# **Liverpool** John Moores University

Title: HR Behaviours and Functions

Status: Definitive

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Owning School/Faculty: Business and Management Teaching School/Faculty: Business and Management

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Academic Credit Total

Level: FHEQ5 Value: 20 Delivered 33

**Hours:** 

Total Private

Learning 200 Study: 167

**Hours:** 

**Delivery Options** 

Course typically offered: Semester 2

Component	Contact Hours
Online	11
Workshop	22

**Grading Basis:** 40 %

#### **Assessment Details**

Category	Short	Description	Weighting	Exam
	Description		(%)	Duration
Report	Report	2000 word business report supported by formatively assessed group work.	60	
Presentation	Pres	15 minute presentation on key HR functions covered during the module.	40	

## Aims

The module will introduce students to professional HRM Practice and combine academic theory and practitioner skills to core concepts such as; HRM approaches, dimensions of HR strategy and HR policy. The module will be step one in providing

the knowledge requirements of the CIPD Certificate Intermediate Standards equipping students with the academic content required to achieve Associate Membership CIPD.

## **Learning Outcomes**

After completing the module the student should be able to:

- 1 Discuss HR within the widening business context.
- 2 Define the behaviours and competencies required of a HR practitioner.
- 3 Discuss the function of HR and the purposes of policy and procedure.
- 4 Describe HR leadership models.

## **Learning Outcomes of Assessments**

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

Report	2	1	3	4
Presentation	2	1	3	4

## **Outline Syllabus**

The Strategic Functions of HR
Vertical and Horizontal Integration
HR in a Strategic Business Context
Internal and External Situational Factors
HR Models
Hard and Soft HRM
Human Resource Planning and the Labour Market
Recruitment and Selection Options & Tactics
Workforce and Organisational Flexibility
HR Report Writing & Data Analysis
Presentation

### **Learning Activities**

Workshops incorporating participative lectures and online access to materials to identify key areas of theory and literature and develop critical skills to analyse use of theory and literature within an organisational context. The online access supports the private study outside the scheduled teaching to complete formative assessments.

#### **Notes**

The concepts of HR behaviours and functions and CIPD professional map.