIVERSITY OF KELANIYA, SRI LANKA**

**14th OCTOBER 2021
13.00 Hours CET**

**DIGITAL TRANSFORMATION
IN HIGHER EDUCATION:
ISSUES, CHALLENGES AND SUSTAINABILITY**



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Alumni Academy
Digitalisation 20+ and Sustainability" 2021/2022 Blended Education
The Future Workshop
University of Siegen, Germany

Project - Group 2



"Exchanging Cultural Experiences between a Group of University Students"

Student Presentations

19th November 2021

13.15 hours CET

<https://learn.zoom.us/j/67143490991?pwd=QXlmMW9Cd0x4TDNoUjRZTk93dWtmQT09>

Meeting-ID: 671 4349 0991
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**Alumni Academy
Digitalisation 20+ and Sustainability" 2021/2022 Blended Education
The Future Workshop
University of Siegen, Germany**

Project - Group 2



"Exchanging Cultural Experiences between a Group of University Students"

29th October 2021

17.30 hours Colombo

Project Team from

Fayoum University, Fayoum, Egypt

University of Kelaniya, Kelaniya, Sri Lanka

Mother Teresa University, Skopje, North Macedonia

Tongji University, Shanghai, China



Virtual Staff Mobility Tallinn University, Estonia

on Research Methodology

**Wednesday and Thursday 17th and 18th November 2021
for BA Honours students**

Zoom link for both days

<https://zoom.us/j/92312974175>

At 17.30 hours (5.30 pm)

Duration: 1 hour lecture and 30 minutes Q & A

**Conducted by Prof. Merilyn Meristo, School of Humanities,
Tallinn University, Estonia**

Prof. Merilyn Meristo is attached to the School of Humanities, Tallinn University, Estonia.

She teaches French and is responsible for training teachers of foreign languages in Estonia. Her vast experience in teaching of foreign languages including English and French, teacher training and research has benefited the Department of Modern Languages since her first academic staff mobility funded by the EU under the Erasmus Mundus IMPAKT project in February 2015. Since then Prof. Meristo has been a regular visiting professor at the University of Kelaniya conducting onsite and online sessions under virtual staff mobility.



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German Academic Exchange Service



