

Liverpool John Moores University

Title: MANAGING BUSINESS PROJECTS
Status: Definitive
Code: **5301BUSBS** (121935)
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Owning School/Faculty: Business and Management
Teaching School/Faculty: Business and Management

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Academic Level: FHEQ5 **Credit Value:** 20 **Total Delivered Hours:** 44
Total Learning Hours: 200 **Private Study:** 156

Delivery Options

Course typically offered: Semester 1

Component	Contact Hours
Lecture	11
Seminar	33

Grading Basis: 40 %

Assessment Details

Category	Short Description	Description	Weighting (%)	Exam Duration
Report	RPT	To replace existing assessment strategy due to COVID 19	50	
Presentation	PRES	To replace existing assessment strategy due to COVID 19	50	

Aims

To develop the essential skills and knowledge needed in order to apply the prince 2 method to the management of organisations projects.

Learning Outcomes

After completing the module the student should be able to:

- 1 Critically review and assess the validity of organisational theory that underpins current project management practices
- 2 Analyse the appropriateness of prince 2 structured approach to project management within organisations.
- 3 Utilise an established software package and an established project management methodology to provide project management information.
- 4 Demonstrate recognised some competencies in an established project management methodology.
- 5 Construct project memoranda demonstrate knowledge and application of the concepts and practice project management.

Learning Outcomes of Assessments

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

Report	4	5	
Group Presentation	1	2	3

Outline Syllabus

The boundary and relationship projects and operations
Prince 2 principles, processes themes
Project success and failure
Team roles in project management
Project management information systems
Project management tools and techniques

Learning Activities

Lectures-formal lecture sessions will be used to introduce key issues from the module

Videos- videos will be shown to supplement the formal lectures. Some of the tutorial sessions will be used to explore issues from the videos in some depth

Group activities-group work is used to encourage you to work with, and learn from others. it also gives you practice of working in teams, which is an integral part of managing a project. A key component of the group activities is the use of a project management simulations.

Individual activities- some activities will be carried out on an individual basis. This will give you the chance to apply some of the key ideas from the module

Tutorials-lively discussion will enable you to enjoy the subject, learn from others and sharpen your own views on the subject. Thorough preparation for tutorials is essential in terms of enabling you to fully participate and as preparation for the assessments. Online tutorials will also be utilised

Notes

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