

## John Dandies Scholarship for Public Transport: 2018/2019

The Chartered Institute of Logistics and Transport in Lanka (CILTL) together with John Dandies Memorial Fund call applications from **full time/part time post graduate research students** researching on transport in Sri Lanka. The applications will be available at <http://www.ciltl.com> from **15th June 2018** should be duly completed and submitted with correct supporting documents to each Secretary General, CILT Sri Lanka, by email to [sg@cil.lk](mailto:sg@cil.lk) to reach on or before **27<sup>th</sup> July 2018**.

- Applicants should be currently registered as **full time/part time students** at a reputed university in Sri Lanka or abroad. Those who have applied and have been provisionally accepted are also eligible to apply if supported by the relevant documents.
- Exceptions to above will be made for applicants who have demonstrated an excellent academic aptitude for a period of up to four months of leave to obtain registration and to commence research studies.
- The research should be in an area of transport relevant to Sri Lanka and be approved by the John Dandies Memorial Fund Management Committee (JDMF-MC). Preference will be given to (a) those who are engaged in research relevant to Public Transport and (b) engaged in full time study.
- The period of study the student is registered for, should be for a minimum period of one year and for a Master or Doctoral research.
- The research work should also lead to a public presentation of work findings along with a written paper to be delivered by the recipient at the invitation of CILTL.
- A monthly stipend of Rs. 50,000.00/ Rs. 75,000.00 would be paid at the end of each quarter to the recipient enabling an submission of the certificate of progress duly signed by the recipient and his/her supervisor. Funds would be available for a maximum period of 12 months per candidate.
- If progress is unsatisfactory funding will be terminated after one month's written notice. A student who completes the research prior to all payments being made will be considered for lump sum payment of balance.
- A further provision of a sum not exceeding Rs. 200,000/- may be available for disseminating the research findings either locally or abroad if a publication arising from the research is accepted for publication in an international journal or proceedings of conferences.
- The recipients must agree to above terms and conditions before funds are allocated.
- The recipient will also be required to submit duly certified copies of all documents submitted in the application.
- The Management Committee of the John Dandies Memorial Fund will evaluate proposals and candidate once vetted by the Council of CILTL will be final.

  
**Chand S. Fernando**  
Chairman, JDMF-MC

  
**Nishan Jayasinghe**  
Secretary and the convenor, JDMF-MC

Other Members of the John Dandies Memorial Fund, Management Committee are Dr F L Gunaratnam and Mr Rajan Rajapathirana