

Liverpool John Moores University

Title: E-BUSINESS LAW
Status: Definitive
Code: **5500TECYPC** (115858)
Version Start Date: 01-08-2018

Owning School/Faculty: Electronics and Electrical Engineering
Teaching School/Faculty: YPC International College (Kolej Antarabangsa YPC)

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Academic Level: FHEQ5
Credit Value: 12
Total Delivered Hours: 24
Total Learning Hours: 120
Private Study: 96

Delivery Options

Course typically offered: Semester 2

Component	Contact Hours
Lecture	12
Tutorial	12

Grading Basis: 40 %

Assessment Details

Category	Short Description	Description	Weighting (%)	Exam Duration
Report	AS1	Coursework - 3500 words	100	

Aims

- (i) To provide an introduction to the legal process.
- (ii) To provide an overview of the legal issues relating to information technology, it's provision and its use with reference to contracting for software and hardware.
- (iii) To consider the particular legal problems and challenges created by their extensive use of the Internet for business, particularly issues of data protection, e-commerce and intellectual property.

Learning Outcomes

After completing the module the student should be able to:

- 1 Articulate comprehension of the legal process.
- 2 Demonstrate a knowledge of the legal issues relating to the information technologies.
- 3 Demonstrate an understanding of the legal problems created by the extensive use of information technology, particularly issues of computer contracting.
- 4 Show an appreciation of the main legal challenges posed by the use of the internet in business particularly data protection, e-commerce and intellectual property.
- 5 Demonstrate a well-developed ability to use a wide variety of standard and legal and other electronic sources of information.
- 6 Plan and manage course work

Learning Outcomes of Assessments

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

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Outline Syllabus

1. Introduction to the legal process - sources of law, administration of the law in courts, tribunals and by alternate dispute resolution. An introduction to IT Law and the main legal issues.

2. Computer Contracts, System Supply, Information system outsourcing

*3. Internet and Business Data Protection and Privacy
Commerce in Cyberspace: E-commerce and the legal challenges in e-commerce - tax, jurisdiction, and authentication.
Intellectual Property: Copyright and Patent Protection on the Internet, works and programs e.g. utilities and software, webs sites, music (MP3), video, and images.*

Learning Activities

Combination of lectures and tutorials

Notes

This module provides an initial grounding in the Law as it affects e-business.