

International Human Rights Law

Module Information

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Summary Information

Module Code	7506IRUIC
Formal Module Title	International Human Rights Law
Owning School	Law
Career	Postgraduate Taught
Credits	20
Academic level	FHEQ Level 7
Grading Schema	50

Teaching Responsibility

LJMU Schools involved in Delivery
LJMU Partner Taught

Partner Teaching Institution

Institution Name
Unicaf

Learning Methods

Learning Method Type	Hours
Online	18

Module Offering(s)

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

Aims and Outcomes

Aims	1. To introduce students to the basic conceptual, institutional and substantive elements of international human rights law.2. To introduce students to current debates regarding the interpretation and application of international human rights law.3. To provide students with critical appreciation of contemporary issues of global and regional concern relating to the interpretation and application of international human rights law.
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After completing the module the student should be able to:

Learning Outcomes

Code	Number	Description
MLO1	1	Demonstrate understanding of core principles of international human rights law
MLO2	2	Critically use and assess international human rights primary and secondary sources.
MLO3	3	Critically analyse the key contemporary debates within international human rights law.

Module Content

Outline Syllabus	1. Introduction and Historical Overview of International Human Rights Law2. Sources of International Human Rights Law3. Nature of Human Rights Obligations4. Protecting Human Rights at the International Level: The United Nations5. Regional Protection of Human Rights6. Human Rights Protection within the State7. Generation of Rights8. Substantive Rights
Module Overview	
Additional Information	This is a core module.

Assessments

Assignment Category	Assessment Name	Weight	Exam/Test Length (hours)	Module Learning Outcome Mapping
Essay	5000 words essay	100	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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