

EDITORIAL

The Journal of Nutrition and Food Sciences (J. Nut. Food Sci.) is the official peer-reviewed publication of the Nutrition Society of Sri Lanka. We are pleased to launch the journal at the time the Nutrition Society of Sri Lanka celebrates its fiftieth anniversary. The journal also sets a record becoming the first ever periodical originated in Sri Lanka that publishes scholarly work in nutrition or food science.

A surge of research in the fields of nutrition and food science was observed in the recent past in Sri Lanka as well as in rest of the Asia. However, there has not been many dedicated journals that publish both nutrition and food science related research outcomes. The Journal of Nutrition and Food Sciences was initiated to set a platform for researchers to publish research output in nutrition and food science and to stimulate research across diverse areas of nutrition, food science and technology.

The journal is happy to consider high quality manuscripts for publication that focus on applied food and nutrition research. Original research, review articles, short communications, case reports and case series in nutritional and food sciences and allied fields are considered for publication in the journal. The journal will initially be published twice a year online and subsequently the frequency of publishing can be increased depending on the demand.

As editors-in-chief, we wish to acknowledge the authors for their contribution and the reviewers for sparing time in evaluating the manuscripts. We also thank the office bearers and members of The Nutrition Society of Sri Lanka for providing us the opportunity to prepare the journal and assisting us in numerous ways. It is our fervent hope that we will be able to emerge as a journal of high quality that disseminate knowledge in nutrition and food science.

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