# **Liverpool** John Moores University

Title: International Event Studies
Status: Definitive but changes made

Code: **7210TEFMA** (120933)

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Owning School/Faculty: Sports Studies, Leisure and Nutrition Teaching School/Faculty: Sports Studies, Leisure and Nutrition

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Academic Credit Total

Level: FHEQ7 Value: 20 Delivered 21

Hours:

Total Private

Learning 200 Study: 179

Hours:

# **Delivery Options**

Course typically offered: Standard Year Long

Component	Contact Hours	
Lecture	20	
Tutorial	1	

**Grading Basis:** 40 %

#### **Assessment Details**

Category	Short Description	Description	Weighting (%)	Exam Duration
Essay	AS1	Annotated Bibliography	10	
Essay	AS2	4,000 words	90	

#### **Aims**

To equip students with a theoretical understanding of international event studies.

### **Learning Outcomes**

After completing the module the student should be able to:

- 1 Critically identify and annotate relevant journals related to an area of international events studies
- 2 Identify and critically appraise the historical and sociological development of events
- 3 Critically evaluate the context of international event policy environments

# **Learning Outcomes of Assessments**

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

AS1 1

AS2 2 3

# **Outline Syllabus**

This module will equip students with a strong sociological underpinning of the development and the evolution of events in an international context. It will explore the shift from events as rituals and spontaneous festivities through to the planned events driven by cultural and political shifts. Typical sessions will be: Ritual and festivity; community and social structure; social and cultural capital; modernity and postmodernity; power, class and inequality; society of the spectacle; commodification; political paradigms and globalisation.

# **Learning Activities**

There will be a series of lectures with discussion/student led debates built in. Students will also have the opportunity to have one-to-one tutorials to support the development of the assignment with formative feedback exercises built into this. Blended learning will also be used.

#### **Notes**

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