

Liverpool John Moores University

Title: MARITIME LAW
Status: Definitive
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Owning School/Faculty: Engineering
Teaching School/Faculty: Engineering

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Academic Level: FHEQ5
Credit Value: 20
Total Delivered Hours: 74
Total Learning Hours: 200
Private Study: 126

Delivery Options

Course typically offered: Semester 1

Component	Contact Hours
Lecture	60
Tutorial	12

Grading Basis: 40 %

Assessment Details

Category	Short Description	Description	Weighting (%)	Exam Duration
Exam	AS1	Examination	50	2
Report	AS2	Report	50	

Aims

To develop an awareness of the legislative requirements and measures for the safe operation of merchant vessels.

Learning Outcomes

After completing the module the student should be able to:

- 1 Assess the responsibilities of seagoing vessels under International Maritime Law, recommendations and national legislation
- 2 Apply commercial law to ships.
- 3 Discuss the role of senior deck officer in personnel management.
- 4 Examine quality assurance and safety management systems related to ships.

Learning Outcomes of Assessments

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

Examination	1	2
Report	3	4

Outline Syllabus

Agreements and conventions.

Safety Management and Quality Assurance Legislation, Codes and Guidance.

The application of Safety Management Systems.

The principles of UK and international legislation.

The application of UK and international law.

Application of relevant international regulations, codes and standards concerning the safe handling, stowage, securing and transport of cargoes. Commercial Law Management theory and skills, Personnel management theory, Employment law and application of MLC2006.

Learning Activities

Lectures and tutorials. Seminars and case studies will be used to develop student ability in applying complex legal requirements.

Notes

This module can contribute to the underpinning knowledge required for progression to an Officer of the Watch professional qualification.