

Awareness Workshop on IDTD Studies

The awareness workshop on Interdisciplinary and Transdisciplinary Studies was successfully held at the Faculty of Graduate Studies, University of Sri Jayewardenepura, on the 20th of June 2025. Emeritus Prof. Saroj Jayasinghe, representing the IDTDS Committee, and Dr. Shyam Kularathne from the Department of Transdisciplinary Studies, Faculty of Engineering, University of Sri Jayewardenepura, served as the resource persons for the workshop. Prof. Saroj Jayasinghe delivered a presentation aimed at *fostering dialogue and enhancing understanding of interdisciplinary and trans-disciplinary approaches in academic research and practice*. Dr. Shyam Kularathne conducted a session on *Interdisciplinary Collaboration for Sustainable Solutions*. A total of 40 participants attended the workshop in person, while 20 others joined via Zoom. This workshop was jointly organized by the IDTDS Committee and the Faculty of Graduate Studies, University of Sri Jayewardenepura.



The poster features a pink and white hexagonal pattern background. At the top, it lists the organizing bodies: Committee on Interdisciplinary and Transdisciplinary Studies, Sri Lanka Association for Advancement of Science, and Faculty of Graduate Studies, University of Sri Jayewardenepura. The title 'Workshop on Interdisciplinary and Transdisciplinary Studies' is prominently displayed. Below, it identifies the resource persons: Professor Saroj Jayasinghe (MBBS, MD(Ch), MD(Ortho), MRCP(S), FRCP(Lond), FRCP(Colomb), FACP, FRASLS, Consultant Physician, Former Chair Professor of Medicine, Department of Clinical Medicine, Faculty of Medicine, University of Colombo, Sri Lanka) and Dr. Shyam Kularathna (B.Sc Eng (Hons), Honorary M.Sc. (IT/MS), Ph.D., (IT/MS), DSA Power Flexible, Head Department of Interdisciplinary Studies, Faculty of Engineering, University of Sri Jayewardenepura). The event is dated 20th June 2025, from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon, at the Faculty of Graduate Studies, University of Sri Jayewardenepura. It is organized by the Committee on Interdisciplinary and Transdisciplinary Studies (IDTDS), Sri Lanka Association for Advancement of Science (SLAAS) in collaboration with the Faculty of Graduate Studies, University of Sri Jayewardenepura.

