LIVERPOOL JOHN MOORES UNIVERSITY

Module Proforma

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Summary Information

Module Code	7200AEPMA
Formal Module Title	Dissertation
Owning School	Education
Career	Postgraduate Taught
Credits	60
Academic level	FHEQ Level 7
Grading Schema	50

Module Contacts

Module Leader

Contact Name	Applies to all offerings	Offerings
Graham Downes	Yes	N/A

Module Team Member

Contact Name	Applies to all offerings	Offerings
Andrea Pratt	Yes	N/A
Carmel Arnold	Yes	N/A
Andrea Mallaburn	Yes	N/A
Susan Kay-Flowers	Yes	N/A
Deborah Duncalf	Yes	N/A
Christopher O'Brien	Yes	N/A
Jennifer Woods	Yes	N/A
Martin Cole	Yes	N/A

Partner Module Team

Contact Name	Applies to all offerings	Offerings

Teaching Responsibility

LJMU Schools involved in Delivery
Education

Learning Methods

Learning Method Type	Hours
Seminar	12
Tutorial	8

Module Offering(s)

Offering Code	Location	Start Month	Duration
SEP-MTP	MTP	September	44 Weeks

Aims and Outcomes

Aims	To expand participants' knowledge and understanding of research methods in educational contexts.To enable participants to develop a research proposal to investigate an identified area of interest.To develop implement and complete an in depth research-based investigation of a defined area that has relevance to the professional education context.

Learning Outcomes

After completing the module the student should be able to:

Code	Description
MLO1	In relation to the chosen area of investigation critically review theoretical perspectives, policy and research evidence from the literature
MLO2	Consider and manage issues of research ethics and power in accordance with university and educational research ethical guidelines
MLO3	Demonstrate a critical awareness and thorough understanding of the strengths and limitations of a range of methodologies and research methods
MLO4	Apply skills of critical evaluation, analysis and synthesis to data to formulate a creative response to the specified research questions and consider the implications of the research for professional practice

Module Content

Outline Syllabus
Individually negotiated, but participants are encouraged to engage with appropriate research events to be selected from E-Learning support, action learning sets or faculty research events.

Module Overview
This course is part of the MA AEP programmes. It provides an opportunity to carry out a piece of in-depth research of relevance to the educational context, largely independently but with regular individual support from an assigned supervisor. The module aims to: expand your knowledge and understanding of research methods in educational contexts enable you to develop a research proposal to investigate an identified area of interest develop, implement and complete an in depth research-based investigation of a defined area that has relevance to the professional education context

Additional Information
This course is part of the MA AEP programmesThe module is a core activity for all participants. It provides an opportunity to carry out a piece of in-depth research of relevance to the educational context, largely independently but with regular individual support from an assigned supervisor.

Assessments

Assignment Category	Assessment Name	Weight	Exam/Test Length (hours)	Learning Outcome Mapping
Dissertation	Coursework	100	0	MLO4, MLO3, MLO1, MLO2