

## Law of Tort

### Module Information

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#### Summary Information

Module Code	4100LAWSL
Formal Module Title	Law of Tort
Owning School	Law
Career	Undergraduate
Credits	20
Academic level	FHEQ Level 4
Grading Schema	40

#### Teaching Responsibility

LJMU Schools involved in Delivery
LJMU Partner Taught

#### Partner Teaching Institution

Institution Name
Sri Lanka Institute of Information Technology

#### Learning Methods

Learning Method Type	Hours
Lecture	20
Online	4
Seminar	6
Workshop	6

#### Module Offering(s)

Display Name	Location	Start Month	Duration Number	Duration Unit
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JAN-PAR	PAR	January	12 Weeks
SEP-PAR	PAR	September	12 Weeks
SEP_NS-PAR	PAR	September (Non-standard start date)	12 Weeks

## Aims and Outcomes

Aims	To analyse, explain and illustrate the ways in which tortious obligations are created and compensated.
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**After completing the module the student should be able to:**

### Learning Outcomes

Code	Number	Description
MLO1	1	Demonstrate an understanding of the basic concepts, values, principles and rules of tort.
MLO2	2	Demonstrate an ability to apply gained legal knowledge to complex problems and to present informed conclusions.
MLO3	3	Demonstrate an ability to present a synthesis of relevant doctrinal and policy issues.
MLO4	4	Demonstrate an ability to present an argument in a way that is comprehensible to others and which addresses their particular concerns or questions.
MLO5	5	Demonstrate an ability to evaluate principles of the law of tort.

## Module Content

Outline Syllabus	1. What is tort law? General principles of negligence 2. Negligence: Psychiatric Injury 3. Negligence: Economic Loss 4. Breach of Duty 5. Trespass 6. Occupiers Liability 7. Defences 8. Employers Liability and Vicarious Liability
Module Overview	
Additional Information	This module examines the methods adopted by English law to create tortious obligations and to relieve the parties from their consequences.

## Assessments

Assignment Category	Assessment Name	Weight	Exam/Test Length (hours)	Module Learning Outcome Mapping
Essay	2500 words Essay	50	0	MLO1, MLO3, MLO5
Centralised Exam	Exam	50	2	MLO2, MLO4

## Module Contacts

