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SKILLS

- Subject expert in Dairy Science/Technology
- Deliver lectures and tutorials
- Public speaking
- Lesson planning
- Research capabilities
- Communication
- Publishing articles in high-impact journals

LANGUAGES

Sinhala, Native

English, Fluent

AFFILIATIONS

- Lifetime member of Sri Lanka Association for the Advancement of Science (SLASS) since 2013. Lifetime
- member of the Association of Animal

EXPERIENCE

SENIOR LECTURER IN DAIRY SCIENCE

Uva Wellassa University of Sri Lanka
Current

Senior Lecturer and researcher with 15 years of experience in teaching courses on undergraduate and postgraduate levels. Supervised more than 40 theses. Published a book chapter and 11 peer reviewed full paper on Dairy Science and Technology. My research interests are on fermentation, Chemistry of dairy ingredients and Ultrasound application in food industry.

VISITING LECTURER

Postgraduate Institute of Agriculture, University of Peradeniya. March 2020 - Current

EDUCATION

PHD: EFFECTS OF ULTRASOUND ON HOMOGENIZATION AND FERMENTATION KINETICS OF BUFFALO'S MILK.

Queensland University of Technology (QUT), Australia & Postgraduate Institute of Agriculture, University of Peradeniya

MSC IN DAIRY AND MEAT PRODUCT TECHNOLOGY: THESIS: DEVELOPMENT OF A SYMBIOTIC YOGHURT INCORPORATING THE WATER-SOLUBLE CARBOHYDRATES FROM RAJA ALA (DIOSCOREA ALATA)

Postgraduate Institute of Agriculture, University of Peradeniya

BSC IN AGRICULTURAL TECHNOLOGY & MANAGEMENT: THESIS: ENHANCING THE SURVIVAL OF PROBIOTIC BACTERIA IN BIO-YOGHURT DURING REFRIGERATED STORAGE BY INCORPORATING CARBOHYDRATE EXTRACT OF ARROWROOT (MARANTA ARUNDINACEA) RHIZOMES.

Faculty of Agriculture, University of Peradeniya, Sri Lanka.

Production (SLAAP), Sri Lanka.

Member of Young Scientists Forum (YSF), Sri Lanka.

Registered Scientist in Science & Technology Management Information System (STMIS), National Science Foundation (NSF), Sri Lanka.

PUBLICATIONS

Books/Book Chapters

- Abesinghe, A.M.N.L., Mudannayake, D.C. and Ranaweera, K.K.T.N. (2024). Hand Book: Drought resilient dairy farming in Moneragala District. K.F.S.T. Silva (Ed.) Oxfam Sri Lanka.
- Pham, Nghia Duc, Ghnimi, Abesinghe, A.M.N.L., Joardder, Mohammad U.H., Petley, Tony, Muller, Scott, et al. (2017) Effects of process conditions of intermittent drying on the quality of food materials. In Karim, Azharul & Chung-Lim, Law (Eds.) Intermittent and Nonstationary Drying Technologies: Principles and Applications. CRC Press, Boca Raton, pp. 97-121.

Peer-reviewed journal articles indexed Journals

- Johnson, L. B., Diddeniya, G., Vidanarachchi, J. K., Prasanna, P. H. P., Abesinghe, A. M. N. L., & Priyashantha, H. (2025). Can ultrasonication improve coagulation properties of indigenous and exotic cow milk for dairy product processing?. *Food Research International*, 115695
- Abesinghe, A.M.N.L., Vidanarachchi, J.K., Islam, N., & Karim, M.A. (2022). Effects of ultrasound on the fermentation profile and metabolic activity of lactic acid bacteria in buffalo's (*Bubalus bubalis*) milk. *Innovative Food Science & Emerging Technologies*, 103048.
- Abesinghe, A.M.N.L., Priyashantha, H., Prasanna, P.H.P., Kurukulasuriya, M.S., Ranadheera, C.S., & Vidanarachchi, J.K.(2020). Inclusion of probiotics into fermented buffalo (*Bubalus bubalis*) milk: an overview of challenges and opportunities. *Fermentation*, 6(4), 121.
- Abesinghe, A.M.N.L., Vidanarachchi, J.K., Islam, N., Prakash, S., Silva, K.F.S.T., Bhandari, B. and Karim, M.A. (2020). Effects of ultrasonication on the physicochemical properties of milk fat globules of *Bubalus bubalis* (water buffalo) under processing conditions: a comparison with shear-homogenization, *Innovative Food Science and Emerging Technologies* 59, 102237.
- Abesinghe, A.M.N.L., Islam, N., Vidanarachchi, J.K., Prakash, S., Silva, K.F.S.T., & Karim, M.A. (2019). Effects of ultrasound on the fermentation profile of fermented milk products incorporated with lactic acid bacteria. *International Dairy Journal*, 90, 1-14.
- Duc Pham, N., Khan, M.I.H., Joardder, M.U.H., Rahman, M.M., Mahiuddin, M., Abesinghe, A.M.N.L. and Karim, M.A., 2017. Quality of plant-based food materials and its prediction during intermittent drying. *Critical Reviews in Food Science and Nutrition*, pp.1-15.

