

Liverpool John Moores University

Title: INDIVIDUAL PROJECT
Status: Definitive
Code: **6000BEUG** (102780)
Version Start Date: 01-08-2011

Owning School/Faculty: Built Environment
Teaching School/Faculty: Built Environment

| Team | Leader |
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| Sarah Buxbaum | Y |

Academic Level: FHEQ6
Credit Value: 24.00
Total Delivered Hours: 40.00
Total Learning Hours: 240
Private Study: 200

Delivery Options

Course typically offered: Standard Year Long

| Component | Contact Hours |
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| Lecture | 4.000 |
| Tutorial | 36.000 |

Grading Basis: 40 %

Assessment Details

| Category | Short Description | Description | Weighting (%) | Exam Duration |
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| Dissertation | AS1 | Primarily a bound dissertation. Other course works may be required, for example an early research proposal. | 100.0 | |

Aims

To enable students to undertake a substantial piece of individual student led work so as to develop their expertise in a selected area of study and gain an appreciation of the necessary research and time management skills.

To develop research and investigative abilities together with problem solving skills and organisational skills in devising and managing their own research project work.

To enable students to demonstrate a knowledge and critical assessment of the literature in a subject area as well as skills in the presentation and communication of

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| Title | Research Methods for Business Students |
| Subtitle | |
| Edition | 4th Edition |
| Publisher | Prentice Hall |
| ISBN | 0273701487 |

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| Course Material | Book |
| Author | Fellows, R., Liu, A., |
| Publishing Year | 2002 |
| Title | Research Methods in Construction |
| Subtitle | |
| Edition | 2nd Edition |
| Publisher | Blackwell Science Ltd |
| ISBN | 0632064358 |

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| Course Material | Book |
| Author | Naoum, S. |
| Publishing Year | 2006 |
| Title | Dissertation Research and Writing for Construction Students |
| Subtitle | |
| Edition | 2nd Edition |
| Publisher | Elsevier Science & Technology |
| ISBN | 0750682647 |

Notes

The project/dissertation is undertaken on an individual basis by a student who wishes to carry out an in depth study so as to develop practical skills in the execution of a research project. Such a study would involve the adoption of either qualitative or a quantitative approach. The work would be original for the student and integrate with previously published academic studies.