



MODULE SPECIFICATION

Part 1: Information			
Module Title	Real Estate Law		
Module Code	UBLMCG-15-M	Level	Level 7
For implementation from	2018-19		
UWE Credit Rating	15	ECTS Credit Rating	7.5
Faculty	Faculty of Environment & Technology	Field	Architecture and the Built Environment
Department	FET Dept of Architecture & Built Environ		
Module type:	Project		
Pre-requisites	None		
Excluded Combinations	None		
Co- requisites	None		
Module Entry requirements	None		

Part 2: Description
<p>Educational Aims: See Learning Outcomes.</p> <p>Outline Syllabus: Introduction: The importance of Real Estate Law Sources of Real Estate Law Property Law in Context</p> <p>Property Law and Contracts: The relevance of contract law Examples of property contracts International practice around property contracts</p> <p>Leases: The nature of leases and landlord and tenant obligations Commercial leases Joint Venture PPP/PFI arrangements</p> <p>Real Estate Law and the Law of Tort: The importance of Tort Law</p>

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Professional Negligence in Real Estate
Environmental considerations

Teaching and Learning Methods: This course can be studied either with attendance, or as a distance learning course. Students who attend can expect a range of teaching and learning methods to include lectures, seminars, and discussion groups using case study materials. Those taking this by distance learning will receive the same learning materials, and will, in addition expect to have regular on line attendance through tutorials conducted via the university's virtual learning environment. Use will also be made of the discussion facilities in Blackboard to ensure that distance learning students are actively engaged in their learning.

150 hours made up of:

75 hours of private study

38 hours will be a mixture of attended or online tutorials (since this course is offered in the alternative)

37 hours assessment preparation

Part 3: Assessment

The assessment will rely on two aspects firstly testing a sound knowledge of the law as it presents itself, also a requirement for the student to be able to investigate and present knowledge obtained via online legal resources. To this extent there will be some flexibility in the title of the assessment to enable the student to follow their own interests, and develop their legal knowledge in their own particular area of interest. Any assignment will be titled so as to map onto the core learning outcomes of the course.

There will be two elements of the assessment, a plan which will be submitted by the students early on in the module, this will test not only the student's ability to think ahead but also act as a check to ensure that the topic chosen by the student is acceptable. This will enable early feedback outside of the optional formative work, and in particular LO 8 where the student will begin to investigate the law for themselves. This also ensures those students who do not engage in formative work are actively operating in the course and get early feedback. The format of the final piece of work will be a 10 page assignment but the exact format will be flexible to enable the student to submit any written work to an appropriate journal, and hence commence publication. This will mean that the student may stray away from the UWE Harvard Referencing system (which is not generally used by lawyers anyway). The final assessment will cover the core learning outcomes.

First Sit Components	Final Assessment	Element weighting	Description
Written Assignment - Component A		10 %	Plan
Written Assignment - Component A	✓	90 %	Assignment
Resit Components	Final Assessment	Element weighting	Description
Written Assignment - Component A	✓	100 %	Assignment

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Part 4: Teaching and Learning Methods																			
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Reading List	<p><i>The reading list for this module can be accessed via the following link:</i></p> <p>https://uwe.rl.talis.com/modules/ublmcg-15-m.html</p>																		

Part 5: Contributes Towards	
<p>This module contributes towards the following programmes of study:</p> <p>Real Estate Management [Sep][FT][Frenchay][1yr] MSc 2018-19</p> <p>Real Estate Finance and Investment [Sep][FT][Frenchay][1yr] MSc 2018-19</p> <p>Real Estate Management [Jan][FT][Frenchay][1yr] MSc 2018-19</p> <p>Real Estate Finance and Investment [Jan][FT][Frenchay][1yr] MSc 2018-19</p>	