Full paper publications in proceedings

- Samaraweera, A.M., Abesinghe, A.M.N.L., Cyril, H.W., and de Silva, A. (2013). Preliminary Study on Attitudes, Knowledge and Practices (KAP) of Villagers Towards Conservation of Crocodiles (*Crocodylus palustris*) in Ethimale Tank of Uva Province. Paper presented at the proceeding of "World Crocodile Conference & 22nd Working Meeting of the Crocodile Specialist Group of the Species Survival Commission of the IUCN. pp 255-256.
- Wijayasekara, K.N., Abesinghe A.M.N.L. and Samarasekara, C.P. (2013). Effect of incorporating Kithul (*Caryota urens*) flour on stabilizing ability and sensory properties of set-type yoghurt. Annual Symposium of Minor Export Crops (B. Marambe, Editor), Volume 2, pp 167, 12-13 September. Peradeniya, Sri Lanka.
- Wickramasuriya, S.S., Abesinghe A.M.N.L., Pathirana, N. and Weerakoon, A. (2013). Development of novelty water ice using locally available spices. Annual Symposium of Minor Export Crops (B. Marambe, Editor), Volume 2, pp 181, 12-13 September. Peradeniya, Sri Lanka.
- Ranasinghe, M. K., Mudannayake, D. C., Abesinghe, A.M.N.L., Rupasinghe, L. (2013). Development of a stirred yoghurt rippled with cooking chocolate syrup. Annual Symposium of Minor Export Crops (B. Marambe, Editor), Volume 2, pp 150, 12-13. September. Peradeniya, Sri Lanka.
- Abesinghe A.M.N.L., Vidanarachchi, J. K. and Silva, K. F. S. T. (2012). The Effect of Arrowroot (*Maranta arundinacea*) Extracts on the Survival of Probiotic Bacteria in Set Yoghurt. *International Journal of Scientific and Research Publications* (on line), Volume 2, Issue 5. www.ijsrp.org.

Peer reviewed Extended Abstracts, Abstracts and conference Publications (2025-2015)

- D.A.N. Lakmini, A.G.C.K.M. Harold, A.M.N.L. Abesinghe and W.A.J.P. Wijesinghe (2025). Effects of stabilizing agents and shear homogenization on the emulsion stability of creamed coconut . Abstract presented at the proceedings of National Symposium on Agriculture and Life Sciences, NSALS '25, pp 182.
- L.D. Oshadee, R.M.S. Gunathilaka and A.M.N.L. Abesinghe (2025). Effect of fat content of raw cow milk on physicochemical and functional properties of mozzarella cheese. Abstract presented at the proceedings of National Symposium on Agriculture and Life Sciences, NSALS '25, pp 185.
- Balasooriya, K.G.B.B.H., Dissanayake, D.M.K.S., Mudannayake, D.C. and Abesinghe, A.M.N.L. (2024). Viability of microencapsulated Streptococcs thermophiles STI-15 in stressed conditions with ultrasound treated soy protein isolate as wall material. Abstract presented at the proceedings of National Symposium on Agriculture and Life Sciences, NSALS '24, pp 44.
- Keshani, K.H.L., Abesinghe, A.M.N.L. and Mudannayake, D.C.(2024). Development of probiotic ice cream; Viability of probiotic bacteria (*Lactobacillus acidophilus*, *Bifidobacterium* spp. and *Streptococcus thermophilus*) during frozen storage, Abstract presented at the proceedings of National Symposium on Agriculture and Life Sciences, NSALS '24, pp 110.
- Lakshika, N.A.I., Udayanga, T.G.T. and Abesinghe, A.M.N.L. (2024). Formulation of coconut milk based frozen dessert with desirable physicochemical and sensory properties, Abstract presented at the proceedings of National Symposium on Agriculture and Life Sciences, NSALS '24, pp 116.

