

**Opportunity for Postgraduate Scholarships**  
**Conflict, Peace and Development Studies (CPDS)**  
**Tribhuvan University, Nepal & University of Ruhuna, Sri Lanka**

**Call for Applications open for Academic Cycle 2014-2016**

CPDS is a two year-four-semester collaborative M.A. program between the Norwegian University of Life Sciences (UMB) in Norway, COMSAT Institute of Information Technology in Pakistan, University of Ruhuna in Sri Lanka, and Tribhuvan University in Nepal. This collaborative academic program involves student and faculty exchange between the partner institutions.

The University of Ruhuna is the host institution for Sri Lanka. The first two academic semesters of this programme will be conducted in Nepal while the 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> semesters will be in Sri Lanka.

University of Ruhuna has received an annual quota of six full scholarships under the NORHED funded project on Strengthening Research, Education and Advocacy in Conflict, Peace and Development Studies. Priority will be given for those who are permanent employees of the academic institutions. Female candidates are encouraged to apply.

Applicants with permanent employment in Government/Semi Government sectors should apply through their respective Heads of Departments.

**Eligibility:**

Bachelor Degree with a minimum of second class in any discipline

English is the medium of instructions and examination. The prospective candidates are expected to have a good command of written and spoken English with Computer knowledge.

**Entrance Examination:**

Candidates have to sit for an eligibility test and have to face an interview conducted by the University of Ruhuna.

Application forms are available in the Ruhuna University website ([www.ruh.ac.lk](http://www.ruh.ac.lk)) and can be downloaded.

**Application Schedule:**

Last date for Submission of Applications: **24<sup>th</sup> of June 2014**

Please submit your completed application to:

Coordinator  
Strengthening Research, Education and Advocacy in Conflict, Peace and Development  
Studies  
Department of Sociology  
University of Ruhuna  
Wellamadama  
Matara.