

## Liverpool John Moores University

Title: HISTORY OF CRIME AND CRIMINAL JUSTICE  
Status: Definitive  
Code: **4001LAWCJ** (107770)  
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Owning School/Faculty: Law  
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**Academic Level:** FHEQ4      **Credit Value:** 12.00      **Total Delivered Hours:** 24.00

**Total Learning Hours:** 120      **Private Study:** 96

### Delivery Options

Course typically offered: Semester 1

Component	Contact Hours
Lecture	10.000
Seminar	4.000
Tutorial	10.000

**Grading Basis:** 40 %

### Assessment Details

Category	Short Description	Description	Weighting (%)	Exam Duration
Essay	AS1	coursework	50.0	
Essay	AS2	coursework	50.0	

### Aims

*To provide students with a basic understanding of the value of social history in relation to a fundamental understanding of crime and punishment today.*

### Learning Outcomes

After completing the module the student should be able to:

- 1 Understand the interpretations of the changing process in society and the implications for people.
- 2 Demonstrate a knowledge of early beliefs of deviancy
- 3 Identify the early control mechanisms in the social world
- 4 Demonstrate a knowledge of early confinement and punishment
- 5 Understand the meaning behind social movements

### Learning Outcomes of Assessments

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

CW	1				
CW	2	3	4	5	

### Outline Syllabus

*Early views on crime, religious beliefs/witchcraft*  
*Enclosure laws and rural life, industrialisation and urban life*  
*Social control and class, gender and race*  
*Poor law/parishes/workhouses, institutional confinement and prison reform*  
*Social movements, criminalization of protest and early forces of crime control*

### Learning Activities

10 Lectures  
 10 Tutorials  
 4 Seminars  
 1 Self-directed learning week

### References

<b>Course Material</b>	Book
<b>Author</b>	Hay D, LinebaughP
<b>Publishing Year</b>	1975
<b>Title</b>	Albion's Fatal Tree
<b>Subtitle</b>	
<b>Edition</b>	
<b>Publisher</b>	Allen Lane
<b>ISBN</b>	

<b>Course Material</b>	Book
<b>Author</b>	Muncie J

<b>Publishing Year</b>	2001
<b>Title</b>	The Problem of Crime
<b>Subtitle</b>	
<b>Edition</b>	
<b>Publisher</b>	Longman
<b>ISBN</b>	

<b>Course Material</b>	Book
<b>Author</b>	Rawlings P
<b>Publishing Year</b>	1999
<b>Title</b>	Crime and Power A history of Criminal Justice 1688-1998
<b>Subtitle</b>	
<b>Edition</b>	
<b>Publisher</b>	Longman
<b>ISBN</b>	

<b>Course Material</b>	Book
<b>Author</b>	Sharpe JA
<b>Publishing Year</b>	1999
<b>Title</b>	Crime in Early Modern England 1550-1750
<b>Subtitle</b>	
<b>Edition</b>	
<b>Publisher</b>	Longman
<b>ISBN</b>	

<b>Course Material</b>	Book
<b>Author</b>	Thompson EP
<b>Publishing Year</b>	1977
<b>Title</b>	Whigs and Hunters: The Origin of the Black Act
<b>Subtitle</b>	
<b>Edition</b>	
<b>Publisher</b>	Hamndsworth: Penguin
<b>ISBN</b>	

<b>Course Material</b>	Book
<b>Author</b>	Emsley, C
<b>Publishing Year</b>	2005
<b>Title</b>	Crime and Society in England
<b>Subtitle</b>	
<b>Edition</b>	3rd
<b>Publisher</b>	Pearson Longman
<b>ISBN</b>	

<b>Course Material</b>	Book
<b>Author</b>	Godfrey, B and Lawrence, P
<b>Publishing Year</b>	2005
<b>Title</b>	Crime and Justice 1750-1950

<b>Subtitle</b>	
<b>Edition</b>	
<b>Publisher</b>	Willan
<b>ISBN</b>	

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### **Notes**

The module presents how the conceptions of crime have changed through time, and how this was often reflected in how crime was punished. The module provides this historical information, which develops our understanding of the present and our expectations of the future.