

## Liverpool John Moores University

Title: Professional development for business  
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Owning School/Faculty: Academic Portfolio  
Teaching School/Faculty: Academic Portfolio

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**Academic Level:** FHEQ5      **Credit Value:** 24      **Total Delivered Hours:** 48  
**Total Learning Hours:** 240      **Private Study:** 192

### Delivery Options

Course typically offered: Standard Year Long

Component	Contact Hours
Workshop	48

**Grading Basis:** 40 %

### Assessment Details

Category	Short Description	Description	Weighting (%)	Exam Duration
Portfolio	Portfolio	Portfolio to include self reflection and analysis, job study and CV.	50	
Report	Report	Research proposal including the use of project management software for project planning, 1,500 words.	50	

### Aims

*To provide students with the confidence, skills and knowledge to make realistic, well-informed career choices, and with the ability to review and adapt their plans in the light of changing priorities and circumstances.*

*To develop students' knowledge and skills in project management principles and practices.*

*To provide students with the broad and holistic knowledge and skills required to develop business solutions for the workplace often relating to specific clients/projects.*

## **Learning Outcomes**

After completing the module the student should be able to:

- 1 Comprehend and explain the concept and process of career planning.
- 2 Apply the practices of reflection, analysis and review in relation to career management and personal development.
- 3 Apply the principles of project management to a business project.
- 4 Produce a business proposal.

## **Learning Outcomes of Assessments**

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

Portfolio	1	2
Report	3	4

## **Outline Syllabus**

*Career Management.*

*Finding your Profile (Self-Awareness):*

*Matching interests, strengths and activities with the world of work, being introduced to current trends within the labour market, researching opportunities available to business graduates.*

*Effective Applications:*

*Developing a business solution*

*Project management*

*Research methods*

*Consultancy*

*Client management*

## **Learning Activities**

The module uses a mix of workshops and practical sessions to deliver its content, covering different parts of the module syllabus.

## **Notes**

Notes will be available on Blackboard