

## MODULE SPECIFICATION

Part 1: Information						
Module Title	Econometrics					
Module Code	UMED96-15-3		Level	Level 6		
For implementation from	2020-	21				
UWE Credit Rating	15		ECTS Credit Rating	7.5		
Faculty	Faculty of Business & Law		Field	Economics		
Department	FBL Dept of Accounting Economics & Finance					
Module type:	Standard					
Pre-requisites		None				
Excluded Combinations		None				
Co- requisites		None				
Module Entry requirements		None				

### Part 2: Description

Educational Aims: See Learning Outcomes

Outline Syllabus: This module typically will cover:

The multivariate regression model

Non-linear regression model and indicator variables

Modelling strategies

Dynamic models

Forecasting

Detection of and estimation with serial correlation

Non-stationary time series

Cointegration and error correction models

#### Introduction to panel data

**Teaching and Learning Methods:** Lectures will be used to introduce the techniques to be employed in the module. The lectures will be backed up by handouts on specific topics. Seminars will afford an opportunity for students to apply the techniques that have been introduced in lectures to selected economic problems. Students will work through a series of questions on a specific topic and will receive guidance on how to answer these questions. Workshops will be based in computer rooms and will emphasise the critical analysis of empirical output and the application and practice with a suitable econometrics software package.

The content will be illustrated by various applications related to the theory taught in macro and micro economics. Module delivery will be based on 3 hours of scheduled learning and teaching activities per teaching week. This will consist of a combination of lectures and seminars/workshops.

#### Part 3: Assessment

This module deploys a mix of formative and summative assessment. Formative assessment takes various forms and will occur throughout the module; it may include peer feedback on informal activities. Summative assessment takes two forms: a statistics project and an end-of-module exam. The statistics project involves a 2000 word report.

Summative assessment:

Component A: An end-of-module online exam (2000 words) undertaken in a 24 hour window.

Component B: A statistics project will comprise a 2000 word report.

Formative Assessment:

Engagement with other students in seminars that encourages a sense of belonging.

Regular use of specialist statistical packages in seminars and workshops.

Engagement with external speakers and with private sector businesses.

Regular VLE messages, including podcasts, provide generic feedback to groups on lectures, seminars and practical classes.

First Sit Components	Final Assessment	Element weighting	Description
Online Assignment - Component B		50 %	2000 word statistics report
Examination (Online) - Component A	✓	50 %	Online exam (2000 words)
Resit Components	Final Assessment	Element weighting	Description
Report - Component B		50 %	2000 word statistics report
Examination - Component A	✓	50 %	Online Exam (2000 Words)

Learning	On successful completion of this module students will achieve the following	learning outcomes:				
Outcomes		Reference				
	Module Learning Outcomes					
	A capacity to explain the concepts and assumptions underlying the econometric and time-series methods considered in the module.					
	An appreciation of the strengths and weaknesses, in particular circumstances, of various alternative econometric and time-series methods An ability to evaluate their own and other researchers' statistical findings both in writing and verbally A capacity to recognise and implement appropriate statistical tests					
Contact Hours	Independent Study Hours:					
	Independent study/self-guided study	114				
	Total Independent Study Hours:	114				
	Scheduled Learning and Teaching Hours:					
	Face-to-face learning 3					
	Total Scheduled Learning and Teaching Hours:	36				
	Hours to be allocated	150				
	Allocated Hours	150				
Reading List	The reading list for this module can be accessed via the following link:					
	https://uwe.rl.talis.com/modules/umed96-15-3.html					

# Part 4: Teaching and Learning Methods

Part 5: Contributes Towards
This module contributes towards the following programmes of study:
Global Political Economy [Sep][FT][Frenchay][1yr] MSc 2020-21
Global Political Economy [Sep][PT][Frenchay][2yrs] MSc 2020-21
Economics {Dual} [Sep][FT][Frenchay][3yrs] BA (Hons) 2018-19
Economics {Dual} [Aug][FT][Taylors][3yrs] BA (Hons) 2018-19
Banking and Finance {Dual} [Aug][FT][Taylors][3yrs] BA (Hons) 2018-19
Banking and Finance {Dual} [Mar][FT][Taylors][3yrs] BA (Hons) 2018-19
Banking and Finance [Sep][FT][NEU][3yrs] BA (Hons) 2018-19
Banking and Finance [Sep][FT][Frenchay][3yrs] BA (Hons) 2018-19
Economics {Dual} [Mar][FT][Taylors][3yrs] BA (Hons) 2018-19
Economics [Sep][FT][Frenchay][3yrs] BSc (Hons) 2018-19
Economics [Sep][FT][Frenchay][3yrs] BA (Hons) 2018-19