

Law Fundamentals

Module Information

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Summary Information

Module Code	4103MAR
Formal Module Title	Law Fundamentals
Owning School	Engineering
Career	Undergraduate
Credits	20
Academic level	FHEQ Level 4
Grading Schema	40

Teaching Responsibility

LJMU Schools involved in Delivery
Engineering

Learning Methods

Learning Method Type	Hours
Lecture	22
Tutorial	22

Module Offering(s)

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

Aims and Outcomes

Aims	To introduce students to the legal systems of England and of the EU and to provide a foundation of knowledge of the substantive laws of negligence and contract
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After completing the module the student should be able to:

Learning Outcomes

Code	Number	Description
MLO1	1	Appreciate the legal systems of England and of the EU
MLO2	2	Analyse legal cases and materials effectively
MLO3	3	Apply legal principles to solving practical problems
MLO4	4	Explain commercial law remedies such as damages, writs and rescission
MLO5	5	Explain how law of negligence establishes a duty of care
MLO6	6	Understand the obligations arising within the law of contract and agency

Module Content

Outline Syllabus	"The English Legal System – common law, courts, tribunals, personnel Sources of law, judicial precedent and statutory interpretation Criminal liability and corporate responsibility Legal remedies - damages and cancellation The European Union and the EU Institutions EU legal sources: treaties, regulations and directives EU law: legal principles, freedom of movement Negligence - duty of care, breach, loss, defences Contract - Formation: agreement, intent, capacity, and privity Contract - Terms & representations, conditions, warranties, breach Contract – Discharge: by performance, by frustration Agency and bailment Introductory coverage: Sale of Goods (implied terms) Bills of Lading Notes: This is an introductory law module for Maritime and Logistics students that lays a foundation for subsequent legal modules in levels 5 & 6.
Module Overview	The aim of this module will introduce you to the legal systems of England and of the EU and to provide a foundation of knowledge of the substantive laws of negligence and contract.
Additional Information	An introductory law module for Maritime and Logistics students.

Assessments

Assignment Category	Assessment Name	Weight	Exam/Test Length (hours)	Module Learning Outcome Mapping
Portfolio	Report	40	0	MLO5, MLO4
Centralised Exam	Exam	60	2	MLO3, MLO6, MLO2, MLO1

Module Contacts

Module Leader

Contact Name	Applies to all offerings	Offerings
Anna Kaparaki	Yes	N/A

Partner Module Team

Contact Name	Applies to all offerings	Offerings
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