

#### Summary Information

Module Code	6503CFDG
Formal Module Title	Future Focus
Owning School	Liverpool School of Art & Design
Career	Undergraduate
Credits	40
Academic level	FHEQ Level 6
Grading Schema	40

#### Teaching Responsibility

LJMU Schools involved in Delivery
LJMU Partner Taught

#### Partner Teaching Institution

Institution Name
London College for Design and Fashion

#### Learning Methods

Learning Method Type	Hours
Lecture	12
Practical	80
Seminar	12
Tutorial	8
Workshop	24

#### Module Offering(s)

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

## Aims and Outcomes

Aims	<p>1. To offer students the opportunity to propose and undertake an individual programme of study relevant to a future within professional practice or postgraduate study related to graphic design and/or illustration.2. To examine contemporary issues and explore potential future developments within the profession.3. To examine the relationship between portfolio presentation and students' individual ideology and/or future career aspirations.4. To support independent, self-directed study.</p>
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**After completing the module the student should be able to:**

### Learning Outcomes

Code	Number	Description
MLO1	1	Propose and develop self-directed projects that engage with a distinctive agenda for their future.
MLO2	2	Formulate creative and imaginative responses to self-initiated or self-directed projects that acknowledge professional constraints.
MLO3	3	Demonstrate a critical and professional application of skills, techniques and working methods relevant to contemporary graphic design and illustration practice.
MLO4	4	Design and present a coherent portfolio of finished coursework that reflects a distinctive agenda for their future.

## Module Content

Outline Syllabus	<p>1. Learning agreement.2. Students are asked to develop projects that explore a distinctive agenda for their future. This can be based on personal interests and/or career aspirations, and can range from issue-driven artistic approaches to industry focussed set briefs.3. Project work is discussed, agreed and supported by a supervising tutor.4. Portfolio design, presentation and self-promotion issues are discussed during portfolio reviews, PDPs and tutorials .5. Web skills workshops support the production of the online portfolio.6. Professional practice lectures and supporting activities.</p>
Module Overview	
Additional Information	<p>This module gives students the opportunity to undertake a self-initiated and/or self-directed project relevant to their career aspirations and/or personal interests. The module encourages students to evaluate presentation options to synthesise the body of work completed at Level 6 into a coherent online portfolio.</p>

## Assessments

Assignment Category	Assessment Name	Weight	Exam/Test Length (hours)	Module Learning Outcome Mapping
Portfolio	Portfolio	75	0	MLO1, MLO2, MLO3
Reflection	Reflection	25	0	MLO3, MLO4

## Module Contacts

**Module Leader**

Contact Name	Applies to all offerings	Offerings
Ian Mitchell	Yes	N/A

**Partner Module Team**

Contact Name	Applies to all offerings	Offerings
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