

National HR Conference 2009



IPM President Lalith Wijetunge presents the special leadership award for bravery and gallantry to Major General Jagath Dias

The National HR Conference 2009 and HR service providers' exhibition organized by the Institute of Personnel Management Sri Lanka (IPM) concluded last week attracting a large number of participants.

The Chief Guest and keynote speaker of the Conference was National President and Chairman of the Australian Human Resource Institute Peter Wilson. Eminent speakers Prof Julian Birkinshaw and Prof. Rowan Gibson also made presentations at the Conference.

"The Great HR Debate" which was the talk of the town for the past three months or so, reached its grand finale at the BMICH last week with the much awaited 'Clash of the Banking Giants', namely HSBC vs Commercial Bank. Team Commercial Bank who was awarded the trophy specially crafted for the innovative 'The Great HR Debate'.

The HR Service Provider's Exhibition 2009 was a lucrative opportunity for any Sri Lankan Public and Private Sector organization on networking among the HR fraternity.

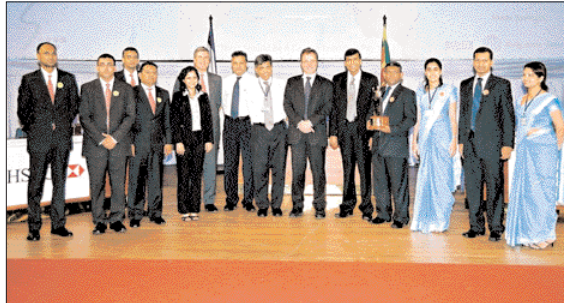
Here are some memorable moments of the event.



Welcoming the Chief Guest N.R.B Ranasuriya at the HR service providers' exhibition



At the pre-conference sessions



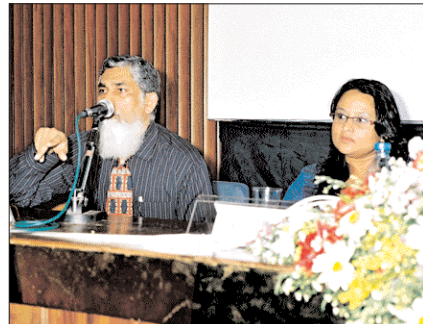
HSBC and Commercial Bank teams at the Great HR debate



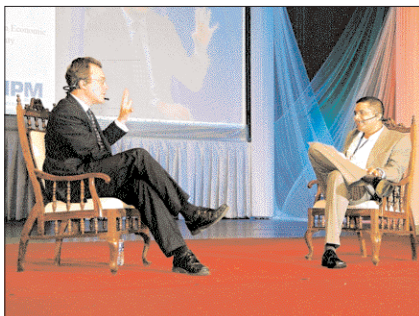
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The Guest Speaker Prof Julian Birkinshaw



The Unilever Case Study in progress during the pre-conference stage



Interview and interaction session with Prof Julian Birkinshaw



The Chief Guest and keynote speaker Peter Wilson



IPM President Lalith Wijetunge presents a token of appreciation to SLT Chairperson Leisha De Silva Chandrasena



Participants listen intently to the presentation



Some of the participants at the event