

Liverpool John Moores University

Title: Contemporary Project Management and Practice
Status: Definitive
Code: **6007LBSBSC** (126359)
Version Start Date: 01-08-2021

Owning School/Faculty: Business and Management
Teaching School/Faculty: Business and Management

| Team | Leader |
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Academic Level: FHEQ6
Credit Value: 20
Total Delivered Hours: 44
Total Learning Hours: 200
Private Study: 156

Delivery Options

Course typically offered: Semester 2

| Component | Contact Hours |
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| Lecture | 11 |
| Workshop | 33 |

Grading Basis: 40 %

Assessment Details

| Category | Short Description | Description | Weighting (%) | Exam Duration |
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| Report | Report | Individual Report | 100 | |

Aims

Most project managers have never been trained in problem solving, creative thinking techniques, and decision making. This module provides a focus on transferable soft skills. Through a focus on problem solving, this module allows students to investigate and diagnose using a range of applicable models project issues and solutions, that lead to improved project performance.

Learning Outcomes

After completing the module the student should be able to:

- 1 Demonstrate knowledge and expertise of traditional and contemporary approaches to management of projects.
- 2 Critically analyse project situations and project dynamics and their suitability.
- 3 Apply analytical and behavioural approaches to problem analysis within a project management context.

Learning Outcomes of Assessments

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

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| Individual Report | 1 | 2 | 3 |
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Outline Syllabus

- *Decision making and problem-solving strategies*
- *Strategy implementation*
- *Delivering benefits*
- *Systems thinking*
- *Complexity and uncertainty*
- *Culture and values*
- *Knowledge*
- *Sustainability*
- *Behavioural aspects of project management*

Learning Activities

Formal lectures and workshops.

Notes

No Course Notes Were Provided.