

Residential/ Intensive **Workshop on****'Perspectives in blue Bio-economics'**Venue: **NARA/Colombo and NIFATI Kalawewa**Dates: **January 10 – 20, 2020**

Applications are called from graduates to participate in a fully funded residential intensive workshop on **'Perspectives in blue Bio-economics'**.

Who can apply :

Graduates (BSc or BA Honors in /Science/Agriculture/Fisheries/ Sociology/ Economics having research interests in the areas of Fisheries & Aquatic Sciences.

Workshop Content:

Various topics in Fisheries biology, Fisheries economics, Recreational Fisheries, supply chains, Research writing and Research methods.

Resource Persons:

Researchers/Professors/Administrators from **University of Tromsø, University of Jaffna, University of Ruhuna, and NARA.**

Workshop Participants:

A maximum of **20** most suitable Sri Lankan students will be selected for the workshop together with **03** Norwegian students. All costs including travel, accommodation and meals are covered for all participants for the workshop.

****All students who successfully completed and presented a full report at the end of the workshop will be received a certificate jointly issued by NARA, University of Ruhuna and University of Tromsø.**

The workshop is fully funded by Norway-Sri Lanka Partnership project **NORLANKA-BLUE 'Innovative Network in Fisheries, Aquaculture & Aquatic Sciences'**

M.Phil. Degree program:

- ♦ **Seven (07) students who wish to register for a Two-year full time M.Phil. Degree** either at University of Ruhuna or University of Jaffna on self-funding basis will be selected. Final selection will be made on academic merit, research interest, career ambitions and workshop assessment by the respective principal investigator.
- ♦ Selected students will have an opportunity of studying a semester abroad at **UNIVERSITY OF TROMSØ** (The Arctic University of **NORWAY**) starting from early **AUGUST, 2020**. This stay will be fully funded by **NORLANKA-BLUE** project.

Interested applicants should send a self-prepared application form including a 'statement of purpose' with a brief CV to **Mr. Lalith Amaralal, National Aquatic Resources Research and Development Agency (NARA)** (lalith@nara.ac.lk) by email with a copy to;

Prof. Sivashanthini Kuganathan, University of Jaffna (sivashanthini@gmail.com)

Prof. Suneetha Gunawickrama, University of Ruhuna, Matara (suneetha@zoo.ruh.ac.lk)

Deadline to apply : November 28, 2019

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