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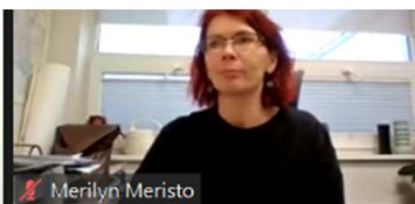
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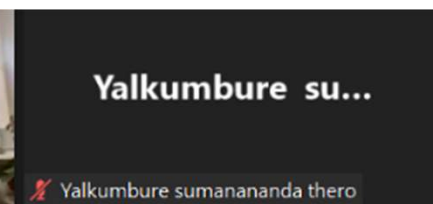
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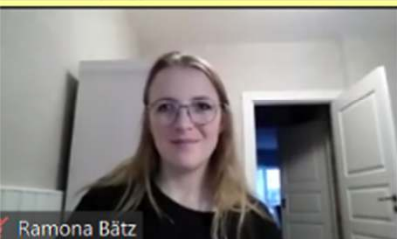
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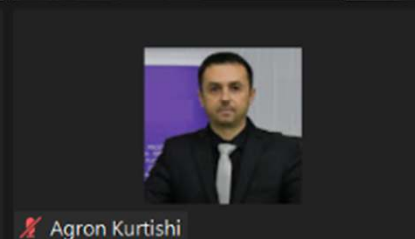
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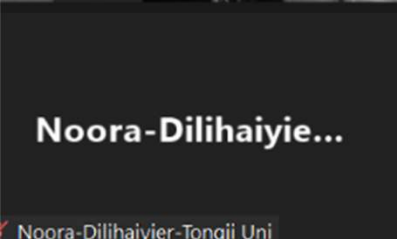
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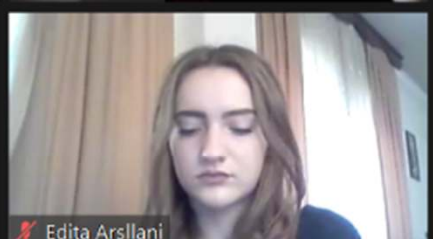
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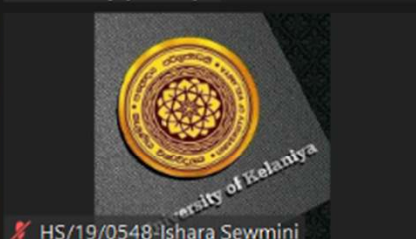
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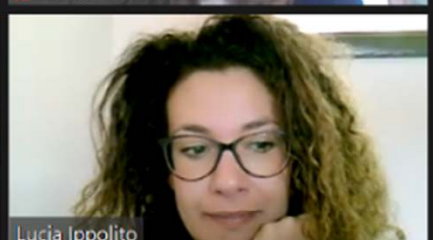
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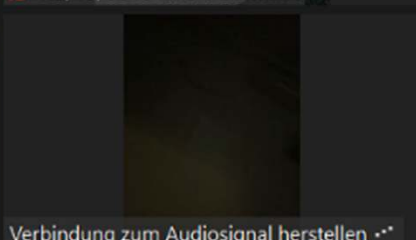
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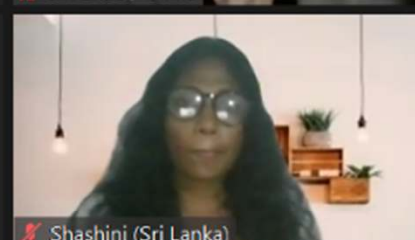
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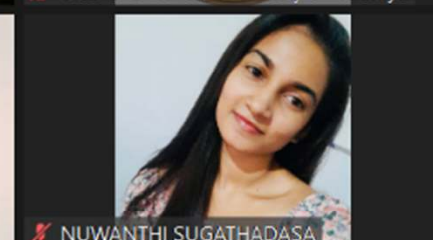
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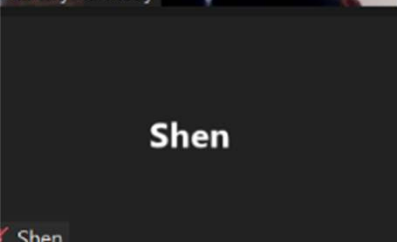
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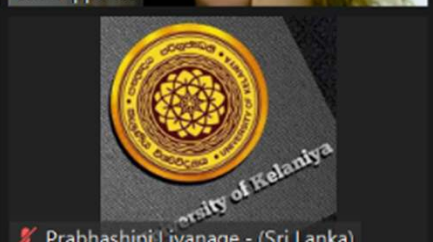
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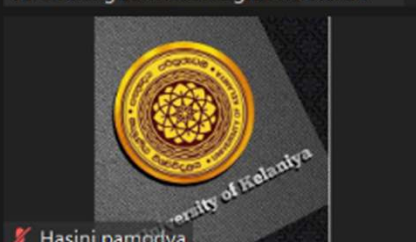
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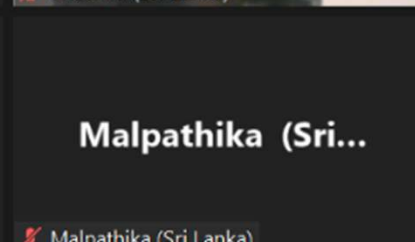
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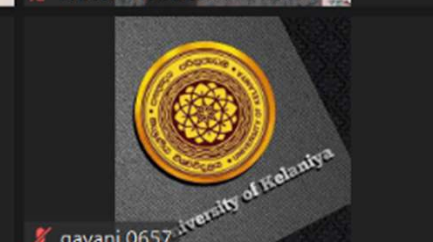
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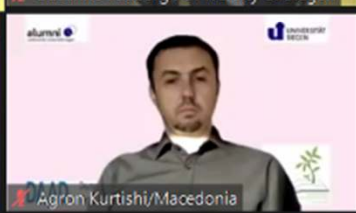
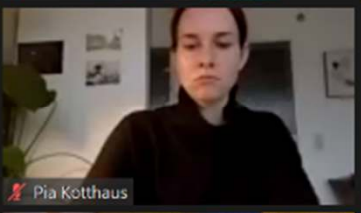
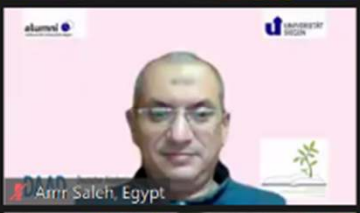
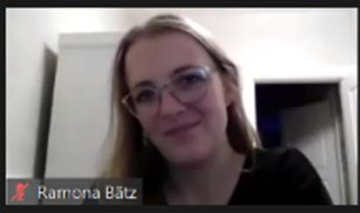




