

Summary Information

Module Code	6111CRIM
Formal Module Title	Human Rights
Owning School	Justice Studies
Career	Undergraduate
Credits	20
Academic level	FHEQ Level 6
Grading Schema	40

Module Contacts**Module Leader**

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Module Team Member

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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
Lecture	11
Online	9
Seminar	22

Module Offering(s)

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

Aims and Outcomes

Aims	1. To provide a broad overview of the development of international human rights politics since the signing of the Universal Declaration 2. To examine the ideas, theories, and practical implications of human rights in a rapidly globalising world 3. To demonstrate relevance of a human rights approach to social policy development
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Learning Outcomes

After completing the module the student should be able to:

Code	Description
MLO1	Critically evaluate theories and practice of universal human rights.
MLO2	Demonstrate the ability to analyse critically contemporary global issues in relation to international instruments on human rights.
MLO3	Critically assess the discrepancy between the theory and practice of human rights

Module Content

Outline Syllabus
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Theories of Human Rights • Human Rights prior to 1945 • The post-1945 Human Rights Regime • Universality and Cultural Relativism • Religious Perspective on Human Rights • Human Rights and Terror • War Crimes and Genocide: international violations and their punishment • Slavery, Human Trafficking and Gender

Module Overview
<p>This module provides you with an overview and analysis of the theoretical discourse of human rights, and the development of related global governance structures since 1948. You will evaluate the political and practical implications of promoting and defending human rights through country and issue based comparative analysis.</p>

Additional Information

This module provides an overview and analysis of the theoretical discourse of human rights, and the development of related global governance structures since 1948. Students will evaluate the political and practical implications of promoting and defending human rights through country- and issue- based comparative analysis.

Assessments

Assignment Category	Assessment Name	Weight	Exam/Test Length (hours)	Learning Outcome Mapping
Essay	Essay Plan (500 words)	10	0	MLO1
Report	Human Rights Report	50	0	MLO3
Practice	Essay (2,500 words)	40	0	MLO2