

Summary Information

Module Code	5505PSYSLI
Formal Module Title	Careers and Employability
Owning School	Psychology
Career	Undergraduate
Credits	10
Academic level	FHEQ Level 5
Grading Schema	40

Teaching Responsibility

LJMU Schools involved in Delivery
LJMU Partner Taught

Partner Teaching Institution

Institution Name
Sri Lanka Institute of Information Technology

Learning Methods

Learning Method Type	Hours
Lecture	14
Seminar	2
Tutorial	5

Module Offering(s)

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

Aims and Outcomes

Aims	1. To equip students with employability related skills.2. To focus students on their future careers, and help them to prepare for the career they want.3. To provide opportunities for students to gain an understanding of careers they can access with their psychology degree, and how they can work towards these.4. To develop students' psychological literacy skills.
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After completing the module the student should be able to:

Learning Outcomes

Code	Number	Description
MLO1	1	Demonstrate a critically reflective approach to career decision making options.
MLO2	2	Critically appraise personal development, self-efficacy and transferable skills in relation to career goals.
MLO3	3	Critically evaluate opportunities to enhance sustainable employability.

Module Content

Outline Syllabus	This module focuses on developing career plans and goals, and enhancing employability and psychological literacy related skills. The module encourages students to be insightful and reflective about their behaviours and mental processes. The lectures will be delivered by members of staff with expertise in these areas and some lectures will also include talks by external speakers to discuss specific careers and options within and outside of psychology. It is recognised that not all students go on to psychology specific careers, so the module will cover wider options, with a focus on transferable skills and psychological literacy. The module provides opportunities for further development by giving students the option of completing a work placement. As part of the assessment, students will be required to complete a presentation to develop their presentation and oral communication skills. Students will be also required to submit a CV and cover letter as a part of application for a fictional psychology job. Tutorials will focus on employability skills and specific skills relating to the coursework, and also personal development planning.
Module Overview	
Additional Information	This module discusses careers within and outside of psychology, and enhances students' employability and psychological literacy skills. It aims to raise students' awareness of various career paths and opportunities with their psychology degree. Students will complete an oral presentation, which is an essential employability skill. There will be a focus on using psychological literacy skills throughout. Tutorials will support students in these areas.

Assessments

Assignment Category	Assessment Name	Weight	Exam/Test Length (hours)	Module Learning Outcome Mapping
Portfolio	Portfolio	100	0	MLO2, MLO3, MLO1

Module Contacts

Module Leader

Contact Name	Applies to all offerings	Offerings

Simon Cooper	Yes	N/A
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Partner Module Team

Contact Name	Applies to all offerings	Offerings
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