MODULE SPECIFICATION

Part 1: Information			
Module Title	Heat Transfer, Power and the Environment		
Module Code	UFMFW8-30-2	Level	Level 5
For implementation from	2020-21		
UWE Credit Rating	30	ECTS Credit Rating	15
Faculty	Faculty of Environment & Technology	Field	Engineering, Design and Mathematics
Department	FET Dept of Engin Design & Mathematics		
Module type:	Standard		
Pre-requisites	Fluid Dynamics 2020-21		
Excluded Combinations	None		
Co- requisites	None		
Module Entry requirements	None		

Part 2: Description

Educational Aims: See Learning Outcomes

Outline Syllabus: Power Generation:

Comprehensive review of energy generation methods and types of use. Critical appraisal of ideas relating to climate change, carbon reduction, embedded energy. Relationships between energy and finance. Project appraisal and life cycle costing.

The concept of Entropy and its relevance to work and heat transfer processes. Isentropic efficiency. Entropy change calculations for simple processes.

Use of isentropic efficiency and understanding of other losses to improve estimates of thermal efficiencies and other parameters relating to the performance of IC Engines, Gas turbines and Steam power plant.

Basic combustion chemistry. Use of empirical data to improve combustion system performance.

Compressible flows in nozzles and orifices. Compressible flows with friction in ducts – isothermal and adiabatic analysis.

Laboratory work on an IC Engine, Gas Turbine and Supersonic wind tunnel to support theoretical work above.

Heat Transfer:

Introduction to the basic mechanisms of heat transfer – conduction, convection and radiation.

Conduction for simple geometries. Numerical methods for complex geometries.

Forced convection. The boundary layer, concept of heat transfer coefficient, use of dimensional analysis in estimating heat transfer coefficients for standard geometries.

Natural convection. Use of empirical equations.

Design of heat exchangers. Surface area and outlet temperature calculations. Pressure losses.

Radiation. Significant parameters. Kirchoff's law. View factors – calculation and use of in black body radiation.

Extended surface.

Unsteady heat transfer.

Laboratory exercises to support the above.

Teaching and Learning Methods: Delivered over 2 semesters, both parts running concurrently.

Contact (lectures and laboratory): 72 hours
Assimilation and development of knowledge: 150 hours
Problem solving: 22 hours
Examination preparation: 56 hours
Total: 300 hours

Large group lecture. Study time outside of contact hours will be spent on going through exercises and example problems.

Lab sessions (small groups) will provide experience of empirical methods and will require further non-contact time or assignment preparation.

Scheduled learning: lectures and laboratory sessions
Independent learning: includes hours engaged with essential reading, assignment preparation and completion etc.

Part 3: Assessment

Component A: Power Generation and the Environment
Assessed via end of semester Exam to assess the student's understanding of concepts and techniques.

Component B: Heat Transfer
Assessed via end of semester Exam to assess the student's understanding of concepts and techniques.

First Sit Components	Final Assessment	Element weighting	Description
Examination (Online) - Component A	✓	50 %	End of semester online exam (Power)
Examination (Online) - Component B		50 %	End of semester online exam (Heat)
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Examination (Online) - Component A	✓	50 %	Online Exam (Power)
Examination (Online) - Component B		50 %	Online Exam (Heat)

Part 4: Teaching and Learning Methods

Learning Outcomes

On successful completion of this module students will achieve the following learning outcomes:

Module Learning Outcomes	Reference
Knowledge of the principal methods of power generation and use	MO1
An appreciation of the relationships between sustainable development, energy production and use	MO2
Knowledge of the principal mechanisms of heat transfer and its application in the design of heat exchangers	MO3
Knowledge of the cost drivers, commercial constraints, uncertainty and risks in power generation and heat exchangers	MO4
Ability to acquire and analyse experimental data from laboratory and test cell experiments	MO5
Appreciation of health and safety aspects of working with power generating equipment	MO6

Contact Hours

Independent Study Hours:	
Independent study/self-guided study	228
Total Independent Study Hours:	228
Scheduled Learning and Teaching Hours:	
Face-to-face learning	72
Total Scheduled Learning and Teaching Hours:	72
Hours to be allocated	300
Allocated Hours	300

Reading List	*The reading list for this module can be accessed via the following link:* https://uwe.rl.talis.com/modules/ufmfw8-30-2.html

Part 5: Contributes Towards
This module contributes towards the following programmes of study: Mechanical Engineering {Foundation} [Sep][SW][Frenchay][6yrs] MEng 2018-19 Mechanical Engineering [Sep][PT][UCW][3yrs] FdSc 2018-19 Mechanical Engineering [Sep][PT][BTC][3yrs] FdSc 2018-19 Mechanical Engineering {Foundation} [Sep][SW][Frenchay][5yrs] BEng 2018-19 Mechanical Engineering {Foundation} [Sep][FT][Frenchay][4yrs] BEng 2018-19 Mechanical Engineering {Foundation} [Sep][FT][Frenchay][5yrs] MEng 2018-19 Mechanical Engineering {Apprenticeship} [Sep][PT][UCW][3yrs] FdSc 2018-19