TRINCOMALEE CAMPUS, EASTERN UNIVERSITY, SRI LANKA

DIPLOMA IN TOURISM AND HOSPITALITY MANAGEMENT (DTHM)

INTAKE 1 (2026/2027)

WELCOME TO THE DIPLOMA IN TOURISM AND HOSPITALITY MANAGEMENT
A dynamic and industry-focused diploma designed to prepare you for an exciting career in one of the world's fastest-growing sectors. The programme combines theoretical knowledge with practical skills and real-world insights.

ABOUT US

The Trincomalee Campus is a higher educational institution that functions under the Eastern University of Sri Lanka, located between the North-East coastal belt and the Nilaveli Road. The Campus has the potential to excel as a world-class university, developing its strength in teaching, learning and research.

PROGRAMME DESCRIPTION

This diploma equips students with essential competencies in customer service, event planning, travel operations, hotel and restaurant management, marketing, and sustainable tourism practices. Students also develop communication, cultural awareness, leadership and problem-solving skills.

- Understand the scope of tourism and hospitality management.
- Master professional skills needed for leisure and tourism careers and gain specialized knowledge.
- Develop competent graduates capable of undertaking leading roles in the tourism and hospitality sector.

DURATION	MODE	CLASSES	MEDIUM	COMMENCEMENT
12 MONTHS	Physical / Online	Saturday & Sunday	English	November 2026

COURSE CONTENTS

1st Year – 1st Semester (15 Credits)

- DTHM 1013 Principles of Management
- DTHM 1023 Tourism & Leisure Management
- DTHM 1033 Information and Communication Technology
- DTHM 1043 Tourism Economics
- DTHM 1053 Sustainability and Global Citizenship

1st Year – 2nd Semester (15 Credits)

- DTHM 1063 Tourism Marketing
- DTHM 1073 Human Resource Management in Tourism
- DTHM 1083 Tourism and Leisure Information Systems
- DTHM 1093 Resource, Recreation and Tourism
- DTHM 1103 Hospitality Operation Management

INVESTMENT

Registration Fee:	Rs. 2,000
Course Fee:	Rs. 40,000
Examination Fee (Proper):	Rs. 15,000
Library Fee (Non-Refundable):	Rs. 1,000
Certificate Awarding Fee:	Rs. 2,000
TOTAL INVESTMENT:	**Rs. 60,000**

ADMISSION CRITERIA

1. Successful completion of G.C.E. (Advanced Level) or an equivalent qualification.
2. A foundation course equivalent to SLQF Level 2 after a minimum of 12 years of schooling followed by passing an aptitude test.
3. Completion of NVQF Level 4 or accredited work experience/accredited prior learning followed by a corresponding cognitive bridging programme of minimum 30 credits, as determined by the academic authority of the HEI concerned, may also be considered equivalent for admission to SLQF Level 3 in a particular field of specialization.

Eligible candidates will be selected through an interview of applications.

APPLICATION

Application Fee: Rs. 1,000.00
Account No: 0002367029
Bank: Bank of Ceylon
Payable to: Assistant Bursar, Trincomalee Campus
Narration: "Application fees-DTHM"
Closing Date: 02nd November 2026

SEND APPLICATIONS TO / FOR FURTHER INFORMATION

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