



Trinity College, Kandy

Class of 1993 Alumni Seminar



Attending University in the USA

Date & Time: Friday July 6, 2018, 9:45am-12:30pm

Location: Main Hall, Trinity College, Kandy

Attendees: Interested Trinity students (grade 11 and above) and interested Trinity staff are welcome

Organizers: Aruna Ranaweera '93 & Denis Madasekera (Trinity Careers & Higher Education Coordinator)

Description: In conjunction with the 25th reunion of the Trinity College Class of 1993, three North America-based Trinity alumni will provide an overview of the US university system and discuss how to approach US university admission. These alumni will convey their own experiences attending university in the US (academics and undergraduate campus life) and subsequent career path (decisions).

Equipment: Handouts will be provided for the first 200 attendees. Please bring pen & paper to take notes.

Schedule:

Time	Topic	Presenter
9:50am-10:10am	Welcome & Overview of the US University System	Aruna Ranaweera '93
10:10am-11:10am	Case Studies: My Path from Trinity to the USA	Aruna Ranaweera '93 , San Francisco, CA <i>Founder/Entrepreneur</i> <i>Former Assoc. Director of Design Engineering, Stryker corp. [medical devices]</i> <i>PhD, University of California, Santa Barbara</i> <i>BSE, Princeton University</i>
		Senake Gajamera '93 , Mexico City, Mexico <i>Vice President, ENGIE corp. [energy financing]</i> <i>MA, Johns Hopkins University</i> <i>BA, Middlebury College</i>
		Sumedha de Silva '93 , Washington, DC <i>Chief Operating Officer, Inspection Experts Inc. [environmental services]</i> <i>MS, Miami University (Ohio)</i> <i>BA, Denison University</i>
11:10am-11:25am	Break	
11:25am-11:50am	How to Approach US University Admission	Aruna Ranaweera '93
11:50am-12:30pm	Questions & Answers	All presenters will be available for Q&A

Questions/Suggestions/Requests: Contact Denis Madasekera (chec@trinitycollege.lk)