

Liverpool John Moores University

Title: CONSERVATION PRACTICE AND MANAGEMENT SKILLS
Status: Definitive
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Owning School/Faculty: Biological and Environmental Sciences
Teaching School/Faculty: Biological and Environmental Sciences

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Academic Level: FHEQ5 **Credit Value:** 20 **Total Delivered Hours:** 59
Total Learning Hours: 200 **Private Study:** 141

Delivery Options

Course typically offered: Semester 2

Component	Contact Hours
Lecture	10
Off Site	30
Seminar	4
Tutorial	5
Workshop	10

Grading Basis: 40 %

Assessment Details

Category	Short Description	Description	Weighting (%)	Exam Duration
Presentation	Pres	Management Plan	40	
Report	Fld Report	Field Report	60	

Aims

This module aims to introduce students to conservation practice and management

through largely field based activities on sites of conservation protection or importance. The module is developed to work alongside conservation practice organisation. Students will gain knowledge on development, implementation of conservation management plans, protected area designation and other conservation practices such as habitat restoration and agri-environment schemes.

Learning Outcomes

After completing the module the student should be able to:

- 1 Discuss the process of development, implementation and monitoring of conservation practice techniques
- 2 Explain the process of design implementation and the need for monitoring and evaluation of conservation management plans.
- 3 Show awareness of conservation/wildlife legislation relevant to UK conservation practice
- 4 Apply survey techniques and species identification to monitor the effectiveness of conservation practice

Learning Outcomes of Assessments

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

Management Plan	1	2	3	
Field Report	1	2	3	4

Outline Syllabus

Design, implementation and monitoring of effectiveness of habitat management plans, wildlife law and protected area designation. Other conservation practice techniques such as habitat restoration and agri-environment schemes.

Learning Activities

The module will be largely field based, supported by lectures and workshops

Notes

The course will be with delivered with the assistance of conservation practice organisations. The module will also contain the support and advice tutorials for Semester 2 of level 5