

## Liverpool John Moores University

Title: Microprocessors Based Systems  
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Owning School/Faculty: Electronics and Electrical Engineering  
Teaching School/Faculty: Electronics and Electrical Engineering

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**Academic Level:** FHEQ5      **Credit Value:** 20      **Total Delivered Hours:** 75  
**Total Learning Hours:** 200      **Private Study:** 125

### Delivery Options

Course typically offered: Standard Year Long

Component	Contact Hours
Lecture	24
Practical	24
Seminar	24

**Grading Basis:** 40 %

### Assessment Details

Category	Short Description	Description	Weighting (%)	Exam Duration
Exam	Exam		60	3
Technology	Tech		20	
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### Aims

*To enhance knowledge and understanding of microprocessor based-system architecture, the techniques and methods for interfacing with microprocessor based-systems*

## Learning Outcomes

After completing the module the student should be able to:

- 1 Design and test programs using PIC specific 'C'.
- 2 To develop and execute simple applications using a standard PIC development board and associated accessories.
- 3 Design/test a function/ladder logic program for an automation system/process
- 4 Interface a Programmable Logic Controller to a process

## Learning Outcomes of Assessments

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

Exam	1	2	3	4
Technology 1	1	2		
Technology 2	3	4		

## Outline Syllabus

*Review Typical Microprocessor-based system architecture; Memory and I/O sub-systems; Digital to analogue conversion; Analogue to digital conversion; Microprocessor-based system interfacing and data transfer; C Programming and PIC specific C programming; Programmable Logic Controller evolution and structure; Basic logic functions and ladder logic programming; Combinational and sequential problems; Programmable Logic Controller functions*

## Learning Activities

Series of Lectures, tutorials, seminars and practical classes

## Notes

This module develops students learning in microprocessor based systems. It also introduces PLCs and associated programming. The module will afford students the opportunity to develop integrated hardware and software solutions.