

## Introduction to Business Law

### Module Information

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#### Summary Information

Module Code	5105LAWSL
Formal Module Title	Introduction to Business Law
Owning School	Law
Career	Undergraduate
Credits	20
Academic level	FHEQ Level 5
Grading Schema	40

#### Teaching Responsibility

LJMU Schools involved in Delivery
LJMU Partner Taught

#### Partner Teaching Institution

Institution Name
Sri Lanka Institute of Information Technology

#### Learning Methods

Learning Method Type	Hours
Lecture	12
Online	10
Seminar	7
Workshop	17

#### Module Offering(s)

Display Name	Location	Start Month	Duration Number Duration Unit
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SEP-PAR	PAR	September	12 Weeks
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## Aims and Outcomes

Aims	To provide an introduction to the ways in which businesses are set up, managed and might evolve .To explore the different organizational structures that a business can adopt in their start-up and development stages. To consider the relationship between those persons involved in the management of a business under each business model and the powers, rights and duties of such persons as between each other. To provide an introduction to sales law and product liability.To provide a brief introduction to agency. To enable students to apply basic law in a variety of business scenario.
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**After completing the module the student should be able to:**

### Learning Outcomes

Code	Number	Description
MLO1	1	Evaluate the different forms of business models available in English Law; compare and contrast different business models and recognise the strengths and weaknesses that each model represents.
MLO2	2	Define and evaluate the relationship, powers, rights and duties, between those persons involved in the management of a business under each business model.
MLO3	3	Demonstrate understanding of key aspects of product liability legislation and the potential impact on businesses.
MLO4	4	Demonstrate and apply knowledge of basic sales and agency law in advising persons engaged in running and working in a business.

## Module Content

Outline Syllabus	The indicative syllabus for the Introduction to Business Law is as follows: • Business formats • General Partnerships – creation, operation (including the powers, rights, duties and obligations of partners inter se) and dissolution • Limited Liability Partnerships • Companies – creation, operation management and dissolution • Product Liability and Sale of Goods • Agency
Module Overview	
Additional Information	The module is an introduction to specific elements of business law. Topics will include sole traders, formation and management of partnerships, an introduction to incorporated structures with emphasis on formation and management. The module will also take an introductory look at some contemporary issues in sales law, agency law and aspects of product liability legislation as affecting business.

## Assessments

Assignment Category	Assessment Name	Weight	Exam/Test Length (hours)	Module Learning Outcome Mapping
Report	4000 words assignment	100	0	MLO1, MLO2, MLO3, MLO4

## Module Contacts

