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Ph.D. (University of Kelaniya), 1995

Field of Speciality:

Early Buddhism
Pali commentarial studies
Sri Lankan Buddhism.
Japanese Buddhism

Current Lecture Courses:

The Pali-commentarial literature.
The Buddha-concept in Theravada Buddhism.

Publications:

Books:

- 1) *Dana: The Development of Its Concept and Practice*, Gunasena Co. Ltd., Colombo, 1987.
- 2) *The Pali Atthakatha Correspondence Table*, PTS, Oxford, 1994.
- 3) *Buddha in Theravada Buddhism*, Buddhist Cultural Centre, Sri Lanka, 1997, 2002.
- 4) BDK ENGLISH TRIPITAKA Series: *The All-Pleasing: A Commentary on the Rules of Discipline (ShanChien-Lu-P'i-P'o-Sha)*, co-trans. with Prof. Sodo Mori, Numata Center for Buddhist Translation and Research, Berkeley, USA (forthcoming).

Articles:

Many articles published in academic journals in Sri Lanka and abroad.

Conference presentations:

Participated in many academic conferences in various countries and presented papers.

Membership in professional organizations:

- 1) Treasurer, Sri Lanka Association for Buddhist Studies, Sri Lanka.
- 2) Secretary cum Treasurer, The Centre for Buddhist Studies, Sri Lanka, Sri Lanka.
- 3) Member of the Editorial Board, *Buddhist Studies (Bukkyo Kenkyu)*, published by International Buddhist Association, Hamamatsu, Japan.
- 4) Member of the Board of Directors, The Society for the Study of Pali and Buddhist Culture, Nagoya, Japan.
- 5) Member of the Japanese Society for Indian and Buddhist Studies (Indogaku-Bukkyougaku Gakkai) (IBK).