

<b>Module code:</b> MOD003379	<b>Version:</b> 1 <b>Date Amended:</b> 02/Mar/2012
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<b>1. Module Title</b>
Legal Aspects of Business

<b>2a. Module Leader</b>	<b>2b. Department</b>	<b>2c. Faculty</b>
Null	Department of Leadership and Management	Lord Ashcroft International Business School

<b>3a. Level</b>	<b>3b. Module Type</b>
5	Standard (fine graded)

<b>4a. Credits</b>	<b>4b. Study Hours</b>
30	300

<b>5. Restrictions</b>			
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Pre-requisites:	None		
Co-requisites:	None		
Exclusions:	None		
<b>Courses to which this module is restricted:</b>			

**LEARNING, TEACHING AND ASSESSMENT INFORMATION**

<b>6a. Module Description</b>
This module is designed to introduce the student to the English legal system and sources of law. In particular it will study those areas which underpin the day to day business transactions. This will include the law of obligations including contract and tort, employment law and human rights legislation. It will then develop a detailed knowledge of company law so that a student will be able to understand the framework for the formation and constitution of companies and the legal requirements for their successful management. An understanding of corporate governance, ethics and ethical behaviour will be interwoven throughout the module. Multiculturalism has also been considered during the design of this module. Assessment for this module will be in the form of a midterm written assignment and a final project.

<b>6b. Outline Content</b>
- The English legal system and the impact of human rights legislation - The Law of Obligations - Employment law - The formation and constitution of business organisations - Capital and financing of companies and insolvency - Regulation and administration of companies - Governance and ethical issues

<b>6c. Key Texts/Literature</b>
Key Text: Macintyre, Ewan, Business Law, Fifth Ed Additional / Supplemental reading Material: Adams, A ( latest edition) Law for Business Students, Pearson Longman (current edition) ACCA paper F4 Corporate and Business Law study text, Kaplan publishing Mayson, S French, D and Ryan, C ( latest edition) Company Law, Blackstone Press
<i>Last Updated:</i>

<b>6d. Specialist Learning Resources</b>
N/A

<b>7. Learning Outcomes (threshold standards)</b>		
No.	Type	On successful completion of this module the student will be expected to be able to:
1	Knowledge and Understanding	Recognise the principles of the English legal system;
2	Knowledge and Understanding	Demonstrate an understanding of the laws of contract and tort;
3	Intellectual, practical, affective and transferrable skills	Distinguish between equity and loan finance;
4	Intellectual, practical, affective and transferrable skills	Understand the influence of employment law on a business, identify the possible ethical issues for business and explain the legal regulations of corporate governance.

8a. Module Occurrence to which this MDF Refers				
Year	Occurrence	Period	Location	Mode of Delivery
2016/7	ZZF	Template For Face To Face Learning Delivery		Face to Face

8b. Learning Activities for the above Module Occurrence			
Learning Activities	Hours	Learning Outcomes	Details of Duration, frequency and other comments
Lectures	24	1-4	3 hours weekly, delivered through lectures and tutorials (24 hours of lectures + 48 hours of tutorials), or equivalent.
Other teacher managed learning	48	1-4	3 hours weekly, delivered through lectures and tutorials (24 hours of lectures + 48 hours of tutorials), or equivalent.
Student managed learning	228	1-4	228 hours during the study period of tutor led and/or individual focussed study including reading, exercises, case studies and library research
TOTAL:	300		

9. Assessment for the above Module Occurrence					
Assessment No.	Assessment Method	Learning Outcomes	Weighting (%)	Fine Grade or Pass/Fail	Qualifying Mark (%)
010	Coursework	1-3	50 (%)	Fine Grade	30 (%)
Details: ASSIGNMENT - 3000 WORDS					
<b>Assignment - 3000 words Compensation not allowed London College of Accountancy</b>					
011	Coursework	1-4	50 (%)	Fine Grade	30 (%)
Details: FINAL PROJECT - 3000 WORDS					
<b>Final Project - 3000 words Compensation not allowed London College of Accountancy</b>					

In order to pass this module, students are required to achieve an overall mark of 40%.  
 In addition, students are required to:  
 (a) achieve the qualifying mark for each element of fine graded assessment of as specified above  
 (b) pass any pass/fail elements