

# **Design Economics and Project Lifecycle Value Module Information**

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# **Summary Information**

| Module Code         | 5305BEUG                                     |
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| Formal Module Title | Design Economics and Project Lifecycle Value |
| Owning School       | Civil Engineering and Built Environment      |
| Career              | Undergraduate                                |
| Credits             | 20   |
| Academic level      | FHEQ Level 5                                 |
| Grading Schema      | 40   |

#### **Teaching Responsibility**

LJMU Schools involved in Delivery

Civil Engineering and Built Environment

# **Learning Methods**

| Learning Method Type | Hours |
|----------------------|-------|
| Lecture              | 22    |
| Workshop             | 22    |

# Module Offering(s)

| Display Name | Location | Start Month | Duration Number Duration Unit |
|--------------|----------|-------------|-------------------------------|
| JAN-CTY      | CTY      | January     | 12 Weeks                      |

#### **Aims and Outcomes**

|  | To analyse, and evaluate the influence of changes in design parameters on the life cycle value of a project considering multiple performance metrics and commercial targets |
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After completing the module the student should be able to:

#### **Learning Outcomes**

| Code | Number | Description   |
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| MLO1 | 1      | Calculate and interpret the impact of design decisions on the life cycle value of the construction projects using several metrics.            |
| MLO2 | 2      | Quantify environmental impact of a given building using IT tools and evaluate life cycle value with the aim of reducing environmental impact. |
| MLO3 | 3      | Propose design solutions that optimises the trade-off between multiple performance metrics.   |
| MLO4 | 4      | Demonstrate skills in collaborative team working and leadership.  |

# **Module Content**

| Outline Syllabus       | - Introduction to building lifecycle: Cost vs Value- Discounted cash flow: Net Present Value-Building morphology and design parameters and their impact on construction cost, energy, CO2 emissions - Software implementation, BIM Insight - Multi - Objective Optimisation: Maximisation of Net Present Value while minimising Energy Demand and CO2 emission |
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| Module Overview        |  |
| Additional Information | This module aims to analyse, and evaluate the influence of changes in design parameters on the life cycle value of a project considering multiple performance metrics and commercial targets.  |

#### **Assessments**

| Assignment Category | Assessment Name               | Weight | Exam/Test Length (hours) | Module Learning<br>Outcome Mapping |
|---------------------|-------------------------------|--------|--------------------------|------------------------------------|
| Technology          | Software Exercise             | 40     | 0                        | MLO1, MLO2                         |
| Presentation        | Group Presentation and Report | 60     | 0                        | MLO1, MLO2,<br>MLO3, MLO4          |

# **Module Contacts**

#### **Module Leader**

| Contact Name | Applies to all offerings | Offerings |
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#### Partner Module Team

| Contact Name Applies to all offerings Offerings | Contact Name | Applies to all offerings | Offerings |  |
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