

Summary Information

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| Module Code | 6001PHASCI |
| Formal Module Title | Industrial Drug Development |
| Owning School | Pharmacy & Biomolecular Sciences |
| Career | Undergraduate |
| Credits | 20 |
| Academic level | FHEQ Level 6 |
| Grading Schema | 40 |

Module Contacts

Module Leader

| Contact Name | Applies to all offerings | Offerings |
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| Matthew Roberts | Yes | N/A |

Module Team Member

| Contact Name | Applies to all offerings | Offerings |
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| Touraj Ehtezazi | Yes | N/A |
| Alice McCloskey | Yes | N/A |
| Iftikhar Khan | Yes | N/A |

Partner Module Team

| Contact Name | Applies to all offerings | Offerings |
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Teaching Responsibility

| LJMU Schools involved in Delivery |
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| Pharmacy & Biomolecular Sciences |

Learning Methods

| Learning Method Type | Hours |
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| Lecture | 30 |
| Off Site | 8 |
| Workshop | 12 |

Module Offering(s)

| Offering Code | Location | Start Month | Duration |
|---------------|----------|-------------|----------|
| JAN-MTP | MTP | January | 12 Weeks |

Aims and Outcomes

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| Aims | To present information relating to pharmaceutical manufacturing processes and the associated regulatory controls to ensure consistency of patient safety. |
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Learning Outcomes

After completing the module the student should be able to:

| Code | Description |
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| MLO1 | Evaluate the various processes involved in the industrial development and production of pharmaceutical and cosmetic products. |
| MLO2 | Critically appraise the requirements for product registration and the role of regulatory bodies in the licensing process |
| MLO3 | Synthesise a coherent proposal for the development of a theoretical product based on existing scientific data |

Module Content

Outline Syllabus

Material will be delivered within 6 specified industrially relevant topics, which may be subject to change depending on current staff expertise and will focus on topical delivery systems of current interest. Potential topics include:

1. Formulation development and scale-up of pharmaceutical manufacturing processes
2. The structure of a pharmaceutical company
3. GMP, Quality Assurance and the role of the Qualified Person
4. Pharmaceutical product licensing
5. The role of regulatory authorities within the Pharmaceutical Industry
6. The International Conference on Harmonisation (ICH) process

Module Overview

Within this module, you will gain information relating to pharmaceutical manufacturing processes and the associated regulatory controls to ensure consistency of patient safety.

Additional Information

The Industrial Drug Development module will provide undergraduate students with information relating to manufacturing processes and associated regulatory controls within the Pharmaceutical Industry in order to ensure the consistency of patient safety. To achieve this a number of aspects will be considered including for example strategies associated with formulation development and material scale-up, organisational aspects within the Pharmaceutical Industry, the regulation of pharmaceutical manufacture and guidelines to ensure appropriate formulation development.

The requirement for professional behaviour within the Pharmaceutical Industry will be underscored throughout the module. A competency in this field will not be assessed.

Assessments

| Assignment Category | Assessment Name | Weight | Exam/Test Length (hours) | Learning Outcome Mapping |
|---------------------|-----------------|--------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| Presentation | Presentation | 40 | 0 | MLO3 |
| Centralised Exam | Exam | 60 | 2 | MLO1, MLO2 |