

International Trade Law

Module Information

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Summary Information

Module Code	5111LAWBL
Formal Module Title	International Trade Law
Owning School	Law
Career	Undergraduate
Credits	20
Academic level	FHEQ Level 5
Grading Schema	40

Teaching Responsibility

LJMU Schools involved in Delivery
Law

Learning Methods

Learning Method Type	Hours
Lecture	24
Seminar	12
Tutorial	12

Module Offering(s)

Display Name	Location	Start Month	Duration Number Duration Unit
SEP-MTP	MTP	September	12 Weeks

Aims and Outcomes

Aims	The principal aims of this Module are to:- • To examine the way in which global trade is carried out • To gain an understanding of the risks, problems and solutions impacting international trade • To consider the influence of politics and geo-political organisations • To gain an understanding of the financial aspects of international trade • To gain an understanding of carriage of goods and insurance
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After completing the module the student should be able to:

Learning Outcomes

Code	Number	Description
MLO1	1	Demonstrate knowledge and understanding of the contemporary issues relating to international trade
MLO2	2	Evaluate the arguments, assumptions and concepts relating to international trade
MLO3	3	Develop an ability to exercise initiative when faced with international trade problem scenarios
MLO4	4	Demonstrate an understanding of the rights, roles and responsibilities of the various players in international trade.

Module Content

Outline Syllabus	The indicative syllabus for International Trade Law is as follows: • Motivations for international trade • Workings of GATT / WTO • International Sales Contracts • Financing International Trade • Dispute Resolution in International Trade • Marine Insurance
Module Overview	This module introduces you to the basic principles of international trade drawing on an understanding of the motivations for nations to engage in international trade and a review of the general principles which underpin the legal regulation of international trade. Key to this is an overview and understanding of the working of the GATT and the WTO and their role in the regulation of international trade. Furthermore, the module introduces the mechanisms for financing international trade and resolving international trade disputes.
Additional Information	This module is essentially an introduction to the basic principles of international trade drawing on an understanding of the motivations for nations to engage in international trade and a review of the general principles which underpin the legal regulation of international trade. Key to this is an overview and understanding of the working of the GATT and the WTO and their role in the regulation of international trade. Further, the module introduces the mechanisms for financing international trade and resolving international trade disputes.

Assessments

Assignment Category	Assessment Name	Weight	Exam/Test Length (hours)	Module Learning Outcome Mapping
Portfolio	2000 word essay	50	0	MLO1, MLO2, MLO3, MLO4
Centralised Exam	2 hour exam	50	2	MLO1, MLO2, MLO3, MLO4

Module Contacts

Module Leader

Contact Name	Applies to all offerings	Offerings

Laura Samaroo	Yes	N/A
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Partner Module Team

Contact Name	Applies to all offerings	Offerings
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