



UNIVERSITY OF KELANIYA, SRI LANKA

**POST OF SENIOR LECTURER  
(ON CONTRACT FOR SIX MONTHS)  
DEPARTMENT OF CHEMISTRY**

The University of Kelaniya will entertain applications from suitably qualified persons for the above posts up to **31.08.2026**.

**1. EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATIONS**

**A. Senior Lecturer :**

- 1) B.Sc. Honours / Special Degree with specialization in **Biochemistry / Chemistry** with First or Second Class (Upper Division);

**OR**

- 2) B.Sc. Honours / Special Degree with specialization in **Biochemistry / Chemistry** Second Class (Lower Division);

**OR**

- 3) (a) B.Sc. Honours / Special degree with a specialization in **Biochemistry / Chemistry** without class or any other Degree with at least Second Class,

**and**

- (b) A Doctoral Degree in the relevant field \*;

**or**

A Master's Degree in the relevant field\* with full-time research of at least 24 months duration

**OR**

- 4) Such academic or professional qualifications or professional experience as may be approved by the University Grants Commission upon the recommendation of the University of Kelaniya

**AND**

A Doctoral Degree in the relevant field \*;

**or**

A Master's Degree in the relevant field\* with full-time research of at least 24 months duration

**AND**

**At least six (06) years of experience in one or more of the following:**

- I. Teaching at the University level,
- II. Professional experience,
- III. Research in a recognized institution,
- IV. Postgraduate studies to acquire the qualifications stipulated at (2) above.

**\*Relevant Field: Biochemistry / Chemistry**

**SALARY OF THE APPOINTMENT:**

**Salary :** Senior Lecturer: Rs. 269,345.00 p.m. + Cost of living allowance

**HOW TO APPLY:**

Prescribed applications are called only through e-mails. The application, together with copies of relevant educational and professional certificates and a CV should be forwarded to **hodchem@kln.ac.lk** to be reached the Dean, Faculty of Science, with scan copies on or before **31.08.2026**.

Visit our website for the application form and relevant details –

<https://news.kln.ac.lk/index.php/classified/vacancies>

**IMPORTANT:**

The University reserves the right to shortlist candidates for interview. Incomplete, illegible or applications received after closing date will be rejected.

**Registrar  
University of Kelaniya  
13.08.2026**