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MESSAGE FROM THE CHANCELLOR

It gives me great pleasure to send this message on the occasion of the First International Symposium entitled “Post-War Economic Development through Science, Technology and Management” to be held on the 19th, 20th and 21st of this month at the South Eastern University of Sri Lanka in Oluvil. Seminars, Symposia and Conferences give us an excellent platform to exchange ideas and discuss results from research in a particular field of study. Such dialogue can be beneficial to academics and their students alike.

With the decades of conflict just over in the country, it is also a most appropriate time to hold this Symposium on the above topic. An international symposium brings with it an awareness of cultural and intellectual diversity that can enrich academia. As the South Eastern University of Sri Lanka is situated in an area that was deeply affected by the ethnic war, it is a prime forum for this event. With over 190 papers from International authors in several sessions spread over three days, this Symposium promises to be an enlightening one. I congratulate the Organizing Committee of this Symposium and wish them every success.

Prof. Achi M. Ishaq
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MESSAGE FROM VICE CHANCELLOR

I feel privilege and honored as the Vice Chancellor to release this message of greetings with happiness to International Symposium on Post War Economic Development through Science, Technology and Management to be held on from April 19th to 21st 2011 at the South Eastern University of Sri Lanka. I welcome this historic episode as this is the maiden event of this university for the reason of the fact that this symposium covering social sciences, science, technology, information technology, business management, language, religion and culture, natural resources, sustainable development with convergence of all faculties of this university. This theme is very significant for the human development through higher educational system to have national cohesion and development.

The research symposium is an important part of the university activities. The research works are the great innovation leading to the discoveries of enterprising individual, whose minds are constantly at work and whose creative impulses give warmth and color to the life’s fabrics, its richness, fullness and diversity so as to make pleasant and peaceful pilgrimage in the future.

Besides, this International Symposium is a mode to have gathering of eminent scholars, experienced researchers, famous authors, prominent academic, enthusiastic undergraduates and popular public personalities and experts in different fields of studies have opportunities to exchange their cherished ideals, concepts, faith and beliefs with full joy and gay from local and foreign universities that will stimulate to develop and strengthen their research skills, talents, abilities and capacities to expand the horizon of their intellectual experience in research works.

The hard work done by the organizing committee of the research symposium is an excellent example of team work and time management. I am very grateful to organizing committee, chair person, reviewers, editors, sponsors and all other well wishers who were involved in this great event. I also wish to acknowledge the dedication and commitment of the academic, administrative and non academic of the South Eastern University of Sri Lanka to make this memorable occasion successfully. Finally I take this opportunity to wish all the presenters and participants a rewarding experience.

Dr. SM. Mohamed Ismail
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MESSAGE FROM THE COORDINATORS

After three decades of war in Sri Lanka, post-war economic development is the most highlighted issue among academics and general public. The contribution of academics for this development is vital and inevitable. Therefore the South Eastern University of Sri Lanka has given a special attention to the post-war economic development and holding this international symposium 2011 under the theme of post-war economic development through science, technology and management.

The objective of this international symposium is to provide an open and neutral forum for researchers in various disciplines to present and debate their research findings in front of intellectuals, policy formulators, planners and implementers. 194 abstracts were received for this symposium relating to all disciplines under five main tracks. All the received abstracts were reviewed by eminent scholars in the respective fields. We hope that recommendations and key points that emerge from these scientific presentations can be utilized in identifying policy directions and in formulation strategies for the post-war development activities.

We wish to thank all local and foreign delegates, authors, chairpersons of the sessions, reviewers and participants who made this event a reality. This symposium could not have been possible without the cooperation of the staff and students of the South Eastern University of Sri Lanka.

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