



# THE OPEN UNIVERSITY OF SRI LANKA

## VACANCIES

The Open University of Sri Lanka will entertain applications from suitably qualified persons for the following posts up to **21<sup>st</sup> November 2025**.

### POSTS

Senior Professor/Professor of Mathematics  
Senior Professor/Professor of Physics  
Senior Professor/Professor of Zoology  
Senior Professor/Professor of Chemistry

### SALARY SCALES :

Senior Professor U-AC 5 (I)	-	Rs. 237,530 -11x5,300 – 295,830 p.m. will be placed on the initial salary step of Rs. 237,530 p.m. *Academic Allowance of 126% + Rs. 17,000/- of salary will be paid
Senior Professor U-AC 5 (II)	-	Rs.198,280 -13x4,850 – 261,330 p.m. will be placed on the initial salary step of Rs. 198,280 p.m. *Academic Allowance of 124% + Rs. 13,300/- of salary will be paid

### Note:

\* Salary and Academic Allowance will be paid according to the Commission Circular No. 02/2025 dated 01.04.2025. In addition to the above salary, cost of living allowance, and other approved allowances will be paid to the selected candidate.

**QUALIFICATION** - Please refer to UGC Circular No.916, Establishments Circular Letter No. 04/2010, UGC Circular No.04/2014 & 5/2015 (<https://www.ou.ac.lk/vacancies>).

### BENEFITS :

Appointee will become a contributor to the Universities Provident Fund, contributing 10% of the monthly salary. The University will contribute 8%, 7% and 3% of the monthly salary to the University Pension Scheme, University Provident Fund, and Employees Trust Fund, respectively.

### SABBATICAL LEAVE :

The holders of the Post of Senior Professor/Professor are eligible for one year sabbatical leave with pay or two years without pay on completion of seven years of service. Those proceeding abroad on sabbatical leave are eligible to receive air passage for self and spouse.

### HOW TO APPLY :

The application form should be prepared as per UGC Establishment Circular Letter No. 04/2010, Commission Circular 916 & 05/2015 including CV, self-assessment report, copies of the publications, and five outstanding research papers (all in 03 copies), and send to Deputy Registrar/Establishments(Academic), The Open University of Sri Lanka, Nawala, Nugegoda, on or before **21<sup>st</sup> November 2025**.

Applicants from Higher Educational Institutions, Government Departments, and Government Corporations should apply through the Head of the Institution/Department/Corporation. Applications which do not conform to the requirements, applications received after the closing date, and incomplete applications will be rejected. Please attach certified copies of the birth certificate, relevant certificates of confirmed results to prove qualifications, professional qualifications, and experience. The Post applied for should be indicated on the top left-hand corner of the envelope. The University reserves the right to shortlist the candidates.

Registrar  
The Open University of Sri Lanka  
Nawala, Nugegoda  
12.10.2025