

Module Proforma

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Summary Information

Module Code	3202FNDLAW		
Formal Module Title	Introduction to Criminal Law and Criminal Justice		
Owning School	Law		
Career	Undergraduate		
Credits	20		
Academic level	FHEQ Level 3		
Grading Schema	40		

Module Contacts

Module Leader

Contact Name	Applies to all offerings	Offerings
Tasnim Ahmed	Yes	N/A

Module Team Member

Contact Name Applies to all offerings Offerings	
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Partner Module Team

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Teaching Responsibility

LJMU Schools involved in Delivery	
Law	

Learning Methods

Learning Method Type	Hours
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Lecture	12
Seminar	24
Tutorial	12

Module Offering(s)

Offering Code	Location	Start Month	Duration
SEP-MTP	MTP	September	12 Weeks

Aims and Outcomes

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To introduce students to key principles underpinning criminal law and criminal justice To explore the purpose of criminal law and criminal justice To develop a basic awareness of the key elements of criminal liability. To establish key concepts of types of criminal liability. To explore notions of justice, the criminal justice system in terms of personnel and key values underpinning it

Learning Outcomes

After completing the module the student should be able to:

Code	Description
MLO1	Explain and demonstrate the key elements of criminal liability
MLO2	Show an understanding of the criminal justice system
MLO3	Appreciate and illustrate the purpose of the criminal justice system and the values and notions of justice underpinning it
MLO4	Demonstrate an awareness of the operation of the criminal justice system

Module Content

Outline Syllabus

An outline of the basics of the key requirements for criminal liabilityAn introduction to different types of liabilityAn outline of the essential elements of criminal defencesA treatment of notions of justice and punishmentThe structure and personnel in the criminal justice system. Focused case studies to illustrate the content listed above

Module Overview

This module aims to introduce you to key principles underpinning criminal law and criminal justice. You will explore the purpose of criminal law and criminal justice and develop a basic awareness of the key elements of criminal liability. You will also explore notions of justice, the criminal justice system and the key values underpinning it.

Additional Information

This is a core module

Assessments

Assignment Category	Assessment Name	Weight	Exam/Test Length (hours)	Learning Outcome Mapping
Centralised Exam	Exam	50	2	MLO2, MLO3, MLO1
Essay	Essay	50	0	MLO2, MLO3, MLO4, MLO1