



British High Commission Colombo

Political Adviser

To lead and deliver political analysis, reporting, and engagement in support of the High Commission's Political team. This will require analysis and reporting of developments and trends in Sri Lankan politics. A similar approach needs to be taken to build on the High Commission's network with a broad range of political contacts. In addition, plan and deliver the High Commission's engagement with provinces outside Colombo.

Key requirements:

1. Skills and Abilities -

- In depth knowledge and understanding of Sri Lankan politics, history, and culture.
- An established network of political contacts in Sri Lanka.
- Proven skills in building and managing a network of contacts, political analysis and reporting.
- Confidence to express ideas clearly and succinctly, both orally and in writing.
- A Bachelor's degree.
- Excellent interpersonal, communication and team working skills.

2. Language Proficiency -

- Fluent written and spoken English and fluent Sinhala required (this will be tested at the interview).
- Tamil would be an advantage.

- Applications close on 29th January 2023 -

For job specification, application link and further details, please visit our website

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