- Blasooriya, K.G.B.B.H., Mudannayake, D.C. and Abesinghe A.M.N.L. (2023). Effect of power ultrasound on soy protein isolate wall material in microencapsulation of *Streptococcus thermophilus* STI – 15, Abstract presented at the proceedings of 7th International Research Conference of Uva Wellassa University, IRCUWU 2023, pp 169.
- Chathurangika, W.A.S., Dissanayake, D.M.K.S., Abesinghe, A.M.N.L. and Mudannayake, D.C. (2023). Effect of microencapsulation of *Streptococcus thermophilus* STI – 15 in soy protein isolate–inulin matrix on their viability, Abstract presented at the proceedings of 7th International Research Conference of Uva Wellassa University, IRCUWU 2023, pp 172.
- Priyanga, S., Dissanayake, D.M.I.N. and Abesinghe, A.M.N.L. (2022). Optimization of composition and physicochemical properties of *soursop* (*Annona muricata* L.) incorporated ice cream. Abstract presented at the proceedings of 6th International Research Conference of Uva Wellassa University, IRCUWU 2022, pp 180.
- Kuneshwaran, S., Abesinghe, A.M.N.L. and Vidanarachchi, J.K. (2022). Effect of ultrasound pretreatment on the growth of yoghurt starter culture containing *Bifidobacterium* spp. Abstract presented at the proceedings of 6th International Research Conference of Uva Wellassa University, IRCUWU 2022, pp 181.
- Hanouf, M.H.M., Rathnayaka, S.D. and Abesinghe, A.M.N.L. (2021). Analysis of Consumption Patterns of Probiotic Incorporated Fermented Dairy Products in Sri Lanka. Abstract presented at the proceedings of 5th International Research Conference of Uva Wellassa University, IRCUWU 2021, pp 39.
- Chandrasekara, T.K.V.V., Surendra, .A.I.H.W. and Abesinghe, A.M.N.L. (2021). Effect of Gamma-Irradiation on Microbiological and Physiochemical Properties of Ceylon Cinnamon (*Cinnamomum zeylanicum*) Powder. Abstract presented at the proceedings of 5th International Research Conference of Uva Wellassa University, IRCUWU 2021, pp 41.
- Abesinghe, A.M.N.L., Islam, N., Prakash, S., Vidanarachchi, J.K., Silva, K.F.S.T. and Karim, M.A (2018). Effects of ultrasound on the emulsion stability and gel properties of buffalo (*Bubalus bubalis*) milk, Abstract presented at the European Federation of Food Science and Technology (EFFoST) conference, Nantes, France.
- Kahandawa, K.P.W., Abesinghe, A.M.N.L., Samaraweera, A.M and Dissanayake, J.K. (2015). Effect of different aerobic and anoxic time periods on the effluent water quality of a sequence batch reactor in a meat processing plant. Extended abstract presented at the proceedings of the research symposium of Uva Wellassa University, Badulla, pp 01-03.
- Kulasinghe, W.M.A.A., Abesinghe, A.M.N.L. and Gunawardhane, L.K.A. (2015). Development of Avocado (*Persea americana*) Incorporated Set Yoghurt. Extended abstract presented at the proceedings of research symposium of Uva Wellassa University, Badulla, pp 04-06.
- Mendis, R.I.W., Abesinghe, A.M.N.L., Samaraweera, A.M. and Gunawardhane, L.K.A. (2015). Development of drinking yoghurt by incorporating corn (*Zea mays*) milk and corn seeds. Extended abstract presented at the proceedings of research symposium of Uva Wellassa University, Badulla, pp 10-12.

