Liverpool John Moores University

Title: Advanced EU Law

Status: Definitive

Code: **7100LAWPL** (119600)

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Owning School/Faculty: Law Teaching School/Faculty: Law

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Academic Credit Total

Level: FHEQ7 Value: 15.00 Delivered 18.00

Hours:

Total Private

Learning 150 Study: 132

Hours:

Delivery Options

Course typically offered: Semester 1

Component	Contact Hours
Seminar	18.000

Grading Basis: 40 %

Assessment Details

Category	Short Description	Description	Weighting (%)	Exam Duration
Essay	AS1	Coursework Assignment	100.0	

Aims

- 1. To provide students with the knowledge and critical analysis of key themes of UK and European law set against an international backdrop
- 2. To provide a professionally-focussed programme designed to provide advanced knowledge and skills directly relevant to the European sector
- 3. Provide the opportunity to examine contemporary issues in European law

Learning Outcomes

After completing the module the student should be able to:

- A2 Critically evaluate, analyse and assess the nature of the legal framework, structure and regulation relating to European law as interpreted and implemented by different community nations
- B1 Have a systematic understanding and critical awareness of current problems and contemporary issues and/or insights into the changing nature of law within this discrete area and operating at diffeent levels
- C1 Develop an ability to exercise initiative when faced with novel and/or complex problem situations

Learning Outcomes of Assessments

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

Essay (4000 words) A2 B1 C1

Outline Syllabus

International Foundations of the EU

- -Origins and creation of the EU and the integration process
- Institutions of the EU, sources of EU law and the law-making process Substantive Law of the EU
- EU citizenship
- Fundamental rights protection
- Internal market and the 4 freedoms (goods, persons, services & establishment, capital)

Constitutional and Procedural Law of the EU

- primacy of EU Law
- Doctrine of direct/indirect effect; state liability
- Preliminary ruling procedure (at 267 TFEU)
- Enforcement action of EU law
- Direct actions from the EUCJ

Learning Activities

The module will utilise blended learning to enrish the intellectual and innovative landscape of the course through methods involving interactive, self-directed and independent learning.

Lecture-produced material, where approporiate, will be available on Blackboard for students to access electronically.

Students will have opportunities to collaborate with others in their learning cohort in structured seminar sessions

Generally the teaching style of delivery is seminar/workshop-based with students being required to undertake preliminary reading in order to prepare for and actively partake in group discussion

References

Course Material	Book
Author	Barnard, C.
Publishing Year	2010
Title	The Substantive Law of the EU: The Four Freedoms
Subtitle	
Edition	
Publisher	OUP
ISBN	

Course Material	Book
Author	Chalmers, Davies & Monti
Publishing Year	2010
Title	European Union Law: Texts and Materials
Subtitle	
Edition	
Publisher	OUP
ISBN	

Course Material	Book
Author	Craig, P. & De Burca, G.
Publishing Year	2011
Title	EU Law: Text, Cases and Materials
Subtitle	
Edition	
Publisher	OUP
ISBN	

Course Material	Book
Author	Craig, P. & De Burca, G.
Publishing Year	2007
Title	The Evolution of EU Law
Subtitle	
Edition	
Publisher	OUP
ISBN	

Notes

This is a Core Module on the programme of study for the LLM European Law