

## Liverpool John Moores University

Title: EMPLOYABILITY: THE WORKPLACE AND THE CURRICULUM  
Status: Definitive  
Code: **7010MALTHE** (104135)  
Version Start Date: 01-08-2019  
Owning School/Faculty: Education  
Teaching School/Faculty: Education

Team	Leader
Sarah Nixon	Y
Carol Maynard	

**Academic Level:** FHEQ7  
**Credit Value:** 20  
**Total Delivered Hours:** 110  
**Total Learning Hours:** 200  
**Private Study:** 90

### Delivery Options

Course typically offered: Standard Year Long

Component	Contact Hours
Lecture	5
Practical	80
Tutorial	10
Workshop	15

**Grading Basis:** 40 %

### Assessment Details

Category	Short Description	Description	Weighting (%)	Exam Duration
Portfolio	AS1	Coursework including an audit, evaluation and critique to the equivalence of 5000 words.	100	

### Aims

*To explore models for work based and work related learning and their links and connections to the understanding and development of employability based issues. Individuals will be able to apply theory and real world practice to evaluate and*

*analyse the complex landscape of this area of HE and develop informed practical solutions.*

## **Learning Outcomes**

After completing the module the student should be able to:

- 1 Critically evaluate the key theoretical concepts in relation to work based, work related learning and the skills agenda
- 2 Analyse the internal and external policy development drivers and links to initiatives
- 3 Appraise models of work based and work related learning approaches in terms of their effectiveness in embedding employability within the curriculum

## **Learning Outcomes of Assessments**

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

Negotiated with tutor	1	2	3
-----------------------	---	---	---

## **Outline Syllabus**

*Analysis of the contexts of work based and work related learning*  
*The organisational context in relation to institutional policy, practice and experience*  
*Models of practice, nationally and locally*  
*Impact of practice on the student experience*  
*Evaluation of own working environment*

## **Learning Activities**

Workshops  
Case studies and real world practices  
On-line activities and discussion  
Evaluation of own working contexts  
Tutorials

## **Notes**

The module will explore the areas of work based and work related learning within the employability agenda in relation to both policy and practice. Models of practice will be shared, to enable individuals to develop their knowledge and skills in this area. Individuals will be able to evaluate the practice within their own work setting and to discuss and analyse this with others.