

Liverpool John Moores University

Title: Contemporary Issues in Security and Policing
Status: Definitive
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Owning School/Faculty: Humanities and Social Science
Teaching School/Faculty: Humanities and Social Science

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Academic Level: FHEQ3 **Credit Value:** 20 **Total Delivered Hours:** 33
Total Learning Hours: 200 **Private Study:** 167

Delivery Options

Course typically offered: Semester 1

Component	Contact Hours
Lecture	22
Workshop	11

Grading Basis: 40 %

Assessment Details

Category	Short Description	Description	Weighting (%)	Exam Duration
Presentation	AS1	Poster	50	
Essay	AS2	1500 Word Essay	50	

Aims

The module will provide students with the opportunity to understand contemporary issues in security and policing.

Learning Outcomes

After completing the module the student should be able to:

- 1 Identify contemporary themes in security and policing.
- 2 Identify how theory can help explain crime.
- 3 Understand the challenges to mainstream security and policing.
- 4 Develop the ability to express key ideas about security and policing in written form.

Learning Outcomes of Assessments

The assessment item list is assessed via the learning outcomes listed:

Poster	1	2
Essay	3	4

Outline Syllabus

Policing and the Police;
Vulnerability, Drugs and Mental Health;
Governance and Accountability;
Ethics and Police Culture,
Firearms and Crisis Management
The police and the media.

Learning Activities

Lectures
Workshops

Notes

The multi-disciplinary syllabus and assessment tasks will enable students to acquire skills needed for successful transition into level 4 and completion of the degree.