

**16
DAYS**

American Corner Kandy with International Center
for Ethnic Studies commemorates

16 Days of Activism against Gender Violence

By screening an award winning documentary film

SAVING FACE

followed by a panel discussion with

- **Dr. Deepika Udugama,**
Head, Department of Law, University of
Peradeniya
- **Dr. Sumathy Sivamohan,**
Department of English, University of
Peradeniya
- **Mrs. Visakha Dharmadasa,**
Chairperson of Association of War Affected
Women

**Chaired by Dr. Mario Gomez, Executive
Director of International Center for Ethnic
Studies (ICES)**

Monday, December 2, 2013

at 4:30 pm

ICES Auditorium

#554/6A, Peradeniya Road, Mulgampola

Recently honored with a
Best Documentary

Short Oscar®,

SAVING FACE

set in

Pakistan

chronicles

the lives of

acid-attack
survivors

Zakia and Rukhsana

as they attempt to

bring their assailants

to justice and move

on with their lives.

The women are supported by NGOs,
sympathetic policymakers, and skilled
doctors, such as Islamic Help, plastic
surgeon Dr. Mohammad Jawad, who
returns to his home country to assist
them, attorney Ms. Sarkar Abbass who
fights Zakia's case, and female politician
Marvi Memon who advocates for new
legislation. (Duration: 40 minutes)

**Entrance free! Please register early to
participate as seating is limited.**

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