Module Proforma

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Summary Information

Module Code	7705ORYXIF
Formal Module Title	Contemporary Financial Issues
Owning School	Business and Management
Career	Postgraduate Taught
Credits	10
Academic level	FHEQ Level 7
Grading Schema	50

Module Contacts

Module Leader

Contact Name	Applies to all offerings	Offerings
Oliver Kayas	Yes	N/A

Module Team Member

Contact Name	Applies to all offerings	Offerings

Partner Module Team

Contact Name	Applies to all offerings	Offerings

Teaching Responsibility

LJMU Schools involved in Delivery
LJMU Partner Taught

Partner Teaching Institution

Institution Name
Oryx Universal College WLL

Learning Methods

Learning Method Type	Hours
Lecture	22
Workshop	11

Module Offering(s)

Offering Code	Location	Start Month	Duration
APR-PAR	PAR	April	12 Weeks
JAN-PAR	PAR	January	12 Weeks
SEP-PAR	PAR	September	12 Weeks

Aims and Outcomes

Aims	This module aims to introduce students to the contemporary issues facing the financial industry particularly related to green finance, behaviour finance and fintech impacts. Students will also engage with the understanding of how contemporary issues create potential financial benefits and risks and analyses how financial actors are then affected.

Learning Outcomes

After completing the module the student should be able to:

Code	Description
MLO1	Provide a comprehensive insight into the underpinning, principles and practice of green finance with the consideration of how it can be brought into the mainstream.
MLO2	Identify and evaluate the potential, risks and impact that key technologies have on current finance developments in the form of crypto currencies, challenger banks and peer to peer lending.
MLO3	Interpret the causes of financial pricing anomalies and analyse the effects of behavioural biases in corporate and investment finance decision making.
MLO4	Critically explore the role of contemporary issues affecting financial activities in today's economy.

Module Content

Outline Syllabus
Green finance product and service evolution. Natural asset valuation. Green financing innovation. Cryptocurrencies and digital cash. Machine learning and AI. Insurtech, Regtech, Proptech. Financial psychology. Risk, bias, disposition and prospect theory. Neurofinance.

Module Overview

Additional Information
The module will expose students to current and future issues within the areas of corporate and investment finance.

Assessments

Assignment Category	Assessment Name	Weight	Exam/Test Length (hours)	Learning Outcome Mapping
Technology	Vlog	100	0	MLO1, MLO2, MLO3, MLO4