

MALINI RANASINGHE

Born on: 19/10/43 Kandy

Father: Business proprietor, Kandy

Mother: Principal. Junior section: Pushpadana maha vidyalaya kandy

EDUCATION:

Girls High school. Kandy

Tertiary Education: University of Ceylon, Peradeniya

QUALIFICATIONS:

Degree in Bachelor of Science (BSc) – University of Peradeniya

Diploma in children's services – Australia

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE:

Principal – Kandy Grammar School

Deputy Principal - Kandy Grammar School- 2000-2003

Teacher AL Biology. Dept of Education

Sectional Head in Biology

CONTRIBUTION TO SRI LANKAN ARTS:

Stage Dramas:

- Prof Ediriweera Sarachchandra's – Sinhabahu – Suppadevi
- Prof Ediriweera Sarachchandra's – Maname 2nd production – Maname Queen
- Prof Ediriweera Sarachchandra's – Ae Nuwan Labuwa – Radio Musical Drama – Suba Thero
- Prof Ediriweera Sarachchandra's – Vessanthara – Madri Devi
- K.B.Herath's – Sudu Karal – Main female Role
- K.B. Herath's Mayadevi – Doragama Hamine

Films:

- Parakrama Niriella's – Ayoma

- Vijaya DharmaSri's – Himagira
- Dissanayake's – Yakshaweshaya

Teledramas:

- Dharmasena Pathiraja's: Hiru Daruwo
- Chandrarathna Mapitigama's : Irata Handana Mal
- Sudath Devapriya's: Amba Yaluwo
- Bandula Vithanage's: Diriya Duwa
- Jayalath Manorathne's: Sekku gedara
- Sathishchandra Edirisinghe's: Tikiri Nilame
- Sudath Senarathne's: Mawakage Geethaya
- Tikiri Rathnayake's: Tharu Paba
- Tikiri Rathnayake's: Sudu Araliya
- English Tele drama: Village by the sea

Awards:

- Guinness World Record 2001
- Most Durable Theatre Performers – Malini and TerenceRanasinghefor performing in Prof Ediriweera Sarachchandra's Sinhabahu drama for 31 consecutive years
- State Drama Awards: Best Supporting Actress: Maya Devi – 1986
- Sama Drama Awards - Best Supporting Actress: Maya Devi – 1986
- Central Province Arts Festival – Felicitation Award: Sinhabahu – 1990
- Dharmaraja College Kandy Arts Festival - Felicitation Award: Sinhabahu – 1990

- University Of Colombo – Vindana Arts Festival - Felicitations Award: Sinhabahu – 1992
- Colombo Youth Circle - Felicitations Award: Sinhabahu – 1992
- National Felicitations Award (Award handed over by the Prime minister and Cultural minister): Guinness World Record: Sinhabahu – 2001
- State Arts Council Felicitations Award: Guinness World Record – 2001
- Peoples Bank Felicitations Award: Guinness World Record – 2001
- Sri Lanka Army Felicitations Award (Award handed over by Sri Lanka Army Commander General Balagalla : Guinness World Record - 2001