

Data Analytics

Module Information

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Summary Information

Module Code	4548NCCG
Formal Module Title	Data Analytics
Owning School	Computer Science and Mathematics
Career	Undergraduate
Credits	20
Academic level	FHEQ Level 4
Grading Schema	40

Teaching Responsibility

LJMU Partner Taught	LJMU Schools involved in Delivery	
	LJMU Partner Taught	

Partner Teaching Institution

Institution Name	
Nelson and Colne College Group	

Learning Methods

Learning Method Type	Hours
Lecture	60

Module Offering(s)

Display Name	Location	Start Month	Duration Number Duration Unit
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	This module will introduce the theoretical foundation of data analytics and a range of data analytic processes and techniques to provide hands-on experience for enhancing students' skills.
	Aims

After completing the module the student should be able to:

Learning Outcomes

Code	Number	Description
MLO1	1	Discuss the theoretical foundation of data analytics that determine decision making processes in management or business environments.
MLO2	2	Apply a range of descriptive analytic techniques to convert data into actionable insight using a range of statistical techniques.
MLO3	3	Investigate a range of predictive analytic techniques to discover new knowledge for forecasting future events.
MLO4	4	Demonstrate prescriptive analytic methods for finding the best course of action for a situation.

Module Content

Outline Syllabus	Data analytics terminologies. Types of data analytics. Descriptive data analytics, predictive data analytics and prescriptive data analytics. Exploratory data analysis (EDA): Variable identification, univariate and bi-variate analysis, missing values treatment, etc . Data visualisation: Graphs, charts, plots.Descriptive statistics: central tendency, position and dispersion. Probability distribution: Cumulate distribution, discrete distribution, continuous distribution. Sampling and estimation. Statistical inferences: Models and assumptionsRegression analytics: Linear regression, multiple linear regression and logistic regression. Forecasting techniques: Qualitative, average approach, naïve approach, time series methods, causal relationships. Optimisation: Classical optimisation, linear programming techniques, dynamic programming. Decision analysis: Models, justifiable decisions and defensible decisions.
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Assessments

Assignment Category	Assessment Name	Weight	Exam/Test Length (hours)	Module Learning Outcome Mapping
Report	Assignment	100	0	MLO1, MLO3, MLO4
Competency	NCC Group Pass/Fail			MLO2

Module Contacts

Module Leader

Contact Name	Applies to all offerings	Offerings
Bob Askwith	Yes	N/A

Partner Module Team

Contact Name	Applies to all offerings	Offerings	