- Wijethilaka, W.G.R.I., Samaraweera, A.M. and Abesinghe, A.M.N.L. (2015). A Study on Crocodile Behaviour (*Crocodylus palustris*) and Public Value Orientation in Ethimale of Monaragala District. Extended abstract presented at the proceedings of research symposium of Uva Wellassa University, Badulla, pp 37-39.
- Awanthika, H.K.T., Abesinghe, A.M.N.L. and De Silva, U. (2015). Development of Finger millet (*Eleusine coracana*) incorporated symbiotic drinking yoghurt. Extended abstract presented at the proceedings of research symposium of Uva Wellassa University, Badulla, pp 49-52.
- Buddhadasa, K, Abesinghe, A.M.N.L. and Luxman, R.A.J.N. (2015). Development of Soursop pulp (*Annona muricata*) incorporated fermented sweet cream buttermilk beverage. Extended abstract presented at the proceedings of research symposium of Uva Wellassa University, Badulla, pp 53-56.
- Nanayakkara, G.H., Abesinghe, A.M.N.L. and De Silva, U. (2015). Development of fruit (*Musa* spp.) puree incorporated synbiotic stirred yoghurt. Extended abstract presented at the proceedings of research symposium of Uva Wellasss University, Badulla, pp 57-60.

AWARDS

- Winner of the “Most Innovative Product” of Pro Food-Pro Pack Exhibition in 2024.
- Best paper award-Agricultural Microbiology & Biotechnology track, National Symposium on Agriculture & Life Sciences (NSALS'24), Uva Wellassa University.
- Best paper award-Food Science & Bioprocesses Technical Session, International Research Conference of Uva Wellassa University (IRCUWU'23).
- UWU Research Award for the year 2021 for a full Full article published in a Refereed Indexed Journal.
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- A.S.B. Rajaguru Memorial Gold Medal for “Best performances in Animal Science majoring module”, Faculty of Agriculture, University of Peradeniya, Sri Lanka.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- Member of the Teaching Panel of Board of Study Animal Science, Postgraduate Institute of Agriculture (PGIA), University of Peradeniya, Peradeniya, Sri Lanka (20021– Up-to-date). Subject offered: Dairy Engineering and Technology of Milk Products.
- Undergraduate courses on Dairy Product Technology & Value Addition Dairy Chemistry, Hygienic Milk Production, New Product Development, Animal Product Processing Technology, Farm Animal Anatomy and physiology, Animal Waste Handling & Utilization, HACCP, Quality Standards & Accreditation.

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

- Member of the Supervisory committee recommended by the Board of Study in Food Science & Technology, PGIA for the M.Phil degree of Ms. D.M.K.S. Dissanayake commenced from 20.03.2024.
 - Full-time Researcher, Queensland University of Technology, 2016–2020 Managed and organized a research project on the Effects of ultrasound on homogenization and fermentation kinetics of buffalo's milk.
- Supervised more than 40 undergraduate research projects in Uva Wellassa University. University of Peradeniya, University of Jaffna and Sri Lanka Institute of Information Technology during the periods of 2012-to date under various subject topics related to Dairy science, Fermentation technology and Non-thermal methods of food processing such as ultrasound.

INTERNSHIPS

- Inplant trainee at MILCO (Pvt) Ltd., Digana, Sri Lanka for one month period.

DIPLOMA/CIRTFIFICATE COURSES

- Certificate course on “Teaching in Higher Education” offered by Staff Development Center, Uva Wellassa University of Sri Lanka (150 hours), 2014.

