

Understanding and challenging Inequalities and Exclusion

Module Information

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Summary Information

Module Code	6120CRIM
Formal Module Title	Understanding and challenging Inequalities and Exclusion
Owning School	Justice Studies
Career	Undergraduate
Credits	20
Academic level	FHEQ Level 6
Grading Schema	40

Teaching Responsibility

LJMU Schools involved in Delivery
Justice Studies

Learning Methods

Learning Method Type	Hours
Lecture	20
Tutorial	6
Workshop	10

Module Offering(s)

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

Aims and Outcomes

Aims	1. To critically analyse theoretical explanations of inequalities, social exclusion, harm and marginalisation.2. To utilise a range of contemporary case studies to explore the experiences of excluded and marginalised groups and as a means of developing students' ability to critically apply criminological and sociological theoretical perspectives.3. To explore the opportunities and barriers to addressing inequality and exclusion, situating discussion within historical, social and political contexts.
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After completing the module the student should be able to:

Learning Outcomes

Code	Number	Description
MLO1	1	Identify key theoretical perspectives that can be used to account for social exclusion and inequalities.
MLO2	2	Apply criminological / sociological theory to a specific case study on social exclusion
MLO3	3	Demonstrate a critical understanding of attempts to address inequality and exclusion, including official responses

Module Content

Outline Syllabus	o Defining and explaining social exclusiono Conceptualisations of poverty and exclusiono Understanding social inequalitieso Case studies in social exclusion, divisions and inequalitiesThe specific case studies on the module will be centred on the research expertise of the module teaching team combined with occasional guest lecturers to keep the module current and informed by research.
Module Overview	This module aims to develop your understanding of processes of social exclusion and social inequalities. It draws upon theoretical and empirical accounts of inequality and exclusion to help you to gain an understanding of social divisions and intersectionalities. A case-study approach will be employed to develop your ability to apply key exclusionary concepts and to critically assess both the implications of exclusion and official responses to it.
Additional Information	This module aims to develop students' understanding of processes of social exclusion and social inequalities. It draws upon theoretical and empirical accounts of inequality and exclusion to help students to gain an understanding of social divisions and intersectionalities. A case-study approach will be employed to develop students' ability to apply key exclusionary concepts and to critically assess both the implications of exclusion and official responses to it.

Assessments

Assignment Category	Assessment Name	Weight	Exam/Test Length (hours)	Module Learning Outcome Mapping
Essay	Essay 1	50	0	MLO1
Essay	Essay 2	50	0	MLO2, MLO3

Module Contacts

Module Leader

Contact Name	Applies to all offerings	Offerings
Una Barr	Yes	N/A

Partner Module Team

Contact Name	Applies to all offerings	Offerings
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