# **Liverpool** John Moores University

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Title: Corporate Social Responsibility

Status: Definitive

Code: **6500HOABW** (126691)

Version Start Date: 01-08-2021

Owning School/Faculty: Business and Management

Teaching School/Faculty: Hoa Sen University

Team	Leader
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Academic Credit Total

Level: FHEQ6 Value: 20 Delivered 47

**Hours:** 

Total Private

Learning 200 Study: 153

**Hours:** 

**Delivery Options** 

Course typically offered: Semester 2

Component	Contact Hours	
Lecture	11	
Seminar	11	
Workshop	22	

**Grading Basis:** 40 %

#### **Assessment Details**

Category	Short Description	Description	Weighting (%)	Exam Duration
Exam	EXAM	Unseen examination	100	3

#### **Aims**

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management thinking (particularly strategic decision making) for a more responsible, sustainable and resilient future.

# **Learning Outcomes**

After completing the module the student should be able to:

- 1 Explore the meaning and significance of reputation, responsibility and business ethics for an organisation.
- 2 Critically analyse the cultural, social, political, and personal dimensions of ethics within a global business environment.
- 3 Evaluate major global challenges and develop examples of sustainable practices and measure taken towards improved sustanability
- Identify methods to help organisations strengthen their resilience in the face of current and future challenges

# **Learning Outcomes of Assessments**

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

EXAM 1 2 3 4

# **Outline Syllabus**

Ethical theory.

Ethical reasoning.

Ethical Decision Making.

Role Conflict within Personal and Professional Ethics.

Moral and Cultural Relativism.

Definition of Corporate Social Responsibility - Legal, Financial, Societal.

Altruism; Philanthropy.

Stakeholder Management.

Models of Corporate Social Responsibility.

Definition of Sustainability.

Strategic Issues in Sustainability - Human Resource; Environmental; Safety.

Role of Multinational Corporation - Home/Host; Fair Trade.

Notion of the Social Contract

Enlightened Self Interest.

Resilience.

#### **Learning Activities**

The module will consist of structured lectures and seminars which will be designed to reinforce and test students' understanding of that week's topic. The tutorial activities will involve analysing case studies, journal articles and media reports, combining real world experiences with the practical application of theories.

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