

Liverpool John Moores University

Title: DEVELOPING EMPLOYMENT SKILLS
Status: Definitive
Code: **5002EDSTUD** (104031)
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Owning School/Faculty: Education
Teaching School/Faculty: Education

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Academic Level: FHEQ5 **Credit Value:** 24 **Total Delivered Hours:** 170
Total Learning Hours: 240 **Private Study:** 70

Delivery Options

Course typically offered: Standard Year Long

Component	Contact Hours
Lecture	9
Off Site	150
Seminar	9
Tutorial	2

Grading Basis: 40 %

Assessment Details

Category	Short Description	Description	Weighting (%)	Exam Duration
Portfolio	AS1	Portfolio of Tasks (6000 words equivalent)	100	

Aims

To provide an opportunity to experience how an organisation is structured and managed. To provide an opportunity to gain experience of an area of work which is / may be relevant to future career choice. To encourage the use of placement experiences as a source of data for course based work / academic study.

Learning Outcomes

After completing the module the student should be able to:

- 1 Work effectively as part of a team and as a member of the work force in the agency.
- 2 Understand the role of the agency, your role within it and how it seeks to achieve its goals.
- 3 Understand how the agency is managed and relate theoretical perspectives to practical situations.
- 4 Communicate with agency personnel, their clients and related organisations.
- 5 Display an awareness of the experiential learning process and an ability to reflect and evaluate learning from the placement as a whole.
- 6 Identify and develop personal career and employability objectives.

Learning Outcomes of Assessments

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

Portfolio	1	2	3	4	5	6
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Outline Syllabus

A few lead lectures and seminars to set the scene. Undertake a placement successfully, complete an interview with the host company, complete company project, critically reflect on personal learning, company structure and culture.

Learning Activities

This module is delivered through a series of lectures, workshops and tutorials. Students are required to complete a 5 week block work placement in addition to a regular day a week.

Notes

Work Related Learning is essential to give reality and relevance to studies. It facilitates current and future employment opportunities. It must be of practical value to the WRL agency. All Y2 students are expected to complete this module.