

Liverpool John Moores University

Title: MARITIME MANAGEMENT & LAW
Status: Definitive
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Owning School/Faculty: Maritime and Mechanical Engineering
Teaching School/Faculty: Maritime and Mechanical Engineering

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Academic Level: FHEQ4 **Credit Value:** 12 **Total Delivered Hours:** 42
Total Learning Hours: 120 **Private Study:** 78

Delivery Options

Course typically offered: Runs Twice - S1 & S2

Component	Contact Hours
Lecture	30
Tutorial	10

Grading Basis: 40 %

Assessment Details

Category	Short Description	Description	Weighting (%)	Exam Duration
Essay	AS1	Assignment	20	
Exam	AS2	Examination	80	2

Aims

To provide an understanding of marine law and fundamental management principles required by an Officer of the Watch

Learning Outcomes

After completing the module the student should be able to:

- 1 Appreciate the relationship between law, codes and other forms of guidance.
- 2 Demonstrate an awareness of the law, codes and guidance relating to ship and crew safety and operations.
- 3 Explain how to apply the principles of personnel management at operational level.

Learning Outcomes of Assessments

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

Essay	3	
Exam	1	2

Outline Syllabus

Conventions: International Conventions and Treaties, Legislation, Codes of Practice and M Notices

Legal systems: An overview of UK Civil and Criminal Law, an overview of Flag and Port State Control, Recording methods available

Records: Requirement for accuracy in record keeping, confidential nature of records and the access that can be afforded them

Safety Regulations: Regulations concerning Life Saving Appliances and Fire Fighting Appliances

Pollution Control: An overview of MARPOL and its annexes, company procedures for compliance with SOLAS and MARPOL

Safety Codes and Practices: ISM or relevant Codes, maintaining a safe working environment on board ship, entry into an enclosed space, safe movement to- from and around the vessel, using powered cleaning devices, using lifting gear and working at a height, reporting of accidents and dangerous occurrences, safety management systems, risk assessment, permit to working chemicals or other hazardous materials; COSHH Regulations, personal protective clothing and equipment

Watchkeeping: Safe navigational watch, Safe deck watch

Management: The officer as manager, organisation and structure,

Management Loop: Planning, resourcing and evaluating, Inter-personal communication, group dynamics, groupthink, race, culture and gender issues.

Leading by example.

Management styles: Hierarchy and assertiveness. horizontal versus vertical.

Motivation, leadership and teamwork, delegation.

Appraisal and Review: Role of appraisal, counselling and discipline, giving feedback in a constructive way. Stress in self and others. Conflict and conflict resolution, referral to counselling

Learning Activities

Formal lectures tutorials

Notes

Provides an appreciation of the maritime law and personnel management required by an Officer of the Watch. For MCA exemptions for deck OOW CoC, students need to obtain 50% in each assessment component.