# **MASTER OF ARTS (BUDDHIST STUDIES) 2024**

# Awarded by University of Kelaniya and conducted by Buddhist Library Graduate School Schedule for 2024

OVERALL SCHEDULE		
Commencement Date	28 Mar 2024 (Sat)	
Duration	1 year (conclusion In end Feb 2025)  Term 1: <b>28 Mar - 1 Jun 2024</b> Term 2: <b>2 Jul - 17 Sep 2024</b> Term 3: <b>3 Oct - 7 Dec 2024</b> Exams: <b>in Feb 2025</b>	
Weekly Classes	Classes will be held during evenings and afternoons of <u>Thu</u> and <u>Sat</u> , with an additional weekly lesson on <u>Tue</u> during  Term 2.  For easy reference, refer to "Weekly Schedule" below.	
Venue	For MABS1, 27, 33, 71 and 73, students must come to the Library for <u>onsite</u> classes.  For MABS 40 and 72, students will need to join class via <u>Skype/Zoom</u> .  For easy reference, see "Weekly Schedule below"	

#### WEEKLY SCHEDULE

### Term 1: 28 Mar to 1 Jun 2024

Module	Day	Time	Lecturer	Venue
MABS73: Introduction to Pali Language	Thur	7.3opm – 9.3opm	Bhante Jothi	Buddhist Library (onsite)
MABS71: Buddhist Ethics: Concepts and Philosophical Interpretations	Sat	4.00pm – 6.00pm	Bhante Pagngnaloka	Buddhist Library (onsite)

No classes scheduled/break: 2 Jun - 1 Jul 2024

### Term 2: 2 Jul - 17 Sep 2024

Module	Day	Time	Lecturer	Venue
MABS73 (continued) and MABS72: Research Methodology and Extended Essay	Tue	7.30pm – 9.30pm	MASB <sub>73</sub> : Bhante Jothi MABS <sub>72</sub> : Dr Rathnasiri	Buddhist Library (onsite) for MABS <sub>73</sub> and Skype/Zoom for MABS <sub>72</sub>
MABS <sub>27</sub> : Buddhist Social Dimension	Thur	7.30pm – 9.30pm	Bhante Pagngnaloka	Buddhist Library (onsite)
MABS40: Buddhist Philosophy of Education and Communication	Sat	1.30pm – 3.30pm	Dr Rathnasiri	Skype/Zoom

No classes scheduled/break: 18 Sep - 2 Oct 2024

#### WEEKLY SCHEDULE

## Term 3: 3 Oct - 7 Dec 2024

Module	Day	Time	Lecturer	Venue
MABS1: Buddhist Doctrines of the Pali Nikayas: Analysis and Interpretation	Thur	7.30pm – 9.30pm	Bhante Jothi	Buddhist Library (onsite)
MABS <sub>33</sub> : Buddhist Economic Philosophy	Sat	4.00pm – 6.00pm	Bhante Pagngnaloka	Buddhist Library (onsite)

EXAMINATIONS		
Dates	Examination dates are slated for Feb 2025:  Tue 18 Feb 2025, 2-5PM  Wed 19 Feb 2025, 2-5PM  Thu 20 Feb 2025, 2-5PM  Fri 21 Feb 2025, 2-5PM  Sat 22 Feb 2025, 9AM-12PM  Sat 22 Feb 2025, 2-5PM  (Chinese New Year is from 29 Jan to 11 Feb 2025)	
SUBMISSION OF DISSERTATION		
Deadline	By 1 Mar 2025 at the latest	

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