

Dissertation – Part 1

Module Information

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Summary Information

Module Code	6200CRIM
Formal Module Title	Dissertation – Part 1
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	12
Online	10
Tutorial	8

Module Offering(s)

Display Name	Location	Start Month	Duration Number Duration Unit
SEP-MTP	MTP	September	12 Weeks

Aims and Outcomes

Aims	This module aims to ensure students: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Develop a systematic understanding of the literature relevant to the object of study • Critically evaluate the theoretical literature with respect to its relevance to the object of study • Explore the methodological and ethical underpinnings to the object of study
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After completing the module the student should be able to:

Learning Outcomes

Code	Number	Description
MLO1	1	Examine critically the literature in their chosen field.
MLO2	2	Critically interrogate theory and its application to the object of study
MLO3	3	Critically assess research methods and the ethical implications with regard to the object of study

Module Content

Outline Syllabus	The module will allow students to choose and develop a research topic which, subject to the feasibility of the research proposal, will be developed by the student. This will encompass a literature review, a theoretical framework, and a critical consideration of research ethics, methodology and research methods. This activity will be done in conjunction with an allocated dissertation supervisor who will see the student for a total of 8 hours across the first semester. These meetings will be augmented by a total of 6 lectures and 5 workshops.
Module Overview	
Additional Information	The module is concerned with ensuring students lay down a firm foundation in terms of literature review, theoretical framework and research ethics for the Dissertation - Part 2 module that students will undertake in Semester 2. This module provides the foundation on which students will build and work towards completing their dissertation.

Assessments

Assignment Category	Assessment Name	Weight	Exam/Test Length (hours)	Module Learning Outcome Mapping
Portfolio	Portfolio Part A	40	0	MLO3
Portfolio	Portfolio Part B	60	0	MLO1, MLO2

Module Contacts

Module Leader

Contact Name	Applies to all offerings	Offerings
Rizwaan Sabir	Yes	N/A

Partner Module Team

Contact Name	Applies to all offerings	Offerings
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