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EDITORIAL NOTE

The Sri Lanka Journal of Geography and Environmental Management (SLJGEM) is delighted to present the second issue of its inaugural volume. This marks a significant milestone in our journey to foster a dynamic platform for sharing scholarly insights and advancing research in geography and environmental management.

SLJGEM is an international, open-access, and double-blind peer-reviewed journal published bi-annually by the Department of Geography and Environmental Management, Faculty of Social Sciences and Languages, Sabaragamuwa University of Sri Lanka. The journal is committed to empowering researchers, scholars, resource persons, and practitioners by providing a space to share their findings with the global community. Our goal is to facilitate informed decision-making that enhances both society and the environment.

This publication welcomes a variety of contributions, including review papers, empirical studies, and conceptual articles that utilize quantitative, qualitative, or mixed methods. All submissions undergo a rigorous double-blind peer review process to ensure the highest academic standards.

This issue owes its success to the collective efforts of many. I extend my heartfelt gratitude to the authors for their valuable research contributions, which form the foundation of this journal. My sincere appreciation goes to our reviewers for their dedication and expertise, ensuring the quality and credibility of the content. I also thank our Text Editor for their meticulous work in refining and proofreading the manuscripts.

As we celebrate this achievement, we reaffirm our commitment to promoting research that bridges the gap between theory and practice in geography and environmental management. On behalf of the editorial team, I invite you to explore the articles in this issue and look forward to your continued engagement with SLJGEM.

Best wishes and sincere thanks for your support and contributions.

Editor-in-Chief

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