

Dissertation

Module Information

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Summary Information

Module Code	7006MCCC
Formal Module Title	Dissertation
Owning School	Liverpool Screen School
Career	Postgraduate Taught
Credits	60
Academic level	FHEQ Level 7
Grading Schema	50

Teaching Responsibility

LJMU Schools involved in Delivery
Liverpool Screen School

Learning Methods

Learning Method Type	Hours
Lecture	10
Seminar	10
Tutorial	10

Module Offering(s)

Display Name	Location	Start Month	Duration Number Duration Unit
JAN-MTP	MTP	January	44 Weeks

Aims and Outcomes

Aims	To support participants in applying critical skills in advanced research methods and methodologies identifying appropriate parameters, theoretical frameworks, To assist students to identify appropriate methodologies, theoretical frameworks and resources in order to complete their dissertation successfully; To support participants in developing and modifying the ongoing dissertation through discussion, reflection and feedback.
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After completing the module the student should be able to:

Learning Outcomes

Code	Number	Description
MLO1	1	Develop a complex and specialised area of theoretical knowledge and skills
MLO2	2	Design and apply appropriate research methodologies
MLO3	3	Communicate the results of their research project

Module Content

Outline Syllabus	1. Key Elements of successful literature review & methodology chapters. Formulating research questions 2. Key elements of successful findings & discussion chapters. Analysis of empirical work 3. Completing a dissertation proposal 4. Student dissertation poster workshop
Module Overview	This module aims to support you in applying critical skills in advanced research methods and methodologies. It helps you to identify appropriate methodologies, theoretical frameworks and resources to complete your dissertation successfully. It also supports you in developing and modifying your dissertation through discussion, reflection and feedback.
Additional Information	The module will be taught in lectures, seminars, group and individual tutorials. Lectures and seminars will offer support in the following: • Research project planning and management • What to expect from supervision • Undertaking and analysing empirical work • Organising, structuring and writing your dissertation Students will define individual aims, objectives and research questions through tutorial guidance. Typically tutorials will focus upon: • Advanced research methods • Advanced Literature Searching • Formulating a methodology in the specific subject context. • File Management. • Presentation of thesis and practice. • Structuring the dissertation • Setting parameters for research. • Defining a theoretical framework.

Assessments

Assignment Category	Assessment Name	Weight	Exam/Test Length (hours)	Module Learning Outcome Mapping
Essay	Proposal	20	0	MLO1
Report	Dissertation	80	0	MLO1, MLO2, MLO3

Module Contacts

Module Leader

Contact Name	Applies to all offerings	Offerings
Gerwyn Jones	Yes	N/A

Partner Module Team

Contact Name	Applies to all offerings	Offerings
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