

## Module Information

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### Summary Information

Module Code	7105IR
Formal Module Title	Colonial and post-colonial statebuilding in the 19th to 21st Centuries
Owning School	Humanities and Social Science
Career	Postgraduate Taught
Credits	20
Academic level	FHEQ Level 7
Grading Schema	50

### Teaching Responsibility

LJMU Schools involved in Delivery
Humanities and Social Science

### Learning Methods

Learning Method Type	Hours
Workshop	22

### Module Offering(s)

Display Name	Location	Start Month	Duration Number Duration Unit
JAN-MTP	MTP	January	12 Weeks

### Aims and Outcomes

Aims	To engage with the deep history of western statebuilding projects in the non-western world To consider the ways in which western statebuilding projects have been shaped and transformed by the initiative of non-western social actors To consider the continuities and changes across the colonial and post-colonial eras of statebuilding experiments.
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**After completing the module the student should be able to:**

**Learning Outcomes**

Code	Number	Description
MLO1	1	Understand and evaluate the historical origins of western state-building projects in the non-western world.
MLO2	2	Analyse the changes and continuities over time in the objectives and outcomes of such projects.
MLO3	3	Evaluate the historical record – success and failure – of these state-building projects.

**Module Content**

Outline Syllabus	This module examines Western statebuilding in non-western societies during the imperial, decolonisation and post-colonial neo-liberal eras. It does so in order to understand the similarities and dissimilarities of statebuilding between these different eras, and thus provide essential historical context for understanding contemporary statebuilding experiments in Iraq, Afghanistan and elsewhere. It predominantly focuses on India, Middle East and Africa in telling the story of Western statebuilding, and the way local societies and elites have persistently shaped and transformed supposedly universalist agendas in highly specific cultural contexts.
Module Overview	<p>This module engages with the deep history of western statebuilding projects in the non-western world. It will enable you to:</p> <p>consider the ways in which western statebuilding projects have been shaped and transformed by the initiative of non-western social actors</p> <p>consider continuities and changes across the colonial and post-colonial eras of statebuilding experiments</p>
Additional Information	The sessions will be organised in 2 hour workshops and will include a series of mini-lectures, practical exercises, roundtable discussions and a conference at the end of the semester.

**Assessments**

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

**Module Contacts**

**Module Leader**

Contact Name	Applies to all offerings	Offerings
Matthew Hill	Yes	N/A

**Partner Module Team**

Contact Name	Applies to all offerings	Offerings
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