



MODULE SPECIFICATION

Part 1: Information			
Module Title	International Trade		
Module Code	UJXTSM-15-M	Level	M
For implementation from	September 2020		
UWE Credit Rating	15 credits	ECTS Credit Rating	7.5
Faculty	FBL	Field	Law non-modular
Department	Law		
Contributes towards	LLM Bar Professional Training Studies		
Module type:	Project		
Pre-requisites	N/A		
Excluded Combinations	N/A		
Co- requisites	N/A		
Module Entry requirements	N/A		

Part 2: Description
<p>The purpose of the module is to equip students with an ability to advise on disputes arising in the international trade. Students will focus on the skill of opinion writing in the context of international trade disputes, in the context of English and Welsh legislation for example the Sale of Goods Act</p> <p>Workshops are interactive and are designed to allow students to hone the skills acquired to date on the Bar Professional Training Course, tailoring them specifically to International Trade. The module is designed in a manner which provides an opportunity for students who have not previously studied International trade to develop expertise in relation to Carriage of Goods by Sea contracts and International Sales contracts. Students will also have the opportunity to interpret, analyse and critique an International Sales Contract, A Bill of Lading, Invoices and Insurance documents with a view to enabling students to be in a position to provide thorough advice on liability and quantum.</p>
Part 3: Assessment
<p>The assessment will be in the form of a take-home seen assessment with a word limit. It will be in the form of an Opinion. Hence, the skill of Opinion Writing is required.</p> <p>The assessment will be based on a practical scenario, and the student will be expected to give advice on how to deal with the issues arising in the scenario. The scenario will include elements of the legal concepts (as stated in Part 2: Description above) that will be studied in this module.</p>

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Part 4: Learning Outcomes & KIS Data																																	
Learning Outcomes	On successful completion of this module students will be able to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Apply legal research skills in the context of commercial disputes Evaluate a set of facts in order to advise on a course of action and to draft relevant documentation Demonstrate expertise in how fob contract, cif contracts and sea carriage contracts work Create clear, concise and cogent advice in writing to a client 																																
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Reading List	<p>Indicative Reading list:</p> <p>R. Goode "Commercial Law" Penguin Schmitthoff "Export Trade: The Law and Practice of International Trade" Sweet & Maxwell Benjamin "Sale of Goods" Sweet & Maxwell Relevant Statutory Sources Relevant Case Law Barristers Code of Conduct Other relevant Contract texts</p>																											

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