

## Mediation Skills and Practice

### Module Information

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#### Summary Information

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| Module Code         | 6502LAWBHO                    |
| Formal Module Title | Mediation Skills and Practice |
| Owning School       | Law                           |
| Career              | Undergraduate                 |
| Credits             | 20                            |
| Academic level      | FHEQ Level 6                  |
| Grading Schema      | 40                            |

#### Teaching Responsibility

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| LJMU Schools involved in Delivery |
| LJMU Partner Taught               |

#### Partner Teaching Institution

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| Institution Name  |
| Beaconhouse Group |

#### Learning Methods

| Learning Method Type | Hours |
|----------------------|-------|
| Online               | 40    |

#### Module Offering(s)

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

#### Aims and Outcomes

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| Aims | <p>1. To increase students' awareness of:-</p> <p>(a) the Mediation process in general; and<br/>(b) their own Mediating behaviour and the implicit working assumptions that underlie it.</p> <p>2. To develop students understanding of and how to develop operational frameworks and analytic tools for preparing for and conducting Mediations.</p> <p>3. To help you improve students skills in Mediation, joint decision-making, and joint problem-solving, and to help you to keep refining those skills</p> <p>4. To develop Students employability skills generally in relation to problem solving, teamwork, written communication planning and preparation, acting on initiative, reasoning and information literacy and ICT skills.</p> |
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**After completing the module the student should be able to:**

**Learning Outcomes**

| Code | Number | Description   |
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| MLO1 | 1      | Demonstrate appropriate preparation for participation in a Mediation.                       |
| MLO2 | 2      | Communicate effectively with others within a given Mediation situation.                     |
| MLO3 | 3      | Present their client's case effectively and efficiently within a given Mediation situation. |
| MLO4 | 4      | Ask relevant and appropriate questions within a given mediation situation.                  |
| MLO5 | 5      | React and respond appropriately within a given Mediation situation.                         |
| MLO6 | 6      | Act ethically in a given Mediation.   |
| MLO7 | 7      | Critically review their performance within given Mediation situation.                       |

**Module Content**

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| Outline Syllabus       | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. The mechanics of effective mediation;</li> <li>2. Written plans for mediations;</li> <li>3. Effective Communication and presentation;</li> <li>4. Pursuing the client's best interests and professional ethics; and</li> <li>5. Concluding and reviewing one's performance in a mediation.</li> </ol> |
| Module Overview        |   |
| Additional Information | <p>This module is an advanced legal skills module – designed to allow students to gain knowledge and experience of the essential lawyering (and life?) skills of Mediation, and the mediation of disputes.</p>  |

## Assessments

| Assignment Category | Assessment Name | Weight | Exam/Test Length (hours) | Module Learning Outcome Mapping          |
|---------------------|-----------------|--------|--------------------------|--|
| Presentation        | Pres            | 100    | 0                        | MLO1, MLO2, MLO3, MLO4, MLO5, MLO6, MLO7 |

## Module Contacts

### Module Leader

| Contact Name     | Applies to all offerings | Offerings |
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| Peter McPartland | Yes                      | N/A       |

### Partner Module Team

| Contact Name | Applies to all offerings | Offerings |
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