

University of Kelaniya – Sri Lanka

Centre for Distance & Continuing Education

Bachelor of Arts (General) Degree Second Examination (External) - 2012 March - May 2015

Faculty of Social Sciences

ARCHAEOLOGY

Art History - ARCH- E2015

Answer only five (05) questions

No. of questions: 08

Time: 03 Hours

- 01. How far does the studying of ancient art important for an archaeologist? Discuss.
- 02. Describe the major art traditions identified in Sri Lanka.
- 03. Explain the significant features in standing and seating Buddha images in Anuradhapura period with relevant examples.
- 04. Explain the methodology can be followed in identification and dating of a moonstone found at archaeological site.
- 05. Give an analysis on content and style of Ajantha paintings.
- 06. Critically analyse the sculptures at Sanchi and Bharhut.
- 07. Explaining the content of paintings at Degaldoruwa and Medawela and examine the importance of those sites for studying paintings in Kandy period.
- 08. Describe the significance and give details on wood carving at Ambekke.
