

UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH AWARD FOR MARKETABLE INNOVATION 2026 CALLING FOR APPLICATIONS

The University Business Linkage of Faculty of Allied Health Sciences (UBL-FAHS), University of Jaffna has planned to award undergraduate research for marketable innovation in each discipline of the faculty annually.

The UBL-FAHS aims to recognize and reward undergraduate research with marketable innovation in the field of Medical Laboratory Sciences (MLS), Nursing, Pharmacy and Sports Science. The UBL-FAHS strongly believes in the importance of recognizing and appreciating young researchers with ideas in marketable innovation.

Eligibility criteria

- The applicant should have completed the degree programme on the date of application.
- The date of application should be within one year of final year dissertation submission to the department.
- Each applicant is eligible to apply for the award only once.
- The research should consist of a marketable innovation or prototype

Mode of application

- Applicants are instructed to send the pdf of filled application form along with the research summary form to the email of UBL-FAHS before the deadline.
- The application form and the research summary form is available at the faculty website.
- Link : <https://ahs.jfn.ac.lk/index.php/ubl-2>
- Deadline for application : 07th December, 2025
- For further clarifications visit <https://ahs.jfn.ac.lk/index.php/ubl-2>

Evaluation

Candidates will be requested to present their work in front of the panel of evaluators for evaluation.

Following components will be evaluated.

1. Strength of the study

- Problem identification
- Justification
- Methodology
- Validity
- Study outcomes

2. Marketability

- Targeted organizations / buyers
- Benefits for the organizations / society
- Market demand
- Marketing plan
- Patent

Presentation of award

Research which scores the highest in each discipline will be announced as the awardee. The awardee and corresponding research supervisors will be awarded with a valuable certificate.

