

Liverpool John Moores University

Title: RESEARCH PROJECT
Status: Definitive
Code: **7019NMBMOL** (101595)
Version Start Date: 01-08-2011

Owning School/Faculty: Pharmacy & Biomolecular Sciences
Teaching School/Faculty: Pharmacy & Biomolecular Sciences

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Academic Level: FHEQ7 **Credit Value:** 60.00 **Total Delivered Hours:** 7.00
Total Learning Hours: 600 **Private Study:** 593

Delivery Options

Course typically offered: Standard Year Long

Component	Contact Hours
Tutorial	6.000

Grading Basis: 40 %

Assessment Details

Category	Short Description	Description	Weighting (%)	Exam Duration
Exam	AS1	Formally written project report + oral defence	15.0	1.00
Dissertation	AS2		85.0	

Aims

An independent and in-depth study of an agreed aspect of virology investigated in an appropriate manner and presented in the form of a scientific report which will be

orally defended.

Learning Outcomes

After completing the module the student should be able to:

- 1 demonstrate initiative in designing and developing an independent and advanced research project
- 2 demonstrate competence in the range of intellectual and cognitive skills germane to scientific research
- 3 demonstrate familiarity with the principles of research methodology appropriate to virology
- 4 demonstrate proficiency in the production of a final written and oral report of the aims, findings and importance of the project
- 5 orally defend the work in the form of a seminar followed by peer group and tutor questions

Learning Outcomes of Assessments

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

oral exam	1	2	3	4	5
Dissertation	1	2	3	4	

Outline Syllabus

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Learning Activities

Tutor and supervisor support

References

Course Material	Book
Author	Student Guidance Notes for completing the MSc Virology Project Module
Publishing Year	0
Title	Students carry out their own literature search and critical appraisal as part of their project work.
Subtitle	
Edition	

Publisher	
ISBN	

Notes

1. 1st External Marker - A definitive assessment of the students written project.
(Weighted mark x0.425)

2. 2nd External Marker- A definitive assessment of the students written project.
(Weighted mark x0.425)

3. Internal Supervisor - Tick-box review of student's progress (no mark)

4. Oral - An Oral defence of the project
(Weighted mark x0.10)

Students must achieve a minimum percentage mark of 40% to satisfactorily complete the project module.

Students are encouraged to negotiate specific learning outcomes for individual projects which comply with the generic learning outcomes of this module.