Liverpool John Moores University

Title: URBAN REGENERATION AND HEALTH

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Owning School/Faculty: Centre for Public Health Teaching School/Faculty: Centre for Public Health

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Academic Credit Total

Level: FHEQ6 Value: 15.00 Delivered 27.00

Hours:

Total Private

Learning 150 Study: 123

Hours:

Delivery Options

Course typically offered: Semester 1

Component	Contact Hours
Lecture	20.000
Off Site	3.000
Seminar	4.000

Grading Basis: 40 %

Assessment Details

Category	Short	Description	Weighting	Exam
	Description		(%)	Duration
Report	AS1	Report: evaluating an urban regeneration or area renewal project.	50.0	
Report	AS2	Inspection report: draft and evaluate a housing inspection report based on a given scenario	50.0	

Aims

To develop a critical assessment of the changing nature of inner urban areas and the urban regeneration process.

To provide students with an understanding of current housing law as applied to British housing.

To examine remediation and regeneration options available to individuals and local authorities to deal with substandard housing.

Learning Outcomes

After completing the module the student should be able to:

- 1 Critically discuss the changing nature of inner cities and other areas of urban deprivation.
- 2 Defend the use of housing legislation and tools for the protection of occupant's health and safety
- 3 Critically appraise intervention strategies for area renewal and financial support for private sector housing
- 4 Formulate housing inspection reports

Learning Outcomes of Assessments

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

report	1	2	3
insepction report	2	3	4

Outline Syllabus

The nature of urban deprivation and inner city problems: economic; social; physical and fiscal dimensions.

Consideration and evaluation of:

urban regeneration agencies and agencies responsible for housing; the funding of urban regeneration;

good and bad practice in area regeneration and housing maintenance;

The maintenance of private sector housing stock and determinatin of the suitability of houses for occupation.

Housing legislation, statutory instuments and guidelines.

Conducting housing inspections and writing inspection reports giving consideration to the level of risk and identifying the most appropriate course of action to achieve compliance with statutory instuments, codes of practice and government guidance.

Learning Activities

Broken lectures, seminars, debate and study trips to regeneration and housing projects. Student study will be supported through guided reading, Blackboard and recommended websites.

References

Course Material	Book
Author	Roberts P & Sykes H (Eds)
Publishing Year	2000
Title	Urban Regeneration
Subtitle	A Handbook
Edition	
Publisher	Sage
ISBN	

Course Material	Book
Author	Couch C
Publishing Year	2003
Title	'City of Change and Challenge
Subtitle	Planning and Regeneration in Liverpool
Edition	
Publisher	Ashgate
ISBN	

Course Material	Book
Author	HMSO
Publishing Year	2004
Title	The Housing Act 2004
Subtitle	http://www.opsi.gov.uk/ACTS/acts2004/20040034.htm
Edition	
Publisher	TSO
ISBN	

Course Material	Book
Author	HMSO
Publishing Year	2005
Title	The Housing Health and Safety Rating System (England)
	Regulations 2005
Subtitle	http://www.opsi.gov.uk/SI/si2005/20053208.htm
Edition	
Publisher	TSO
ISBN	

Course Material	Book
Author	HMSO
Publishing Year	2006
Title	The Management of Houses in Multiple Occupation
	(England) Regulations 2006
Subtitle	http://www.opsi.gov.uk/SI/si2006/20060372.htm
Edition	
Publisher	TSO
ISBN	

Course Material	Book
Author	Carr
Publishing Year	2005
Title	The Housing Act 2004
Subtitle	a practical guide
Edition	
Publisher	Jordans
ISBN	

Course Material	Book
Author	Office of the Deputy Prime Minister
Publishing Year	2001
Title	Worked examples to support the Housing Health & Safety
	Rating System
Subtitle	http://www.communities.gov.uk/index.asp?id=1155763
Edition	
Publisher	ODPM
ISBN	

Notes

This module will explore the problems and opportunities for urban regeneration, particularly with respect to improvement of housing stock and residential neighbourhoods.