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Current Position: Secretary
Ministry of Irrigation and Water Resources Management

- 1972 - 1976 University of Sri Lanka, Peradeniya Campus
- B.Sc. in Civil Engineering, University of Peradeniya, Sri Lanka
 - M.Sc. in Engineering Science in the University of New South Wales, Australia in 1993.
- 1992 - 1993 University of New South Wales, Australia
- Studied for Master of Engineering, specializing in Construction Management and Hydrology at the University of New South Wales, Australia.
 - Thesis on productivity measurement in Construction Industry

Professional Qualifications

- Chartered Engineer, Institution of Civil Engineers, UK
- Member of Institution of Engineers, Sri Lanka

Working Experience

- Jan 2009 to date Secretary to the Ministry of Irrigation & Water Management, Sri Lanka
- May 2006 to Jan 2009 Director General, Mahaweli Authority of Sri Lanka
- Nov. 1997 to Apr. 2006 Contracts Engineer, EcoWater Soljutions, Waitakere City Council
- Sep. 1993 to Oct. 1997 Deputy Director, Department of Irrigation in Sri Lanka
- May 1976 to Jan. 1992 Irrigation Engineer & Chief Engineer, Major Construction Department of Irrigation, Sri Lanka