

Liverpool John Moores University

Title: Maritime Law
Status: Definitive
Code: **7150MAR** (122687)
Version Start Date: 01-08-2021

Owning School/Faculty: Engineering
Teaching School/Faculty: Engineering

Team	Leader
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Academic Level: FHEQ7 **Credit Value:** 10 **Total Delivered Hours:** 18
Total Learning Hours: 100 **Private Study:** 82

Delivery Options

Course typically offered: Semester 2

Component	Contact Hours
Lecture	12
Tutorial	6

Grading Basis: 50 %

Assessment Details

Category	Short Description	Description	Weighting (%)	Exam Duration
Report	AS1	Written coursework	100	

Aims

To provide an in-depth understanding of the admiralty topics within maritime law.

Learning Outcomes

After completing the module the student should be able to:

- 1 Demonstrate a critical awareness of the application of legal principles to solving

- 2 practical maritime problems
- 2 Appraise pertinent contemporary issues within salvage, ship arrest and maritime liens.
- 3 Analyse duty of care issues within maritime disputes, collisions and towage

Learning Outcomes of Assessments

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

Written coursework	1	2	3
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Outline Syllabus

Maritime Conventions
The Senior Courts Act 1981
The Admiralty Court & the Admiralty Marshal
Liens and the Maritime Claim
The Arrest Conventions of 1952 and 1999
The common law of salvage
The Salvage Convention & SCOPIC;
Merchant Shipping Act 1995
The duty of care
Collision and Towage
Limitation of Liability (outline)
Law of the Sea, Pollution and MARPOL (outline)

Learning Activities

A programme of lectures supported by tutorials

Notes

This module introduces students to "wet" maritime law, which complements the commerce-based "dry" legal topics such as Export Trade Law