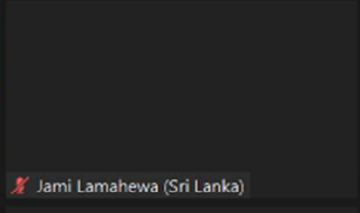


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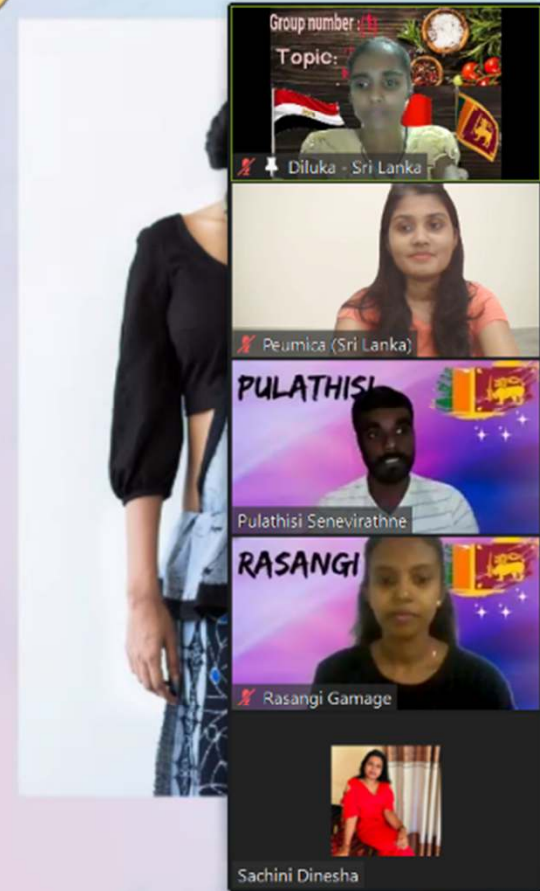
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National (Traditional) Dress of Sri Lanka





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Also von meiner Ausbildung her bin ich Linguistin ... Mündliche Sprachroutinen in wissenschaftlichen Vorträgen

Christian Fandrych, Herder-Institut, Universität Leipzig

Dhoch3-Workshop „Wissenschaftssprache Deutsch, Wissenschaftliches Arbeiten“
DAAD Neu Delhi, 6.10.2021

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ANURADHAPURA (377 BC -1017 AD)

❑ Münzen in der Epoche Anuradhapura

- ❖ Kahapana
- ❖ Swastika Münzen
- ❖ Manless Lion Münzen
- ❖ Lakshmi Plaques
- ❖ Kahavanu oder Lankeshvara Münze
- ❖ ausländische Münzen

Roman Münze



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Kahapana



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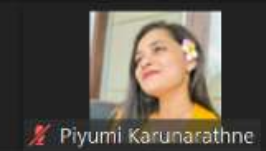
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Irusha Karunaratne



