



## MODULE SPECIFICATION

Part 1: Information			
Module Title	Operations and Business Systems		
Module Code	UMMDP3-15-2	Level	Level 5
For implementation from	2020-21		
UWE Credit Rating	15	ECTS Credit Rating	7.5
Faculty	Faculty of Business & Law	Field	Operations and Information Management
Department	FBL Dept of Business & Management		
Module type:	Standard		
Pre-requisites	None		
Excluded Combinations	Managing Business Processes (Accounting, Economics and Finance) 2020-21, Managing Business Processes (Business, International and Management) 2020-21, Managing Business Processes (Marketing, Events and Tourism) 2020-21, Operations and Supply Management 2020-21, Service Operations 2020-21		
Co- requisites	None		
Module Entry requirements	None		

Part 2: Description
<p><b>Overview:</b> This module will provide you with a solid foundation of understanding in operations management, along with appropriate techniques for the analysis of operational performance, to enable you to make informed decisions and recommendations.</p> <p><b>Educational Aims:</b> The aims of the module are to:</p> <p>Introduce the key tools and techniques of operations management</p> <p>Understand how to manage and improve operations through effective business systems</p> <p>Think about resilience and risk management in business operations and their supply chains</p> <p><b>Outline Syllabus:</b> Outline Syllabus: The indicative syllabus will include the current approaches to operations management and how these help businesses compete in the contemporary business environment:</p> <p>Process design, management and improvement</p> <p>Capacity and demand, inventory control</p>

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Performance measurement

Resource planning and business systems

Managing supply chains

Service operations

**Teaching and Learning Methods:** Module delivery will be based on 3hrs per week contact time. This will include both formal lectures and small group tutorials. Students will be expected to undertake guided tasks each week, which may include case study analysis, relevant readings, media or field research, to maximise the benefits and impact of the in-class sessions.

### Part 3: Assessment

See learning outcomes.

First Sit Components	Final Assessment	Element weighting	Description
Written Assignment - Component B		50 %	Written assignment (1500 words)
Examination (Online) - Component A	✓	50 %	Online Examination (Available over a 24 hrs period)
Resit Components	Final Assessment	Element weighting	Description
Written Assignment - Component B		50 %	Written assignment (1500 words)
Examination (Online) - Component A	✓	50 %	Online Examination (Available over a 24 hrs period)

### Part 4: Teaching and Learning Methods

Learning Outcomes	On successful completion of this module students will achieve the following learning outcomes:	
	<b>Module Learning Outcomes</b>	<b>Reference</b>
	Understand the key concepts and practices of operations management in an accounting and finance context.	MO1
	Evaluate current approaches to managing and improving operations and supply networks.	MO2
	Present analytical findings clearly.	MO3
	Analyse how appropriate business systems facilitate planning control and decision making.	MO4
	Understand forecasting and planning approaches for managing operations and supply chains.	MO5
Contact Hours	<b>Independent Study Hours:</b>	
	Independent study/self-guided study	114

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	<b>Total Independent Study Hours:</b>	114
	<b>Scheduled Learning and Teaching Hours:</b>	
	Face-to-face learning	36
	<b>Total Scheduled Learning and Teaching Hours:</b>	36
	<b>Hours to be allocated</b>	150
	<b>Allocated Hours</b>	150
Reading List	<p>The reading list for this module can be accessed via the following link:  <a href="https://uwe.rl.talis.com/modules/ummdp3-15-2.html">https://uwe.rl.talis.com/modules/ummdp3-15-2.html</a></p>	

### Part 5: Contributes Towards

This module contributes towards the following programmes of study:

Business Management with Accounting and Finance {Top-Up} [Sep][SW][Frenchay][3yrs] BA (Hons) 2020-21  
 Business Management with Accounting and Finance {Top-Up} [Sep][FT][Frenchay][2yrs] BA (Hons) 2020-21  
 Business Management with Accounting and Finance [Sep][FT][Alexander][3yrs] BA (Hons) 2019-20  
 Business Management with Accounting and Finance [Sep][FT][Frenchay][3yrs] BA (Hons) 2019-20  
 Business Management with Accounting and Finance [Sep][SW][Frenchay][4yrs] BA (Hons) 2019-20  
 Business Management and Economics [Sep][SW][Frenchay][4yrs] BA (Hons) 2019-20  
 Business Management and Economics [Sep][FT][Frenchay][3yrs] BA (Hons) 2019-20  
 Business Management with Economics [Sep][SW][Frenchay][4yrs] BA (Hons) 2019-20  
 Business Management with Economics [Sep][FT][Frenchay][3yrs] BA (Hons) 2019-20  
 Business Management and Economics [Jan][FT][Villa][3yrs] BA (Hons) 2019-20  
 Business Management and Economics [Jan][SW][Villa][4yrs] BA (Hons) 2019-20  
 Business Management with Accounting and Finance {Foundation} [Sep][FT][Frenchay][4yrs] BA (Hons) 2018-19  
 Business Management with Accounting and Finance {Foundation} [Sep][SW][Frenchay][5yrs] BA (Hons) 2018-19  
 Business Management and Economics {Foundation} [Sep][SW][Frenchay][5yrs] BA (Hons) 2018-19  
 Business Management and Economics {Foundation} [Sep][FT][Frenchay][4yrs] BA (Hons) 2018-19  
 Accounting and Management [Sep][SW][Frenchay][4yrs] BA (Hons) 2019-20  
 Accounting and Management [Sep][FT][Frenchay][3yrs] BA (Hons) 2019-20