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to

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FARS 2024

"Exploring Science for Humanity"

on

30 October
WED 2024

Faculty of Applied Science
University of Vavuniya
Pampaimadu, Vavuniya, Sri Lanka

Zoom Link:
https://learn.zoom.us/my/fars2024

PROGRAM SCHEDULE

Smart Lecture Hall, FAS

08:00 AM	**Registration**
08:45 AM	**Arrival of Guests**
09:00 AM	**Lighting the Traditional Oil Lamp**
09:05 AM	**Welcome Address:** *Dr. P. Malathy, Convener, FARS2024*
09:10 AM	**Address by Conference Chair:** *Dr. J. Nimalan, Dean, FAS*
09:15 AM	**Special Guest Address:** *Prof. (Eng.) A. Atputharajah, VC, UoV*
09:20 AM	**Chief Guest Address:** *Prof. V. Dhayalan*
	Department of Computer science, Electrical engineering and Mathematical sciences, Western Norway University of Applied Sciences (HVL), Campus Bergen, Norway
09:30 AM	**Launching of Proceedings – FARS 2024**
09:45 AM	**Keynote I:** *Prof. Nophea Sasaki*
	Natural Resources Management, School of Environment, Resources, and Development, Asian Institute of Technology, Thailand
10:30 AM	**Morning Refreshment**
10:45 AM	**Keynote II :** *Dr. Vahid Abolghasemi*
	Signal/Image Processing and AI School of Computer Science and Electronic Engineering, University of Essex, UK

Environmental Biology Lab (EBL), FAS

11:30 AM	**Student Exhibition, themed on** "Waste as a Resource"

Lecture Hall 1 (LH1), FAS

12:30 PM	**Lunch Break & ASRC poster presentation & Evaluation**
1:30 PM	**Technical Session**

Session I	**- Mathematics and Statistics**	**– LH4/FAS**
Session II	**- Agriculture and Biosystem Technology**	**– Board Room/ FAS**
Session III	**- Agriculture Economics & Value Addition**	**– SLH/ FAS**
Session IV	**- Computer Science & Software Engineering**	**–MM Lab/ AHEAD**

1:30 PM	**Industry Interaction Session**	–LH2/ DBS

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03:00 PM	**Evening Refreshment**
03:30 PM	**Awarding Ceremony**
03:50 PM	**Vote of Thanks**
	Ms. K. Anusiga, Conference Secretary, FARS2024