

Research Paper

Module Information

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Summary Information

Module Code	5102HIST
Formal Module Title	Research Paper
Owning School	Humanities and Social Science
Career	Undergraduate
Credits	20
Academic level	FHEQ Level 5
Grading Schema	40

Teaching Responsibility

LJMU Schools involved in Delivery	
Humanities and Social Science	

Learning Methods

Learning Method Type	Hours
Online	2
Tutorial	33

Module Offering(s)

Display Name	Location	Start Month	Duration Number Duration Unit
			12 Weeks

Aims and Outcomes

Aims 1. To allow students undertake an in-depth and defined research paper on a topic arising fristudies undertaken in another module or modules at Level 5.2. To develop the ability of students to plan, implement and complete a substantial piece of written work under the guidance of a supervisor who has subject expertise.3. To develop the ability of students to discern, analyse and present a range of sources in a clear and articulate manner.	
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After completing the module the student should be able to:

Learning Outcomes

Code	Number	Description
MLO1	1	Define a historical problem and analyse it with appropriate depth and clarity.
MLO2	2	Demonstrate in-depth specialized and critical knowledge of a specific historical topic and the historiographical debates relating to it.
MLO3	3	Discuss and present an articulate and coherent argument with appropriate evidence.

Module Content

Outline Syllabus	In this module students will write a 5000 words research paper worth 100% on one of the option modules taken in either Semester 1 or Semester 2. Students will be supervised according to subject specialism. This ensures that students have both a basic knowledge base and expertise as a foundation for their long essay. The 5000 words essay must be on a different period and/or topic to the written assignment submitted in option modules. The essay will be allocated to supervisors according to specialism.
Module Overview	You will undertake an in-depth and defined research paper on a topic arising from studies undertaken in another module or modules at Level 5. This will allow you to develop the ability to plan, implement and complete a substantial piece of written work under the guidance of a supervisor who has subject expertise.
Additional Information	In Semester 2 students write a 5000 words research paper worth 100%. Students will be supervised according to subject specialism. Students choose one of ten questions on which to write their essay.

Assessments

Assignment Category	Assessment Name	Weight	Exam/Test Length (hours)	Module Learning Outcome Mapping
Essay	Research Paper (5000 words)	100	0	MLO1, MLO2, MLO3

Module Contacts

Module Leader

Contact Name	Applies to all offerings	Offerings
Christopher Vaughan	Yes	N/A
Christopher Vaughan	Yes	N/A

Partner Module Team

	Contact Name	Applies to all offerings	Offerings
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