

Analytical Techniques in Natural Products

Module Information

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Summary Information

Module Code	7124PHASCI
Formal Module Title	Analytical Techniques in Natural Products
Owning School	Pharmacy & Biomolecular Sciences
Career	Postgraduate Taught
Credits	20
Academic level	FHEQ Level 7
Grading Schema	50

Teaching Responsibility

LJMU Schools involved in Delivery	
Pharmacy & Biomolecular Sciences	

Learning Methods

Learning Method Type	Hours
Lecture	22
Practical	10
Workshop	8

Module Offering(s)

Display Name	Location	Start Month	Duration Number Duration Unit
SEP-CTY	СТҮ	September	12 Weeks

Aims and Outcomes

The course aims to extend students' comprehension and experience in the application of analytical methods for the isolation and identification of lead compounds from a complex mixture of natural products. This will involve the application of advanced chromatography, spectroscopy and spectrometry.

After completing the module the student should be able to:

Learning Outcomes

Code	Number	Description
MLO1	1	Independently acquire advanced chemical knowledge and apply specialised methods necessary for the extraction, purification and identification of natural products.
MLO2	2	Independently acquire advanced chemical knowledge and apply specialised methods necessary for the qualitative and quantitative instrumental analysis of natural products.
MLO3	3	Safely solve -alone or as part of a team- multidisciplinary challenges in the field of analysis of natural products even in the absence of complete information.
MLO4	4	Ethically source, systematically locate, critically evaluate, objectively assess, and make appropriate use of information from scientific literature and relevant electronic resources in the field of analysis of natural products.
MLO5	5	Demonstrate the necessary skills to plan, perform, report and interpret the results of laboratory experiments and analyses applied to natural products.

Module Content

Outline Syllabus	Techniques used for the extraction of natural products, chromatographic techniques for the isolation and purification of compounds and spectroscopic techniques for the identification of compounds. Extraction: Liquid extraction, fractional distillationChromatography: Flash Chromatography, Column Chromatography, TLC, Analytical and preparative HPLC, GC, GC-MS, LC-MS.Spectroscopy/Spectrometry/Other: UV, IR, NMR (1D and 2D) spectroscopy, mass spectrometry and X-ray crystallography.
Module Overview	
Additional Information	This module builds on fundamental analytical chemistry learned by the candidate during undergraduate and/or postgraduate science, chemistry, healthcare and/or pharmaceutical science degree courses.

Assessments

Assignment Category	Assessment Name	Weight	Exam/Test Length (hours)	Module Learning Outcome Mapping
Centralised Exam	Exam	60	2	MLO1, MLO2
Portfolio	Report	40	0	MLO3, MLO4, MLO5

Module Contacts

Module Leader

Contact Name	Applies to all offerings	Offerings
Alistair Fielding	Yes	N/A

Partner Module Team

Contact Name	Applies to all offerings	Offerings
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