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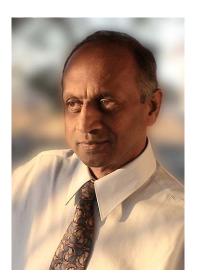
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Education

1970 B.S. Mechanical Engineering, University of Ceylon, Sri Lanka
 1985 M.S. Environmental Engineering, Drexel University, PA
 1988 Ph.D. Environmental Engineering, Drexel University, PA



Professional Experience

Current John Clark Professor of Environmental Engineering, NMSU
1998-2004 Professor, NMSU
1989-1998 Associate Professor, NMSU
1988-1989 Post-Doc, Vanderbilt University
1970-1983 Various water/power turn-key engineering projects in Sri Lanka

Primary Research Interests

Biohydrogen production from solid organic wastes; solar desalination; adaptive dynamic assessment of student's problem solving skill; produced water treatment; renewable energy engineering; process modeling and simulation

<u>Professional Activities and Honors (last 6 years)</u>

Frank Bromilow Outstanding Research Award
 Award for Creative Scholarly Activity from University Research Council
 John W. Clark Professorship
 Publication of over 60 journal articles, one textbook, and a CD-ROM set