

Summary Information

Module Code	6015LBSBW
Formal Module Title	Contemporary Economic Policy
Owning School	Business and Management
Career	Undergraduate
Credits	20
Academic level	FHEQ Level 6
Grading Schema	40

Teaching Responsibility

LJMU Schools involved in Delivery
Business and Management

Learning Methods

Learning Method Type	Hours
Lecture	11
Online	11
Seminar	22

Module Offering(s)

Display Name	Location	Start Month	Duration Number Duration Unit
JAN-MTP	MTP	January	12 Weeks

Aims and Outcomes

Aims	To provide students with an ability to relate macroeconomic and microeconomic theory to the design and analysis of public policy. To assess the contribution of economics to a range of contemporary policy debates in both the public and private sectors.
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After completing the module the student should be able to:

Learning Outcomes

Code	Number	Description
MLO1	1	Evaluate and apply macroeconomic analysis to a range of public policy choices that are of contemporary importance.
MLO2	2	Critically analyse macroeconomic policy decisions and institutional structures.
MLO3	3	Examine the microeconomic decisions related to a range of public policy choices that are of contemporary importance.
MLO4	4	Critically analyse and evaluate microeconomic policy decisions.

Module Content

Outline Syllabus	Contemporary microeconomic issues – a review of the prominent policy debates including: Inequality Environmental Policy Immigration Contemporary macroeconomic issues – a review of the prominent policy debates including: Economics and the role of the state Monetary and fiscal policy Financial stability
Module Overview	
Additional Information	This module has been designed to introduce students to the exciting areas of economic policy controversies. This module captures the essence of economics and real-world issues and assesses how policy decisions impact on people and firms.

Assessments

Assignment Category	Assessment Name	Weight	Exam/Test Length (hours)	Module Learning Outcome Mapping
Presentation	Report	50	0	MLO3, MLO4
Presentation	Presentation	50	0	MLO1, MLO2

Module Contacts

Module Leader

Contact Name	Applies to all offerings	Offerings
Steve Nolan	Yes	N/A

Partner Module Team

Contact Name	Applies to all offerings	Offerings
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