Liverpool John Moores University

Title: DEVELOPMENT OF PEOPLE IN AN INTERNATIONAL

ENVIRONMENT

Status: Definitive

Code: **6006BUSHM** (108175)

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Owning School/Faculty: Liverpool Business School Teaching School/Faculty: Liverpool Business School

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Academic Credit Total

Level: FHEQ6 Value: 12.00 Delivered 26.00

Hours:

Total Private

Learning 120 Study: 94

Hours:

Delivery Options

Course typically offered: Semester 2

Component	Contact Hours
Workshop	26.000

Grading Basis: 40 %

Assessment Details

Category	Short Description	Description	Weighting (%)	Exam Duration
Report	AS1	Individual Assignments.	100.0	

Aims

This module explores the challenges faced by organisations operating within an international arena. The module evaluates the potential of Human Resource Development (HRD) and explores the relationship between HRD and the wider strategic management of organisations within a global market place.

Learning Outcomes

After completing the module the student should be able to:

- 1 Compare HRD within different cultures.
- 2 Evaluate different national approaches to HRD.
- 3 Explore the relationship between learning and performance and the issues involved in integrating learning with working.

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- 4 Plan an approach to managing the development of people working in an international arena.
- Assess the contribution of organisational learning to the achievement of organisational objectives.

Learning Outcomes of Assessments

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

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Outline Syllabus

The emerging knowledge economy - competing in a global economy.

Preparing managers for overseas assignments.

Managing International careers and teams.

HRD: country frameworks - the drive for competitive advantage.

HRD needs; design and delivery of HRD; evaluation.

The ethical dimension.

Challenges for HRD in a global arena.

Learning Activities

Workshop to include pre-reading, tutor input, and group work.

References

Course Material	Book
Author	Gibb, S
Publishing Year	2007
Title	Human Resource Development
Subtitle	Process, Practices and Perspectives
Edition	2nd edition
Publisher	Palgrave MacMillan
ISBN	

Course Material	Book
Author	Garvey, B and Williamson, B
Publishing Year	2002
Title	Beyond Knowledge Management
Subtitle	Dialogue, Creativity and the Corporate Curriculum

Edition	
Publisher	Financial Times, Prentice Hall
ISBN	

Course Material	Book
Author	Harrison, R
Publishing Year	2005
Title	Learning and Development
Subtitle	
Edition	
Publisher	London, CIPD
ISBN	

Course Material	Book
Author	Harrison, R and Kessels, J
Publishing Year	2003
Title	Human Resource Development in a Knowledge Economy
Subtitle	An Organisational View
Edition	
Publisher	Basingstoke, Palgrave Macmillan
ISBN	

Course Material	Book
Author	Rigg, C, Stewart, J and Trehan, K
Publishing Year	2008
Title	Critical Human Resource Development
Subtitle	Beyond Orthodoxy
Edition	
Publisher	London, Routledge
ISBN	

Course Material	Book
Author	Woodall, J, Lee, M and Stewart, J (ed)
Publishing Year	2003
Title	New Frontiers in HRD
Subtitle	
Edition	
Publisher	London, Routledge
ISBN	

Notes

This module will draw on a broad selection of recent literature and international research in order to provide a critical approach to the study of HRD. The module will explore the challenges involved in developing people within an international arena.