

### Summary Information

Module Code	5500EDLBHG
Formal Module Title	Digital and Embedded Systems
Owning School	Engineering
Career	Undergraduate
Credits	20
Academic level	FHEQ Level 5
Grading Schema	40

### Teaching Responsibility

LJMU Schools involved in Delivery
LJMU Partner Taught

### Partner Teaching Institution

Institution Name
Beaconhouse Group

### Learning Methods

Learning Method Type	Hours
Online	22
Practical	44

### Module Offering(s)

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

## Aims and Outcomes

Aims	The module aims to broaden the students' knowledge and understanding of digital circuit design, and examines modern microcontroller architectures and the interface requirements to external systems. It also aims to provide students with practical skills necessary to design, analyse and implement electronic circuits controlled by microcontrollers and finite state machines
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**After completing the module the student should be able to:**

### Learning Outcomes

Code	Number	Description
MLO1	1	Define electronic circuit operations and design
MLO2	2	Design, analyse and implement finite state machine based digital circuits
MLO3	3	Describe and identify suitable interfaces for modern microcontroller/embedded systems
MLO4	4	Select appropriate hardware, software platforms and interface considering power, cost and capability requirements
MLO5	5	Produce integrated embedded systems with external sensors and actuators

## Module Content

Outline Syllabus	Review of Boolean algebra and Karnaugh maps. Synchronous sequential state machine design and analysis, including Mealy, Moore and mixed type circuits. Asynchronous sequential design. Identify the advantages and disadvantages of various processors available on the market. Research the costs of mass production identifying the power and capability of the devices. Plan for the power requirements of embedded systems, considering different use case requirements. Create embedded systems that interface with various sensors, both analogue and digital, ensuring that inputs are buffered to protect the processor for hazardous conditions. Integrate processors with control devices e.g. Servos, Motors
Module Overview	
Additional Information	This module introduces the students to digital electronics and the application of Embedded processors in electrical circuits.

## Assessments

Assignment Category	Assessment Name	Weight	Exam/Test Length (hours)	Module Learning Outcome Mapping
Exam	Exam	70	2	MLO1, MLO2, MLO3, MLO4
Report	D&E Systems Assignment	30	0	MLO2, MLO4, MLO5

## Module Contacts

### Module Leader

Contact Name	Applies to all offerings	Offerings
Russell English	Yes	N/A

**Partner Module Team**

Contact Name	Applies to all offerings	Offerings
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