

PROFESSOR TULEY DE SILVA

Qualifications:

D.Sc.(Honoris Causa) - University of Sri Jayewardenepura, Sri Lanka - 1996.
Ph.D. (Natural Products Chemistry) - University of Manchester, UK - 1971.
M.Sc. (Organic Chemistry) - University of Manchester, UK - 1969 .
B.Pharm. Honours - School of Pharmacy, University of London, UK - 1965.
B.Sc. (Chemistry) Honours - University of Ceylon, Sri Lanka - 1960.

Professional Qualifications:

Chartered Chemist (C.Chem.) U.K. & Sri Lanka.
Registered Pharmacist (Sri Lanka).

Professional Fellowships/Memberships

Fellow of the National Academy of Sciences of Sri Lanka (F.N.A.S.Sri Lanka).
Fellow of the Royal Society of Chemistry (F.R.S.C.), U.K. upto 2006
Fellow of the Institute of Chemistry, Ceylon (F.I.Chem.Cey.).
Member of the Pharmaceutical Society of Sri Lanka

PRESENT ASSIGNMENTS:

University System in Sri Lanka

Visiting Professor, Department of Chemistry, University of Sri Jayewardenepura, Sri Lanka, 2000-present.
Member, Council of the Open University of Sri Lanka 2008- present
Consultant & Member, B.Pharm. Degree Planning Committee, University of Sri Jayewardenepura, Sri Lanka, 2000-present
Member, B.Pharm. Degree Planning Committee, Open University of Sri Lanka, 2004-present
Supervisor of M.Phil & Ph.D research at several Universities in Sri Lanka

Ministry of Science and Technology

Member, Board of Management of the National Science Foundation appointed by the Hon. Minister of Science & Technology
Chairman, Advisory Committee of the Research and Technology Division, National Science Foundation
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Ministry of Health

Member, Technical Advisory Committee on Drugs, Ministry of Health and Nutrition
Member of the Drug Evaluation Sub Committee, Ministry of Health and Nutrition
Member of the Committee appointed by the Hon Minister of Health for Preparing the National Medicinal Drug Policy

Private Sector

Part time R&D Consultant, Link Natural Products Ltd.
Director, Link Natural Products Ltd.

Professional Career:

Consultant, Bioresources Development and Conservation Programme, Maryland, USA – August 2002- April 2003

Special Technical Adviser, Chemical Industries Branch, Industrial Sectors and Environment Division, United Nations Industrial Development Organisation (Vienna), Austria in charge of industrial utilization of non-wood forest products including medicinal and aromatic plants - 1991 to May 1998.

Co-Coordinator of Subprogramme on Medicinal and Aromatic Plants of the International Centre for Science and Technology in **Trieste, Italy** - 1996 to 1998.

Senior Research Fellow, Department of Chemistry, University of Maryland, **USA** -1989 to 1991.

Professor of Chemistry, University of Sri Jayewardenepura, Sri Lanka - 1976 to 1989.

Dean, Faculty of Applied Science, University of Sri Jayewardenepura -1974-77&1985 to 1988.

President, Vidyodaya Campus, University of Sri Lanka - 1977-78.

Visiting Professor, Department of Chemistry, University of Maryland, **USA** - 1979.

Director, Bandaranaike Memorial Ayurveda Research Institute of Sri Lanka-1975 to 1978.

Senior Lecturer in Chemistry, Vidyodaya University of Sri Lanka-1968 to 1975.

Lecturer in Pharmacy, Faculty of Medicine, University of Ceylon- 1961 to 1967.

Professional Associations

Past General President, Sri Lanka Association for the Advancement of Science

Past President, Pharmaceutical Society of Sri Lanka

Past President. Institute of Chemistry Ceylon

Member of the Drugs Committee of the Sri Lanka Medical Association

Member Executive Council and the Forum of the Organisation of the Professional Associations

Awards & Fellowships:

Investiture of National Honour as **Deshabandu** by H.E. The President of Sri Lanka

Visiting Professorship in Chemistry at University of Maryland, **USA** -1979.

Guest Professor, Pharmaceutical University of Shenyang, Shenyang, **China** - 1993 to present.

Merit Award for the contribution to Polymer Science Education in Sri Lanka - 1987.

Commonwealth Universities Association Travelling Fellowship to visit six countries - 1986.

Advisory Editorial Boards of Foreign Journals

Member Editorial Board of the Journal of Natural Remedies published in **India**, (2001- present)

Member of the International Editorial Board of the International Journal of the Tropical Medicinal Plants published in **Malaysia**, (2001-

Editor, "**Manual on the Essential Oil Industry**" - **UNIDO (1996)**.

Many international Consultancy Positions

Many articles in Books relating to medicinal plants and healthcare products

Over 65 publications in international journals