GRANTS AND FELLOWSHIPS

- Competitive Research Grant for M.Phil Research and Grant Award, Uva Wellassa University for Enhancing the viability of *Lactobacillus rhamnosus* GG through microencapsulation of ultrasound treated wall material and development of probiotic beverage worth 2.06 Million rupees.
- University Capital Grant- Uva Wellassa University 2024: Research grant has been recieved worth 500,000 LKR for the project "Development of waffle cone utilizing composite flour blends from selected food resources in Sri Lanka"
University Capital Grant-Uva Wellassa University 2021: A short term research grant has been recieved worth 50,000 LKR for the project "Effects of ultrasound treatment on the growth of *Bifidobacterium* spp."
- UGC Grant 2016-A research grant was received from the University Grant Commision of Sri Lanka worth 3,095,780.00 LKR or the project "Investigation into the effects of process variables on the yield and physicochemical properties of spray dried milk powder" for 03 years period. A research grant was received from the National Agricultural Research Plan of Sri Lanka in 2011 worth 150,000 LKR for the project “Development of a synbiotic yoghurt by incorporating cold water extract of *Dioscorea alata* (Raja ala) with the combination of probiotic bacteria” (NARP/11/UWU/ASE/01).
- UWU research grant 2012: worth of Rs. 100,000 LKR for the project “Determination of optimum citric acid concentration and pressing weight for marinated ready to cook paneer with maximum organoleptic properties”.
- UWU research grant 2010/2011: worth of 30,000 LKR for the project “Determination of optimum citric acid concentration and pressing weight for marinated ready to cook paneer with maximum organoleptic properties”.

WORKSHOPS AND TRAINING PROGRAMS

- 2018: “Biosafety Training Online” organized by Queensland University of Technology, Australia (05 h). 2016 (Nov): “Laboratory Induction” organized by Queensland University of Technology, Australia (08 h). 2016 (Nov): “Health, Safety and Environment Induction” organized by Queensland University of Technology, Australia (06 h).
- 2016 (Oct): “General Evacuation” organized by Queensland University of Technology, Australia (05 h). 2016 (Sep): “Research Ethics, Integrity and Safety at QUT, Module I and II” Queensland University of Technology, Australia (10 h).
- 2016 (July): Workshop on “Advance Information Research Skills” organized by the library, Queensland University of Technology, Australia (12 hr). 2015: Workshop on curriculum development for external degree programme organized by Uva Wellassa University of Sri Lanka (02 days).
- 2013: Short Course on sampling techniques, survey design and analysis conducted by Postgraduate Institute of Agriculture, Peradeniya (03 days) 2013: Short Course on multivariate data analysis conducted by Postgraduate Institute of Agriculture, Peradeniya (03 days).
- 2013: World crocodile conference & 22nd working meeting of the IUCN-SSC crocodile specialist group, Nigambo, Sri Lanka (01 day).
- 2013: Workshop on laboratory animal science organized by Sri Lanka Association for Laboratory Animal Science and Medical Research Institute (03 days).
- 2013: Workshop on “Presenting Research Work at Scientific Forums” organized by Young Scientist Forum, National Science & Technology Commission (01 day).
- 2013: Workshop on Carrier Guidance organized by Staff Development Centre, Uva Wellassa University of Sri Lanka. 2013: Workshop on Academic Guidelines & Ethics organized by Uva Wellassa University of Sri Lanka (02 day).
- 2013 Participate to a day Workshop on “Presenting Research Work at Scientific Forums” organized by Young Scientist Forum, National Science & Technology Commission (01 day).
- 2013: Workshop on “Disciplinary Procedures of University Teachers” Conducted by Uva Wellassa University of Sri Lanka (01 day).
- 2013: Workshop on “Quality Assurance in Higher Education” conducted by Staff Development Center, Uva Wellassa University of Sri Lanka (01 day).
- 2013: Public seminar on “Dissemination of the Latest Research Findings on the Dairy Sector” organized by SLCARP at Uva Management Development Center, Sri Lanka.

REVIEWING MANUSCRIPTS/GRANT PROPOSALS

- Reviewer (2024- to date) - International Journal of Dairy Technology, Online ISSN:1471-0307
- Reviewed abstracts of IRCWUWU'2020, 2021, 2022, 2023 and 2023 held at Uva Wellassa University, Badulla.
- Reviewing abstract for International Conference on Multidisciplinary Approaches (iCMA 2023), University of Sri Jayewardenepura.
- Reviewing abstracts for National Symposium of Agriculture and Life Sciences- NSALS '24 and NSALS '25.
- Reviewer of research proposals of UWU Research Grants in 2022.
- Reviewer for the International Conference on Dry Zone Agriculture 2021 and 2022, University of Jaffna.
- Reviewer for the International Symposium on Agriculture and Environment (ISAE 2021), University of Ruhuna.
- Reviewer for two MPhil proposal , Faculty of Graduate Studies, University of Sri Jayewardenepura.
- Reviewer for Journal of Agriculture and Value Addition (JAVA), Uva Wellassa University.

