

## Liverpool John Moores University

Title: Mooting  
Status: Definitive  
Code: **6303LAWFL** (127262)  
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Owning School/Faculty: Law  
Teaching School/Faculty: Law

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**Academic Level:** FHEQ6  
**Credit Value:** 20  
**Total Delivered Hours:** 36  
**Total Learning Hours:** 200  
**Private Study:** 164

### Delivery Options

Course typically offered: Semester 1

Component	Contact Hours
Lecture	8
Tutorial	4
Workshop	24

**Grading Basis:** 40 %

### Assessment Details

Category	Short Description	Description	Weighting (%)	Exam Duration
Presentation	PRES	Presentation (Moot)	100	

### Aims

*To provide an understanding of advocacy and mooting and to be able to argue a case on appeal to an appellate court.*

### Learning Outcomes

After completing the module the student should be able to:

- 1 Demonstrate a firm grounding of the basic concepts, values, principles and rules of the English legal system and EU law.
- 2 Select key research issues and to identify relevant primary and secondary sources of information.
- 3 Use a wide variety of standard and legal and other electronic sources of information.
- 4 Apply gained legal knowledge to complex problems, to reflect upon and evaluate this application and to draw logical reasoned conclusions that are supported by argument and legal authority.
- 5 Evaluate and rank unfamiliar arguments in the light of established statute law, judicial decisions and authoritative legal commentary.
- 6 Use appropriate legal terminology and language both orally and in writing.
- 7 Present an argument in a way which is comprehensible to others and which addresses their particular concerns or questions.
- 8 Organise, prioritise their time and to work so as to meet strict deadlines.

### **Learning Outcomes of Assessments**

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

Presentation	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
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### **Outline Syllabus**

*This module provides, in a practical context, experience and practise in mooting and advocacy. The following areas will be covered during the formal sessions:*

- *Understanding the legal grounds of appeal*
- *Correct and appropriate ways to address a court*
- *Correct ways to cite judgments and other material*
- *The hierarchy of law reports*
- *Public speaking*
- *Mooting skills*
- *Skeleton Arguments*

### **Learning Activities**

Lectures  
Tutorials  
Workshops

### **Notes**

This module provides a practical understanding of advocacy and mooting skills.

