

Liverpool John Moores University

Title: ENTERTAINMENT LAW
Status: Definitive
Code: **4502MTE** (109365)
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Owning School/Faculty: Liverpool Screen School
Teaching School/Faculty: Liverpool Institute for Performing Arts

Team	Leader
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Academic Level: FHEQ4 **Credit Value:** 12.00 **Total Delivered Hours:** 33.00
Total Learning Hours: 120 **Private Study:** 87

Delivery Options

Course typically offered: Standard Year Long

Component	Contact Hours
Lecture	17.000
Seminar	14.000

Grading Basis: 40 %

Assessment Details

Category	Short Description	Description	Weighting (%)	Exam Duration
Exam	Exam	Examination - 2 hours	70.0	2.00
Presentation	Present	Group Presentation - 15 minutes	30.0	

Aims

This module aims to develop the learner's knowledge and understanding of a range of legal concepts, with particular reference to the music, theatre and entertainment industries.

Learning Outcomes

After completing the module the student should be able to:

- LO1 Demonstrate an appreciation of contract law and its application within the music, theatre and entertainment industries.
- LO2 Demonstrate knowledge of employment and health and safety legislation and its relevance within the music, theatre and entertainment industries.
- LO3 Demonstrate an understanding of issues and concepts relating to copyright and other form of intellectual property in the context of music, theatre and entertainment industries.

Learning Outcomes of Assessments

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

Examination - 2 hours	LO1	LO2
Group Presentation 15 minutes	LO3	

Outline Syllabus

UK Legal system

Contract law

Contracts in the music, theatre and entertainment industries

Introduction to Employment legislation and Health and Safety legislation

Legal structures

Introduction to Intellectual property

Copyright

Patents, domain names, rights of privacy

Learning Activities

The module will be delivered by utilising a range of teaching and learning strategies.

These will include:

- Lectures to introduce key issues and concepts.
- Workshops incorporating application of concepts to different situations, utilising group activities where -appropriate
- Individual study in line with guidance and direction from tutors

Notes

Course Notes