

Liverpool John Moores University

Title: Research Project (Fine Art)
Status: Definitive
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Owning School/Faculty: Liverpool School of Art & Design
Teaching School/Faculty: Liverpool School of Art & Design

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Academic Level: FHEQ6 **Credit Value:** 24.00 **Total Delivered Hours:** 72.00

Total Learning Hours: 240 **Private Study:** 168

Delivery Options

Course typically offered: Standard Year Long

Component	Contact Hours
Lecture	2.000
Online	6.000
Practical	12.000
Seminar	4.000
Tutorial	48.000

Grading Basis: 40 %

Assessment Details

Category	Short Description	Description	Weighting (%)	Exam Duration
Presentation	Assign 1	Presentation of project/dissertation ideas and aims	20.0	
Reflection	Assign 2	Reflective Report and documentary appendices	80.0	

Aims

1. *Develop the ability of students to plan, implement and complete a sustained piece of practical or applied research;*
3. *Encourage students to gain experience and networking contacts in situations outside the University;*
4. *Promote the application of specific and transferable skills in a professional environment.*

Learning Outcomes

After completing the module the student should be able to:

- 1 1 Demonstrate a self-directed approach to personal study;
- 2 2 Research, comprehend, question and use concepts which relate to the chosen project(s);
- 3 3 Display an enhanced level of self-reflection and an understanding of how the project relates to, and enhances, the student's future career ambitions.

Learning Outcomes of Assessments

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

Presentation	1	2	
Reflection	1	2	3

Outline Syllabus

The Learning Outcomes for this module will be achieved through project-based Learning Agreements. Each student will devise their own programme of work, which is supported and guided by tutorials and seminars. Students may work on one or more self-generated projects. They will be expected to work independently and demonstrate an ability to use available resources effectively. Project work submitted for assessment will include a written evaluation.

Typical projects might include:

Writing a researched dissertation of approximately 8000 words;

Curating and Cataloguing an exhibition;

Production of an annotated/audio guide for existing exhibition;

Critical Review(s) of visual production with specific market target;

Research and preparation for a set of public/educational lectures exploring set theme(s);

Authoring websites with relevant content;

Providing an educational programme for a target audience.

Learning Activities

Student will undertake EITHER the writing of a researched dissertation of 5000-6000 words OR their own in-depth programme of projects specified by a Learning Agreement. The Learning Agreement will include the headings of Project

Aims/Presentation/Evaluation and Learning Outcomes. The work submitted will include a self-evaluation report of 2,000-3000 words, supported by evidence in appendices.

References

Course Material	Book
Author	Greetham, B.
Publishing Year	2009
Title	How to Write Your Undergraduate Dissertation
Subtitle	
Edition	
Publisher	Palgrave MacMillan, Basingstoke
ISBN	

Course Material	Book
Author	Lock, D.
Publishing Year	2007
Title	Project Management
Subtitle	
Edition	
Publisher	Electronic Resource
ISBN	

Course Material	Website
Author	
Publishing Year	
Title	http://www.dawsonera.com/depp/athens?url=http://dawsonera.com/depp/reader/protected/external/AbstractView/S9780754686347
Subtitle	
Edition	
Publisher	Electronic Book
ISBN	

Course Material	Book
Author	McNiff, J.
Publishing Year	2010
Title	You and Your Action Research Project
Subtitle	
Edition	
Publisher	Electronic Resource
ISBN	

Course Material	Website
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Author	
Publishing Year	
Title	http://www.dawsonera.com/depp/athens?url=http://dawsonera.com/depp/reader/protected/external/AbstractView/S9780203871553
Subtitle	
Edition	
Publisher	
ISBN	

Course Material	Book
Author	O'Leary, Z.
Publishing Year	2010
Title	The Essential Guide to Doing Your Research Project
Subtitle	
Edition	
Publisher	Sage Publications
ISBN	

Notes

This module enables students to undertake their own in-depth project. Via sustained application and increasing independence of operation, the module provides an opportunity for students to enhance and consolidate intellectual and practical achievements.