Britta Kaukver

Britta Kaukver



Piyumi Karunaratne



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Luther als ‚Junker Jörg‘



- Lutherstube in der Wartburg
- Die Wand mit der Tintenleck, wo Luther seinen Tintentopf nach Teufel warf



- Die Bibel, die von Luther ins deutsche übersetzt wurde



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Wald als Erinnerungsort

Kooperationsprojekt: Interkulturelles Lernen durch Erinnerungsorte


Universität Kelaniya, Universität Tallinn


19.11.2021





Talking: Sigrid


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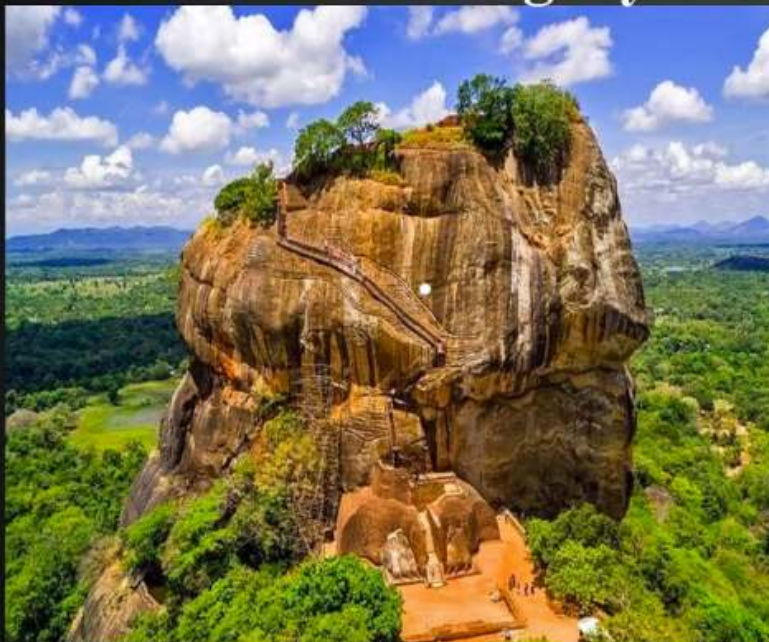
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Wartburg auf Sri Lanka -Sigiriya



- Ein srilankisches historisches Erbe.
- 12. Jahrhundert und von **König Kasyapa** gegründet.
- in Dambulla.
- 180 Meter hohen
- Art eines Löwen erbaut wurde



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How to initiate?

- **Previous contacts**
- **Previous project partners**
- **Personal contacts**
- **Alumni**

How to plan and execute?

- **Common and genuine interest**
- **Invest time**
- **Meet online and draft the mobility – duration, target group, theme**
- **Brief the students and/or staff**
- **Execute the project**
- **Mutual trust**
- **Respect for each other and cultures**
- **Adaptability, flexibility, responsibility**
- **Motivated students and staff**

Increasing our visibility on the global platform through projects funded by the European Commission as well as Virtual Mobility open numerous avenues for academic and cultural exchange, knowledge sharing, knowledge transfer and mutually beneficial collaborative research.

Final outcomes

- **Enhancing Intercultural competencies**
- **Broadening horizons**
- **Enhancing social skills and team spirit**
- **Personality development**
- **Linguistic skills**
- **Better career prospects**
- **Becoming an outward thinking Global Citizen**



**What is so unique about
University of Kelaniya?**

The Kelaniya Family

- Well respected and admired by the visiting students and scholars
- Due to:
- Genuine interest and support from the Senior Administration to the most junior employee
- Vice Chancellor, Registrar, Deans, Heads of Department, Academic Staff, Administrative Officers to the Office Assistants, Transport Division
- Support by the Staff / Student Volunteers
- Motivated students
- **Dedicated service offered by the Centre for International Affairs**