

Summary Information

Module Code	6108PS
Formal Module Title	Investigative Skills 2
Owning School	Justice Studies
Career	Undergraduate
Credits	20
Academic level	FHEQ Level 6
Grading Schema	40

Module Contacts

Module Leader

Contact Name	Applies to all offerings	Offerings
Laura Pajon Moreno	Yes	N/A

Module Team Member

Contact Name	Applies to all offerings	Offerings
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Partner Module Team

Contact Name	Applies to all offerings	Offerings
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Teaching Responsibility

LJMU Schools involved in Delivery
Justice Studies

Learning Methods

Learning Method Type	Hours
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Lecture	22
Tutorial	11
Workshop	22

Module Offering(s)

Offering Code	Location	Start Month	Duration
JAN-MTP	MTP	January	12 Weeks

Aims and Outcomes

Aims	The module aims to develop students understanding of the legislative and policy framework which sets out the parameters for the investigation of criminal offences. Provide the opportunity for students to demonstrate and explain investigative procedures through the use of case studies and crime scene practicals. Provide an opportunity for students to critically explore the range of regulatory processes and professional values which inform practice, theories of team work, communication, issues of professional status and power and working across organisational boundaries.
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Learning Outcomes

After completing the module the student should be able to:

Code	Description
MLO1	Evaluate and apply knowledge of key theoretical, legislative, organisational, policy and practice frameworks which underpin criminal investigation.
MLO2	Critically evaluate the effectiveness of criminal investigation processes in achieving desired results and be able to identify barrier to effectiveness and strategies to overcome them.
MLO3	Evaluate the opportunities and challenges presented for criminal investigation with particular reference to the social impacts for diverse and/or vulnerable communities or individuals.

Module Content

Outline Syllabus
1) Forensics/Trace Evidence 2) Homicide Investigations 3) Sex Crimes 4) Drug Investigations

Module Overview
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Additional Information

The module aims to develop students understanding of the legislative and policy framework which sets out the parameters of criminal investigation. Students will be able to identify, and critically appraise, the context out of which practices developed. How investigation can be affected by personal values. The module will explore relevant legislation and policy and practice guidance in relation to information sharing, confidentiality and public protection. Students, through the analysis of critical incidents, will develop an understanding of good practice in relation to investigation. The assessments on the module will enable students to develop a critical understanding of the policy and procedural guidance which relate to a specific area of the field. Through the use of work related case studies students will critically explore the opportunities and challenges presented for investigation.

Assessments

Assignment Category	Assessment Name	Weight	Exam/Test Length (hours)	Learning Outcome Mapping
Essay	2500 Word Essay	60	0	MLO1, MLO3, MLO2
Report	Oral Presentation - 10 Mins	40	0	MLO1, MLO3, MLO2