Liverpool John Moores University

Title: DISSERTATION

Status: Definitive

Code: **6000GNBMOL** (101557)

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Owning School/Faculty: Pharmacy & Biomolecular Sciences Teaching School/Faculty: Pharmacy & Biomolecular Sciences

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Academic Credit Total

Level: FHEQ6 Value: 12.00 Delivered 7.20

Hours:

Total Private

Learning 120 Study: 112

Hours:

Delivery Options

Course typically offered: Semester 1

Component	Contact Hours
Lecture	2.000
Seminar	0.200
Tutorial	5.000

Grading Basis: 40 %

Assessment Details

Category	Short Description	Description	Weighting (%)	Exam Duration
Report	Plan	Outline plan of the dissertation	10.0	
Dissertation	Dissertati	Dissertation	80.0	
Presentation	Oral	Oral presentation	10.0	

Aims

To provide an opportunity to develop skills in independent study, location and

analysis of information, oral presentation and written communication by presenting a critical review of a chosen topic in the field of Biomolecular Science.

Learning Outcomes

After completing the module the student should be able to:

- 1 Use the library, online journals and other resources to gather information for an indepth review and to work independently in the collection, analysis and presentation of material.
- 2 Demonstrate competence by producing a properly constructed and referenced report that reviews published material.
- 3 Communicate the findings of the dissertation via an oral presentation

Learning Outcomes of Assessments

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

Produce an outline	1	2
plan Final Dissertation	1	2
Oral Presentation	3	

Outline Syllabus

Library Facilities
Approach to a dissertation
Report writing
Oral presentation

Learning Activities

2 hours of Lectures 5 hours tutorial with individual supervisor oral presentation

References

Course Material	Book
Author	
Publishing Year	0
Title	Key references will be provided by the supervisor.
Subtitle	
Edition	

Publisher	
ISBN	

Course Material	Book
Author	Rudestam, K. E. & Newton, R.R.
Publishing Year	2007
Title	Surviving your dissertation: a comprehensive guide to
	content and process
Subtitle	
Edition	3
Publisher	SAGE
ISBN	9781412916790

Course Material	Book
Author	Greetham, B.
Publishing Year	2009
Title	How to write your undergraduate dissertation
Subtitle	
Edition	1
Publisher	Palgrave Macmillan
ISBN	9780230218758

Notes

This dissertation module offers students in Pharmacy & Biomolecular Science an opportunity to explore in depth an area of personal or professional interest that relates to their programme of study.