

Maritime Law

Module Information

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Summary Information

Module Code	5511LAWSL
Formal Module Title	Maritime Law
Owning School	Law
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
Sri Lanka Institute of Information Technology

Learning Methods

Learning Method Type	Hours
Lecture	20
Seminar	12
Workshop	4

Module Offering(s)

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

Aims and Outcomes

Aims	1. To introduce the basics of International maritime law.2. To develop a critical understanding of commercial maritime issues.3. To identify the major issues when ships enter into difficulty at sea.4. To consider the adequacy of the current legal structure of the modern maritimecontract.5. To consider the adequacy of the published material in Maritime Law.
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After completing the module the student should be able to:

Learning Outcomes

Code	Number	Description
MLO1	1	Evaluate the nature of the legal framework, structure and regulation impacting on Maritime actors.
MLO2	2	Evaluate key issues and current developments in the area of Maritime Law.
MLO3	3	Understand and show and critical awareness of current problems and contemporary issues and/or insights into the changing nature of UK and international Maritime Law
MLO4	4	Provide rigorous and novel solutions to complex problems

Module Content

Outline Syllabus	1. Introduction to Maritime Law (including Shipbuilding, Sale, Finance, Registration and Enforcement)2. Public International Law and the Law of the Sea3. The Conflict of Laws relating to Maritime Law4. Charterparties5. International Trade and Shipping6. Cargo Claims and Bills of Lading7. Marine Insurance8. Carriage of Passengers9. Liabilities of the Vessel (Collision, Salvage, Average Adjusting)10. Piracy and Legal Liabilities
Module Overview	
Additional Information	This course covers legal principles that govern Commercial issues in Maritime law,Public International Law and the Law of the Sea. Students will learn about maritimeissues such as Cargo Claims and Bills of Lading, International Trade and Shipping,Marine Insurance, Carriage of Passengers Liabilities of the Vessel (Collision,Salvage, Average Adjusting) and Piracy.

Assessments

Assignment Category	Assessment Name	Weight	Exam/Test Length (hours)	Module Learning Outcome Mapping
Essay	4500 word essay	100	0	MLO1, MLO2, MLO3, MLO4

Module Contacts