

**Module Information**

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**Summary Information**

Module Code	6510BEASOC
Formal Module Title	Sport, Crime and Politics: Critical Sociological Analyses
Owning School	Humanities and Social Science
Career	Undergraduate
Credits	20
Academic level	FHEQ Level 6
Grading Schema	40

**Teaching Responsibility**

LJMU Schools involved in Delivery
LJMU Partner Taught

**Partner Teaching Institution**

Institution Name
Beaconhouse Group

**Learning Methods**

Learning Method Type	Hours
Lecture	22
Seminar	11

**Module Offering(s)**

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

## Aims and Outcomes

Aims	1. To critically explore sociological and critical criminological approaches to understanding the role of sport in society; 2. To evaluate and range of theoretical perspectives, theories and models of understanding the relationships between sport and the wider society and; 3. To facilitate an examination and understanding of aspects of power, culture and inequalities as they relate to sport in society.
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**After completing the module the student should be able to:**

### Learning Outcomes

Code	Number	Description
MLO1	1	Critically appraise arguments.
MLO2	2	Synthesise existing literature.
MLO3	3	Develop arguments based on literature.

## Module Content

Outline Syllabus	The role/connections between sport and society including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Social divisions, including gender, ethnicity and sexuality;</li> <li>• Commercial and global processes and their various consumptions;</li> <li>• Sports mega events and their 'legacies';</li> <li>• 'Violence' and masculinity;</li> <li>• Crime, including sports-based interventions into crime, 'white collar crime' and sport and 'hooliganism'.</li> </ul>
Module Overview	
Additional Information	The module adopts various sociological and critical criminological approaches in the understanding of sport in contemporary societies. The module looks at issues relating to recent transformations, prejudices and cultural cohesion in the world of sport, focusing in particular on developments relating to issues such as racism, nationalism, globalisation and gender prejudice. The module will also be centrally concerned with the transformation of sport in the light of ongoing changes to a consumerist society.

## Assessments

Assignment Category	Assessment Name	Weight	Exam/Test Length (hours)	Module Learning Outcome Mapping
Essay	Essay	100	0	MLO1, MLO2, MLO3

## Module Contacts

### Module Leader

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

### Partner Module Team

Contact Name	Applies to all offerings	Offerings
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