

Module Information

2022.01, Approved

Summary Information

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| Module Code | 7520LAWINF |
| Formal Module Title | Ethics, Values and the New Media |
| Owning School | Law |
| Career | Postgraduate Taught |
| Credits | 10 |
| Academic level | FHEQ Level 7 |
| Grading Schema | 50 |

Teaching Responsibility

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| LJMU Schools involved in Delivery |
| LJMU Partner Taught |

Partner Teaching Institution

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| Institution Name |
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Learning Methods

| Learning Method Type | Hours |
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| Online | 15 |

Module Offering(s)

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

Aims and Outcomes

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| Aims | This module will enable students to critically explore the legal controversies of media ethics, including regulation and freedom of the press. The module will scrutinize contemporary case studies, and emerging case law relevant to the media and entertainment industries. |
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After completing the module the student should be able to:

Learning Outcomes

| Code | Number | Description |
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| MLO1 | 1 | Examine the regulation of ethics in international media and entertainment law |
| MLO2 | 2 | Critically analyse legal issues regarding the freedom of the press, culture and practices in media |
| MLO3 | 3 | Systematically evaluate complex issues in connection with media and entertainment ethics and values |

Module Content

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| Outline Syllabus | By completing this module, students are expected to cover the indicative content as follows: a. Introduction to media ethicsb. Regulation of ethicsc. Freedom of the pressd. Voluntary regulation of the presse. The Leveson Inquiryf. The Leveson Reportg. Post-Leveson legislationh. The approved regulator regime |
| Module Overview | |
| Additional Information | There are no professional body requirements at this stage, however developments will be monitored and where appropriate, incorporated into module content. |

Assessments

| Assignment Category | Assessment Name | Weight | Exam/Test Length (hours) | Module Learning Outcome Mapping |
|---------------------|-----------------|--------|--------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Essay | Essay | 100 | 0 | MLO1, MLO2, MLO3 |

Module Contacts

Module Leader

| Contact Name | Applies to all offerings | Offerings |
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| Emmanuel Guinchart | Yes | N/A |

Partner Module Team

| Contact Name | Applies to all offerings | Offerings |
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