



**Diploma in Buddhist Studies
in collaboration with
University of Kelaniya Sri Lanka**



Syllabus as per UoK Prospectus

Course code – DBSF 03035

Title – Theravada and Mahayana

Status – Compulsory

Course Content:

- Development of early Buddhist teachings;
- Buddhist Councils;
- emergence of schism; Buddhist schools;
- establishment of Theravada;
- geographical expansion of Northern Buddhism;
- Theravada and Mahayana countries;
- concepts such as Buddha, Bodhisattva and Trikaya;
- scriptures of Theravada and Mahayana

Method of teaching and learning Assessment:

Lectures, classroom discussions and case studies. Presentations and end of course examination.

**Class Schedule shall be posted in Google Classroom
on commencement of course!**