



**Ministry of Buddhasasana, Religious and Cultural Affairs**  
**Department of Archaeology**

**VACANCY**

Applications are invited from qualified professionals for appointment to the Post of Director General that is vacant at the Department of Archaeology under the Ministry of Buddhasasana, Religious and Cultural Affairs.

<b>Name of Post</b>	<b>Director General of Archaeology</b>
<b>Service Period</b>	For two (02) years from the date of Appointment
<b>Salary Scale</b>	88000-12x2700-120400 (As per P.A. Circular No. 3/2016 – SL 03-2016)
<b>Age Limit</b>	Should be not more than 55 years

**Educational Qualifications, Experience and other Qualifications**

01. (a) Should have obtained a Bachelor's degree in Archaeology (Special) / Heritage Management from a university recognized by the University Grants Commission and a Postgraduate degree  
and  
Should have twenty years (20) experience in a management level post in a government corporation or university after obtaining the degree and out of that 05 years should be in a senior management level post  
Or  
(b) Should have obtained a Doctorate in the relevant field with a degree in above subjects and having experience as an officer with an excellent service record of at least five (05) years in Government, Government Corporation, Statutory Board or University in Senior Management level
02. Every applicant should be a citizen of Sri Lanka
03. Should be physically and mentally fit to discharge the duties entrusted to the post
04. Applicant should bear an excellent moral character

**Method of Recruitment**

- A suitable person will be selected through a structured interview out of the applicants.

**Others:**

- The selected applicant will be entitled to the allowances and benefits approved relevant to the post of Director General of Archaeology relevant to the period of holding office.
- Applications from applicants in government, government corporation, statutory boards or universities should be forwarded with the consent of the head of the institution to release the applicant from service if selected to the post.

Interested applicants should self prepare a Curriculum Vitae (CV) along with the copies of the documents to prove the qualifications should send the application only by registered post addressed to "**Secretary, Ministry of Buddhasasana, Religious and Cultural Affairs, No. 135, Anagarika Dharmapala Mawatha, Colombo 07**" to receive before **12.12.2023**. The caption "**Application for the Post of Director General of Archaeology**" should be mentioned on the left-hand top corner of the envelope containing the application.

**Secretary**

**Ministry of Buddhasasana, Religious and Cultural Affairs**  
**No. 135, Anagarika Dharmapala Mawatha, Colombo 07**