

WELCOME TO FACETS 2025



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Welcome to FACETS 2025!

Sri Lanka's Premier Gem and Jewellery exhibition is only five months away! A celebration of the nation's rich history in mining, gemstones and jewellery; an excellent opportunity for the industry's local and international community to forge new bonds and partnerships; a dazzling display of the finest sapphires and coloured gemstones; and a weekend filled with VIP events, excursions and knowledge sharing platforms - FACETS 2025 guarantees a curated and insightful experience for industry professionals world-wide. Join us in Colombo, Sri Lanka from January 4th to 6th, and stay tuned for further updates as we approach the much-awaited event!

WHAT'S ON AT FACETS 2025



SAPPHIRE NIGHT

FASHION & COCKTAILS

Discover the essence of luxury at Sapphire Night, a highlight of FACETS 2025. This exclusive event celebrates the allure of sapphires, Sri Lanka's famed coloured gemstone, with glamour, networking, and an enchanting atmosphere. Experience refined dining, sapphire-inspired cocktails, and captivating entertainment in an elegant venue that honours the mystique and grandeur of these exquisite gemstones. Join international buyers, gem experts and celebrities for an evening immersed in the timeless beauty and elegance of sapphires.



STORY CORNERS

GEM & JEWELLERY INDUSTRY

Delve into the world of gemstones and jewellery through our Story Corners. Experience deep dives into industry practices and the journey of Sri Lanka's diverse coloured gemstones, including sapphires, as they embark on their passage from the mines to the markets. Engage in discussions with miners, gemologists, designers and jewellers who influence the industry. Gain insights into sustainable mining practices, global gem markets, and the importance of coloured gemstones in jewellery. Explore the expertise and passion of professionals firsthand and view the industry through their eyes.



WOMEN'S POWER BREAKFAST

NETWORKING & EMPOWERMENT

Join the industry's most influential women at the Women's Power Breakfast. Listen as they share their experiences in the industry, overcoming challenges and paving the way for future generations. Engage and mingle with industry veterans who have long influenced the professional community. Enjoy uplifting conversation, inspirational stories and an energising cup of coffee at FACET's celebration of the women who have shaped the gem and jewellery industry in Sri Lanka.



MINE TOURS

DISCOVERING & EXPLORING

Join us for an exclusive expedition into Sri Lanka's renowned gem mining industry, tailored for industry veterans who are seeking deeper knowledge and first-hand experience. Learn about the sapphire mining process from discovery to cutting, with privileged access to advanced techniques in underground and river operations. Engage with seasoned miners and experts as they share their wisdom and experiences in overcoming challenges. Experience the evaluation process of sapphires and marvel at a stunning collection, representing Sri Lanka's global reputation in gemstones and jewellery.

EXPECTED FACTS & FIGURES

Taking place over 3 days, FACETS 2025 has an expected turnout of over 10,000 participants - both local and international. Over 90 booths have been sold out with businesses of all sizes providing on-the-spot sales and estimated order values, as well as displaying a captivating array of Sri Lankan gemstones including some of the oldest and largest pieces in the country. It is estimated that foreign buyers will conduct 600 transactions (300 business-to-business and 300 business-to-customer) for an estimated worth of 15 - 20 million US dollars.



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