LIVERPOOL JOHN MOORES UNIVERSITY

Reporting Skills

Module Information

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Summary Information

Module Code	4034JOURN
Formal Module Title	Reporting Skills
Owning School	Liverpool Screen School
Career	Undergraduate
Credits	20
Academic level	FHEQ Level 4
Grading Schema	40

Teaching Responsibility

LJMU Schools involved in Delivery
Liverpool Screen School

Learning Methods

Learning Method Type	Hours
Lecture	12
Workshop	24

Module Offering(s)

Display Name	Location	Start Month	Duration Number Duration Unit
JAN-MTP	MTP	January	12 Weeks

Aims and Outcomes

Aims	To hone sourcing, reporting and interview skills developed in semester one and to apply these skills to the reporting of courts, councils and other such institutions.

After completing the module the student should be able to:

Learning Outcomes

Code	Number	Description
MLO1	1	Identify and source specialist news stories.
MLO2	2	Plan and implement a journalistic interview.
MLO3	3	Carry out basic court and council reporting

Module Content

Outline Syllabus	Advanced interviewing; sourcing specialist stories; court reporting; local government reporting
Module Overview	This module is designed to enhance your beginner-level skills as a trainee journalist as previously taught and delivered in the Reporting module, offering live exercises and classroom simulations. Lectures will focus on the reporting process and workshops will develop practical skills using appropriate sources of information. In seminars you will critically analyse good practice and journalistic processes. Visits to crown court and council meetings will complement your study.
Additional Information	The module is designed to enhance the beginner-level skills of a trainee journalist, as previously taught/delivered in the semester 1 Introduction to Reporting module, offering live exercises and classroom simulations.

Assessments

Assignment Category	Assessment Name	Weight	Exam/Test Length (hours)	Module Learning Outcome Mapping
Portfolio	Portfolio	100	0	MLO1, MLO2, MLO3

Module Contacts

Module Leader

Contact Name	Applies to all offerings	Offerings
John Mathews	Yes	N/A

Partner Module Team

Contact Name	Applies to all offerings	Offerings