

Reviewer Profile

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Quality Assurance-related Workshops attended:

Workshop on

- Workshop on University Governance, Autonomy and Accountability: Issues and Directions for Change (03 Sept 2015)
 Organized by University of Colombo and held at SLFI.
- Quality Assurance workshop for distance education and on-line programmes (23 24 June 2009) organized by the
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