

Liverpool John Moores University

Title: INDEPENDENT STUDY
Status: Definitive
Code: **5000INDSTU** (114610)
Version Start Date: 01-08-2011

Owning School/Faculty: Humanities and Social Science
Teaching School/Faculty: Humanities and Social Science

Team	Leader
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Academic Level: FHEQ5
Credit Value: 12.00
Total Delivered Hours: 120.00
Total Learning Hours: 120
Private Study: 0

Delivery Options

Course typically offered: Runs Twice - S1 & S2

Component	Contact Hours
Online	116.000
Tutorial	4.000

Grading Basis: 40 %

Assessment Details

Category	Short Description	Description	Weighting (%)	Exam Duration
Essay	AS1	coursework: four thousand word essay, project report or equivalent	100.0	

Aims

- 1. to allow students the opportunity to develop skills for independent learning*
- 2. to enable students to study topics related to their programme of study that are currently not included in the programme*
- 3. to enable students to identify learning opportunities that will serve to broaden their knowledge of substantive issues relating to their programme of study*

Learning Outcomes

After completing the module the student should be able to:

- 1 negotiate a plan of study for an agreed programme of learning
- 2 work independently under guidance
- 3 demonstrate knowledge and understanding of a chosen topic of study
- 4 demonstrate the links between a chosen topic and their own programme of study

Learning Outcomes of Assessments

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

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Outline Syllabus

There is no prescriptive syllabus for this module. The initiative for the study should come from the student who will present a proposal to the module leader for approval. The organization of the module will be defined by a learning agreement which will identify the detailed learning outcomes together with appropriate methods of assessment.

Learning Activities

This module is designed to promote independent learning, as such the learning activities are prescribed via negotiation between student and tutor and logged as part of a learning agreement

References

Notes

This module offers students the opportunity to study a selected subject/topic under supervision from a member of staff. The learning outcomes, method of study and form of assessment are subject to negotiation and are stated in a learning agreement.