COMMUNITY SERVICE

- Served as a Resource Person in the training workshop on Food Dehydration Techniques organized by Department of Food Science & Technology, Uva Wellassa University in collaboration with CDLG Project of United Nations Development Programme with the funding of Eropian Union on February 13-14, 2024.
- Served as a Resource Person in the training workshop on “How to Become an Exporter in Agri-food Business” organized by the Department of Food Science & Technology, Faculty of Animal Science & Export Agriculture in collaboration of DevPro Guarantee Ltd. In Sri Lanka on December 06, 07 & 08, 2023.
- Served as a Resource Person in the online workshop on “Training of Trainers on Good Dairy Management Practices” organized by Uva Agriculture Development Forum, UWU in collaboration with OXFAM in Sri Lanka on July 22, 26 & 27, 2021 and August 4, 9 & 10, 2021.
- Served as a Resource Person for six day workshop on “Bio-system Technology for A/L Students in Uva Province” organized by Uva Agriculture Development Forum of Uva Wellassa University in Collaboration with Provincial Department of Education- Uva , on 19th & 20th March and 2nd, 3rd, 9th & 10th April 2016.
- Served as a Resource Person for two-day workshop on “Bio-system Technology for A/L Students in Uva Province” organized by Uva Agriculture Development Forum of Uva Wellassa University in Collaboration with Provincial Department of Education- Uva , on 13th and 14th June 2015.

- Served as a Resource Person for the three- day workshop on “Bio System Technology for A/L Students in Uva Province” organized by Uva Agriculture Development Forum of Uva Wellassa University in Collaboration with Provincial Department of Education- Uva, on 3th, 10th and 11th October, 2015.
- Appointed as a member of the project team to develop a project proposal prepared through multi-sector approach for Uva Provincial Council in 2013

EXTRA ACTIVITIES PERFORM IN THE UNIVERSITY

- Programme Coordinator for Bachelor of Science in Animal and Crop Production (External) from 2022-2024.
- Track coordinator of Food Technology & Bioprocesses, IRCUWU 2022 and 2023.
- Reviewer for Ethical clearance committee of Uva Wellassa University. Senior Editor for English Circle of Department of Animal Science. Executive committee member/ANS Health Society (2022).
- Chairmen of Technical Evaluation Committee 2022 and 2023/ Department of Animal Science. Member of Board of study in External Degree Programmes and Extension Courses.
- Coordinator of Dairy Forum 2021
- Member of Faculty Higher Degree Committee Member of Board of External Degrees & Extension Courses Member of the Faculty Board, Faculty of Animal Science & Export Agriculture.

ASSIGNMENTS UNDERTAKEN AT NATIONAL LEVEL

- Appointing as a Member of the Resource Pool of Expertise for Research Review and Research Roadmap Development by Research & innovation Center, Ministry of Education, Sri Lanka from 2024 to date.
- I have provided my expertise as Dairy Scientist in the project titled “Developing the case study on Drought Resilient Dairy Farming in Moneragala District, Sri Lanka” which was funded by OXFAM, Sri Lanka under the Enhancing Gender Inclusive Socio- Economic Development in Uva and Central Provinces (EGSD) Project. It paved the way for informed decision-making at the national level to enhance milk production in similar dry zones across the country.
- Contributed my expertise as a Dairy Scientist in this technical discussion hosted by the Agricultural Sectorial committee of Sri Lanka Standard Institution (SLSI) for drafting Sri Lanka Standard for raw milk on 7th August 2023.

REFERENCES

- Prof. Azharul Karim, Associate Professor/Leader (Energy & Drying Research Group), Senior Lecturer, Science and Engineering Faculty, Queensland University of Technology. 2 George St., Brisbane QLD 4000. Australia.
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- Prof. Janak K. Vidanarachchi, Senior Lecturer, Department of Animal Science, Faculty of Agriculture, University of Peradeniya, Peradeniya, Sri Lanka.
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I hereby certify that the above-mentioned details are true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

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