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Title: Globalisation and Comparative Social Policy: Crime, Harm and (in)justice
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Owning School/Faculty: Justice Studies
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Academic Level: FHEQ7 **Credit Value:** 30 **Total Delivered Hours:** 40
Total Learning Hours: 300 **Private Study:** 260

Delivery Options

Course typically offered: Semester 2

Component	Contact Hours
Lecture	10
Workshop	30

Grading Basis: 50 %

Assessment Details

Category	Short Description	Description	Weighting (%)	Exam Duration
Report	AS1	Online Blog posting(s) 1000	20	
Report	AS2	Research Report 4000 words	80	

Aims

1. To think globally and comparatively about social policy and its connections with crime, harm and (in)justice
2. To develop a critical understanding of the ways in which the economic, political and cultural milieu intersect with crime, harm and (in)justice
3. To participate in on-line fieldwork, internet based research, and communities of

practice for digital scholarship.

Learning Outcomes

After completing the module the student should be able to:

- 1 Demonstrate a critical understanding of the manner in which different economic, political and cultural contexts interact and interconnect with crime, harm and justice
- 2 Critically evaluate how states both facilitate and regulate crime, harm and justice within the context of processes of globalization and social policy
- 3 Identify an area of social policy, conduct on-line fieldwork, present and critically reflect upon research through the lens of an international case-study

Learning Outcomes of Assessments

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

Online Blog posting(s) 1000	1	3
Research Report 4000 words	2	3

Outline Syllabus

- *Introduction to global, comparative and international criminology and social policy*
- *Debates over the nature of globalisation and its consequences for social policy, social well-being and social divisions*
- *Key social policy issues addressing welfare, crime, penal systems, trade liberalisation: may include poverty, inequality, health, work, labour standards, health and safety, environmental justice, migration and illicit drugs*
- *Digital networks for learning and research*

Learning Activities

Lectures and Workshops

Notes

This module provides students with the opportunity to develop their outlook on international policy analysis and policy development within governments, NGOs and third sector organisations around the globe. A key feature of the module is the focus on key social policy issues aligned to national welfare states, penal systems and environmental justice for example. How these policy concerns intersect with crime, harm and in(justice) and play out within the crucible of globalisation occupies a central place within this module.