

Tertiary and Vocational Education Commission
(Ministry of Education, Higher Education and Vocational Education)

**Calling Proposals for Research
on TVET Sector - 2025**

The Tertiary and Vocational Education Commission (TVEC) promotes TVET research and projects for the sector's improvement and advancement. The TVEC Research Cell is now accepting research proposals from prospective researchers for the year 2025. The proposed research should be system-based, project-based, or technology-based, and should cover one of the following areas:

- Training delivery
Providing training to learners through various channels and formats, such as classroom training, virtual instructor-led training (VILT), eLearning, and on-the-job training.
- Tracer studies
- Dropouts

Eligibility for submission of proposals

Firms/institutions and parties that are professionally and technically competent in conducting the research could submit their proposals to the TVEC. Interested parties in the TVET sector should submit the proposals through the heads of the institutions in the prescribed format given below.

1. Title of the Research
2. Brief description of the Research
3. Problem/ issue (Should be significant and common to the TVET sector)
4. Objectives of the Research
5. Significance of the Research
6. Framework/ Methodology to be carried out
(Sample selection method and analytical methods should be clearly specified)
7. Budget estimate (For projects, the budget should include its implementation component as well and Timeline (Maximum time duration for the research/ Project should be 06 months and the maximum budget allocation for the research/ project is Rs. 300,000)
8. Details of the researcher viz qualifications, experience, and previous research studies
9. The proposal should be a maximum of 1250 words
10. The researcher/team should be conversant in scientifically conducting research with fair knowledge of statistical computations if required

[Template of the Proposal.pdf](#)

Please forward your proposals as per the format above and reach the same to the Director (Planning & Research) of the TVEC on or before 15th of May 2025. Your proposals will be evaluated by the research monitoring and evaluation subcommittee of TVEC. For further information, please contact Mr. Nadeesh De Silva, Assistant Director, Planning and Research, TVEC. (072-0660800) (e-mail: nadeesh@tvec.gov.lk).

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Title of the Research

1. Introduction

1.1 Background

1.2 Literature Review

1.3 Research Gap

2. Research Problem

3. Research Objectives

4. Methodology

5. Activity Plan

Example:

Activity	Month					
	1	2	3	4	5	6
Proposal writing						
Development of questionnaire						
Data collection						
Data analysis						
Report writing and proof reading						
Submission of draft report						
Submission of final report						

6. Budget

Example:

Activity	Amount (LKR)
1. Literature review and proposal writing	
2. Data collection	

Activity	Amount (LKR)
3. Data cleaning and analysis	
4. Report writing and proof reading	
5. Printing and binding	
6. Contingency	
Projected Total	

7. References