

## Liverpool John Moores University

Title: COMPUTATIONAL FLUID DYNAMICS FOR DESIGN  
Status: Definitive  
Code: **6082ENG** (115897)  
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Owning School/Faculty: Maritime and Mechanical Engineering  
Teaching School/Faculty: Maritime and Mechanical Engineering

| Team           | Leader |
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**Academic Level:** FHEQ6      **Credit Value:** 10      **Total Delivered Hours:** 33  
**Total Learning Hours:** 100      **Private Study:** 67

### Delivery Options

Course typically offered: Semester 2

| Component | Contact Hours |
|-----------|---------------|
| Lecture   | 11            |
| Practical | 22            |

**Grading Basis:** 40 %

### Assessment Details

| Category | Short Description | Description   | Weighting (%) | Exam Duration |
|----------|-------------------|---|---------------|---------------|
| Test     | AS1               | Invigilated Blackboard test                                 | 40            |               |
| Test     | AS2               | Invigilated Blackboard test with prior seen project element | 60            |               |

### Aims

*To provide the student with a fundamental understanding of important techniques in computational fluid dynamics and to extend their experience and skill with the aid of applications related software.*

### Learning Outcomes

After completing the module the student should be able to:

- 1 Set up and validate CFD model to solve a real fluid flow problem.
- 2 Discuss the limitations and use of CFD as part of the design process.
- 3 Evaluate output from a CFD analysis
- 4 Explain the basic theory underpinning commercial CFD codes.

### **Learning Outcomes of Assessments**

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

|                      |   |   |   |   |
|----------------------|---|---|---|---|
| Blackboard test      | 1 | 3 | 4 |   |
| test of seen project | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |

### **Outline Syllabus**

*Qualitative revision of real fluid flow*  
*Introduction to CFD with industrial examples of usage*  
*Governing equations (Navier-Stokes, Energy, Continuity). Boundary layers.*  
*Turbulence - qualitative understanding. Time averaging. Turbulence modelling.*  
*Discretization methods. Convection-diffusion problems. Upwinding.*  
*Pressure-velocity coupling.*  
*Transient calculations. Implementation of boundary conditions.*  
*Use of commercial CFD code to solve engineering problem.*

### **Learning Activities**

Lectures and guided computer workshops

### **Notes**

This module is intended to provide the student with all the necessary skills to undertake a CFD analysis using a commercial CFD package. In addition it provides the student with knowledge of the basic theory underpinning CFD commercial codes.