

## Liverpool John Moores University

Title: EU PROCEDURAL LAW (EU LAW 1)  
Status: Definitive  
Code: **5000LAWEU** (107919)  
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Owning School/Faculty: Law  
Teaching School/Faculty: Law

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**Academic Level:** FHEQ5  
**Credit Value:** 12.00  
**Total Delivered Hours:** 21.50  
**Total Learning Hours:** 120  
**Private Study:** 98

### Delivery Options

Course typically offered: Semester 1

Component	Contact Hours
Lecture	12.000
Tutorial	7.500

**Grading Basis:** 40 %

### Assessment Details

Category	Short Description	Description	Weighting (%)	Exam Duration
Exam	AS1	EXAMINATION	100.0	2.00

### Aims

*EU Law 1 aims to introduce students to the institutional and procedural framework of the EU legal system.*

*The module considers the nature, scope and effects of EU Law, as well as the fundamental principles upon which the Union is based. Issues of EU Law enforcement and the exercise of judicial control by the European Court of Justice with regards to both Member States and Community institutions will be examined, including remedies available against actions in breach of EU law.*

## Learning Outcomes

After completing the module the student should be able to:

- 1 Evaluate the principles which underpin the legal system of the Union.
- 2 Consider the nature of the various sources of EU law and examine their effects on both individuals and Member States.
- 3 Analyse the means by which the European Court of Justice exercises control over Member States and Institutions and enforces EU Law
- 4 Assess the effectiveness of remedies available in EU Law, with particular regard to the position of natural and legal persons

## Learning Outcomes of Assessments

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

EXAM	1	2	3	4
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## Outline Syllabus

- *Institutional framework of the Union (institutions, founding Treaties, sources of EU law)*
- *General Principles of EU Law and fundamental rights protection*
- *Supremacy of EU law*
- *Direct/Indirect Effect & State Liability*
- *Preliminary ruling procedure (art.267 TFEU)*
- *Enforcement actions against Member States & Community institutions*
- *Judicial review (art.263 TFEU)*

## Learning Activities

The module is delivered through a series of large and small group sessions (lecture, seminar activities); and utilises the University virtual learning environment (BLackboard), various relevant legal databases, and electronic resources as means to enhance students' learning experience.

## References

<b>Course Material</b>	Book
<b>Author</b>	Craig & de Burca
<b>Publishing Year</b>	2008
<b>Title</b>	EU Law
<b>Subtitle</b>	Text, Cases and Materials,
<b>Edition</b>	4th ed.

<b>Publisher</b>	Oxford University Press
<b>ISBN</b>	

<b>Course Material</b>	Book
<b>Author</b>	Kaczorowska
<b>Publishing Year</b>	2009
<b>Title</b>	European Union Law,
<b>Subtitle</b>	
<b>Edition</b>	
<b>Publisher</b>	Routledge-Cavendish
<b>ISBN</b>	

<b>Course Material</b>	Book
<b>Author</b>	Foster
<b>Publishing Year</b>	2008
<b>Title</b>	EU Law
<b>Subtitle</b>	Directions,
<b>Edition</b>	
<b>Publisher</b>	Oxford University Press
<b>ISBN</b>	

<b>Course Material</b>	Book
<b>Author</b>	Hartley
<b>Publishing Year</b>	2007
<b>Title</b>	The Foundations of European Community Law,
<b>Subtitle</b>	
<b>Edition</b>	6th ed.
<b>Publisher</b>	Oxford University Press
<b>ISBN</b>	

<b>Course Material</b>	Book
<b>Author</b>	Fairhurst
<b>Publishing Year</b>	2007
<b>Title</b>	Law of the European Union,
<b>Subtitle</b>	
<b>Edition</b>	6th ed.
<b>Publisher</b>	Pearson Longman Education
<b>ISBN</b>	

<b>Course Material</b>	Book
<b>Author</b>	Chalmers & Tomkins
<b>Publishing Year</b>	2007
<b>Title</b>	European Union Public Law
<b>Subtitle</b>	Text and Materials,
<b>Edition</b>	
<b>Publisher</b>	Cambridge University Press
<b>ISBN</b>	

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<b>Course Material</b>	Book
<b>Author</b>	Foster
<b>Publishing Year</b>	2009
<b>Title</b>	Foster on EU Law
<b>Subtitle</b>	
<b>Edition</b>	2nd ed.
<b>Publisher</b>	Oxford University Press
<b>ISBN</b>	

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### **Notes**

This module examines the nature and effect of EU law and its empowerment at national and Union levels. It considers how judicial control is exercised by the Court of Justice over Member States and Union Institutions and the available EU Law remedies.