

Liverpool John Moores University

Title: WORK BASED LEARNING 1
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Owning School/Faculty: Sports Studies, Leisure and Nutrition
Teaching School/Faculty: Sports Studies, Leisure and Nutrition

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Academic Level: FHEQ5
Credit Value: 12
Total Delivered Hours: 14
Total Learning Hours: 120
Private Study: 106

Delivery Options

Course typically offered: Standard Year Long

Component	Contact Hours
Lecture	6
Seminar	6
Tutorial	2

Grading Basis: 40 %

Assessment Details

Category	Short Description	Description	Weighting (%)	Exam Duration
Reflection	AS1	Reflective Learning Log	85	
Reflection	AS2	Learning Agreement	10	
Reflection	AS3	Agency Report	5	

Aims

To provide an opportunity to experience at first hand how an agency (public, private or voluntary) operates in order to implement its policies and to deliver its goods/ services; to begin the process of making links between placement experiences and theoretical studies; to encourage the use of placement experiences as a source of data for course based work/academic study; to provide an opportunity to gain

experience of an area of work which is/ may be relevant to future career choice. The opportunity to display professional communications and behaviour.

Learning Outcomes

After completing the module the student should be able to:

- 1 Work professionally and effectively taking responsibility for own learning, and as part of a team, and as a member of the work force in the agency for a prescribed period
- 2 Understand the role of the agency and how it seeks to achieve its goals
- 3 Understand how the agency is managed and relate theoretical perspectives to practical situations
- 4 Communicate professionally, in writing and verbally, with the Work Related Learning Unit, the 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:

Learning Log	1	2	3	4	5	6
Learning Agreement	5	6				
Agency report	1	2	3	4	6	

Outline Syllabus

Complete a skills audit; produce a CV; Students are to communicate professionally with the University Work Related Learning Unit to ascertain a placement, completing tasks by deadlines; develop and negotiate a learning agreement; undertake personal development techniques; consider Kolbs experiential learning cycle and apply it to placement experience; undertake and complete a WBL placement according to stated aims and objectives.

Learning Activities

This module is delivered through a series of lectures, workshops and tutorials. Students are required to complete a 4 week work placement.

Notes

Work Based Learning placements are essential to enable theory application to be

put into practice in a work situation. Furthermore they are vital to introduce future employment opportunities. Within the course progression there should be an increasing degree of responsibility and independent work. . It is imperative that students communicate with the Work Related Learning Unit ensuring information is provided at appropriate times and deadlines. The WBLU Manager has the discretion to withdraw support from students who do not provide the required information within reasonable timescales. A project should be undertaken for the Agency, where possible.