

Food Marketing Law

Module Information

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Summary Information

Module Code	7524LAWINF
Formal Module Title	Food Marketing 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	
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Learning Methods

Learning Method Type	Hours
Online	30

Module Offering(s)

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

SEP_NS-PAR PAR Septem start da	Non-standard 12 Weeks
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Aims and Outcomes

Aims • Introduction• Common law controls on advertising and marketing• Legal regulation and se regulation of unfair commercial practices, advertising and marketing promotion
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After completing the module the student should be able to:

Learning Outcomes

Code	Number	Description
MLO1	1	Identify and prioritise source materials needed for a clear and proper understanding of food marketing law
MLO2	2	Demonstrate a critical awareness of the factors which currently shape food marketing
MLO3	3	Flexibly and creatively apply knowledge within the food marketing field
MLO4	4	Incorporate the issues at the forefront of food marketing law, and the ability to apply them critically in a variety of contexts

Module Content

Outline Syllabus	Perspectives on the control of advertising and sales promotion practices. Offers, invitations to treat and collateral contractsPuffs, representations and negligent misstatements Endorsements and defamationPassing off, the concept of goodwill and unfair competition Copyright worksInfringement of CopyrightRemedies for infringement of copyright and defences in an action for infringement of copyright The meaning of trade markRegistration of Trade MarksThe rights of the trade mark proprietorEU Protected Food Names: Protected Designation of Origin (PDO), Protected Geographical Indication (PGI) and Traditional Speciality Guaranteed (TSG)Unfair commercial practices, including misleading actions, misleading omissions andaggressive practices under the Consumer Protection from Unfair Trading Regulations 2008 Sales promotion, Loss leaders and promotional giftsMisleading health claims and other claims and descriptions relating to food and nutrition
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 1	40	0	MLO1, MLO2
Essay	Essay 2	60	0	MLO3, MLO4

Module Contacts

Module Leader

Contact Name	Applies to all offerings	Offerings
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Yes N/A

Partner Module Team

Co	ontact Name	Applies to all offerings	Offerings
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