

# Shani Rajendra, Research Analyst

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## Overview of expertise

Shani is part of the Clear Horizon Sustainable Futures team. Shani has contributed to achieving sustainable outcomes across corporate, public and not for profit sectors in research, evaluation and reporting capacities. Having recently completed a Master of Environmental Management and Development, Shani is proficient in mixed methods methodologies and continues to research environmental governance for the Crawford School of Public Policy at the Australian National University.

## Qualifications and training

2018 Master of Environmental Management and Development, Australian National University

2015 Bachelor of Environments, University of Melbourne

2015 Universitas 21 Diploma in Global Issues, University of Melbourne

## Project experience

### Evaluation

- VEOHRC Education Charter Project Interim Evaluation (2018-ongoing).
- Horticulture Innovation Australia Midterm Review (2018-ongoing).
- DEDJTR Music Works Final Evaluation (2018-ongoing).
- Moral Fairground ISO 20121 Internal Audit (2016).
- MAS Fabrics Cluster Waste Mapping Analysis (2012).

### Research and Project Design

- Federal Department of Health foreign Indigenous health policy review – project design, analysis and reporting (2017).
- Cape York Partnerships Reef Restoration Project, contingent valuation – project design, analysis and reporting (2017).
- Unilever Sri Lanka 2015 Annual Sustainable Living Report – data collation and analysis (2016).
- Global Compact Network Ceylon Business Engagement – workshopping with United Nations Global Compact Country Representative and presentation design for engaging businesses (2014).

### Facilitation

- Moral Fairground ISO20121 External Audit by Bureau Veritas (2016).
- Global Compact Network Ceylon Sustainability Knowledge Hub: 'Emerging Economies Leapfrogging on Sustainability' – supported the delivery of Knowledge Hub (2013).
- Assisted teaching in Theory of Knowledge at The British School of Colombo in Sri Lanka (2012).

## **Positions held**

2018 – Present Research Analyst, Clear Horizon

2017 – Present Research Assistant, Crawford School of Public Policy, Australian National University

2015 – Present Sustainability Consultant (formerly ISO Accreditations Coordinator), Moral Fairground

2016 Sustainable Business and Communications Intern, Unilever Sri Lanka

2014 Intern, Global Compact Network Ceylon

2012 Corporate Sustainability Intern, MAS Active Trading (PVT) Limited

## **Academic publications**

Rajendra, S 2017, 'Overcoming Open Waste Dumping Practices in Sri Lanka', Solutions Journal, vol. 8, no. 3, viewed 5 December 2017

<https://www.thesolutionsjournal.com/article/overcoming-open-waste-dumping-practices-sri-lanka/>