

Summary Information

Module Code	7547LAWINF
Formal Module Title	Procurement
Owning School	Law
Career	Postgraduate Taught
Credits	10
Academic level	FHEQ Level 7
Grading Schema	50

Teaching Responsibility

LJMU Schools involved in Delivery
LJMU Partner Taught

Partner Teaching Institution

Institution Name
Informa Connect

Learning Methods

Learning Method Type	Hours
Online	15

Module Offering(s)

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

Aims and Outcomes

Aims	This module will enable students to critically appraise the nature of construction procurement practices. The UK industry is going through significant development, in view of the Industrial Strategy for Construction 2025. HM Government notes four ambitious goals, driving change and subsequently impacting on the legal landscape; including the aim to lower costs by 33%, lower emissions by 50%, speedup delivery by 50% and improve international exports by reducing the trade gap, by 50%. As a result, students will explore both national and international contexts of construction procurement, including future direction and strategy.
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After completing the module the student should be able to:

Learning Outcomes

Code	Number	Description
MLO1	1	Evaluate the nature of construction procurement in complex projects
MLO2	2	Critically appraise government best practice and construction strategy in the UK
MLO3	3	Scrutinise the influence of European regulation and the World Bank procedures

Module Content

Outline Syllabus	By completing this module, students are expected to cover the indicative content as follows: a. Procurement:a. Introduction to procurement and its contextsb. Procuring complex projectsc. Procurement in the narrow and wider sensesd. Whole life use of buildings and procurementsb. Project modelling:a. Building information modelling and procurementb. Government best practice and construction strategy in the UKc. Building information modelling and the legal challengesd. Integrated project insurance and the 'zero blame' agendac. Public procurement:a. Public procurement and the need for transparencyb. European regulation and the World Bank proceduresc. Legal challenges to procedures and penaltiesd. Corruption within the construction industry and ethical improvementsd. Public procurement best practices:a. Best practice within procurement in the wider senseb. Future directions within procurementc. Issues for supply community and their involvementd. Obstacles to progress within the international context
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
Emmanuel Guinchard	Yes	N/A

Partner Module Team

Contact Name	Applies to all offerings	Offerings
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