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Professional qualifications

- 2020 - Completed Teachers training program organized by Faculty of Humanities and Education, Cinec Campus, Malabe
- 1st of October, 2019 onwards Lecturer in Pharmaceutical Sciences, CINEC Campus, Malabe, Sri Lanka
- (2018-2019) - Worked as a demonstrator at Department of Pharmacy, Faculty of Allied Health Sciences, Kotelawala Defence University, Sri Lanka
- 2018 - Worked as a trainee ward pharmacist at Asiri Medical Hospital, Narahenpita, Sri Lanka
- Certificate of registration as pharmacist (SLMC) Registration No. 10843

Educational qualifications

- 2019 - Diploma in General Psychology and Counseling at ICBT Campus, Kandy with Distinction
- (2014-2018) - Bachelor of Pharmacy (Hons) at General Sir John Kotelawala Defence University of Sri Lanka, First Class with overall 3.94 GPA
- (2012-2013) - Diploma in English at Sri Lankan Buddhist Academy (SIBA)
- 2008 - Diploma in IT at Informatics Institute of Technology, Kandy
- 2008 - Diploma in English at the British Council, Kandy

Research Projects

- Formulation, stability evaluation and characterization of Neem oil-based emulsion
- Analysis of common dosage forms of metformin as monotherapy or combined therapy in type II diabetes mellitus; pilot study
- Qualitative and quantitative analysis of dispensing of OTC drugs usage in community pharmacy outlets, Sri Lankan perspectives; a pilot study
- Pilot prescription analysis of hypertensive patients at community pharmacy outlet; Sri Lankan perspectives
- Analysis frequency, age-based prescription pattern and most prevalent antibiotic prescriptions from community pharmacy outlets; pilot study

Research publications

- De Silva HHVKN, Abeywardana YNL, Sanjeewani NA, Pathirana RN and Ratnasooriya WD. Formulation and stability evaluation of Neem oil-based emulsion- Annual Scientific Sessions at Pharmaceutical Society of Sri Lanka, 2018
- De Silva HHVKN, Abeywardana YNL, Sanjeewani NA, Pathirana RN and Ratnasooriya WD. Formulation and stability evaluation of Tween 20® consisting Neem oil-based emulsion- 11th International Research Conference at Kotelawala Defence University, Sri Lanka, 2018
- Abeywardana YNL, De Silva HHVKN, Sanjeewani NA and Pathirana RN Characterization of Tween 80® consisting Neem oil-based emulsion- 3rd International Research Symposium on Pure and Applied Sciences at Faculty of Science, University of Kelaniya, Sri Lanka, 2018
- Thotawatte NT, De Silva HHVKN, Rajapaksha R GWDB and Hettihewa LM. Analysis of common dosage forms of metformin as monotherapy or combined therapy in type II diabetes mellitus; pilot study- CINEC Student Research Symposium, 2020
- Kangara TDB, Senanayake SD, Siriwardhana AK, Maanisha NWAN, Rathnasekara GAJ, De Silva HHVKN and Rajapaksha RGWDB. Qualitative and quantitative analysis of dispensing of OTC drugs usage in community pharmacy outlets, Sri Lankan perspectives; a pilot study-

CINEC Student Research Symposium, 2020

- Senarathne RN, Silva NS, Mallawaarachchi RY, Hasanthi MMPM, De Silva HHVKN and Kumari SBHP. Pilot prescription analysis of hypertensive patients at community pharmacy outlet; Sri Lankan perspectives- CINEC Student Research Symposium, 2020
- Bandara PM, Malhamiarachchi OH, Mendis PA, Weerakondarachchi YD, Weligalle PM, De Silva HHVKN and Kumari SBHP. Analysis frequency, age-based prescription pattern and most prevalent antibiotic prescriptions from community pharmacy outlets; pilot study- CINEC Student Research Symposium, 2020

Presentations

- Poster Presentation - De Silva HHVKN, Abeywardana YNL, Sanjeewani NA, Pathirana RN and Ratnasooriya WD. Formulation and stability evaluation of Neem oil-based emulsion- Annual Scientific Sessions at Pharmaceutical Society of Sri Lanka, 2018
- Oral Presentation - De Silva HHVKN, Abeywardana YNL, Sanjeewani NA, Pathirana RN and Ratnasooriya WD. Formulation and stability evaluation of Tween 20® consisting Neem oil-based emulsion- 11th International Research Conference at Kotelawala Defence University, Sri Lanka, 2018

Awards

- Trophy for the best student in B Pharm degree programme awarded by KDU at the general convocation held on 2nd November, 2018