

MODULE SPECIFICATION

Part 1: Information					
Module Title	Lifecycle Engineering for Manufacturing Systems				
Module Code	UFMFVH-15-2		Level	Level 5	
For implementation from	2022-23				
UWE Credit Rating	15		ECTS Credit Rating	7.5	
Faculty		ty of Environment & nology	Field	Engineering, Design and Mathematics	
Department	FET Dept of Engin Design & Mathematics				
Module type:	Stand	lard			
Pre-requisites		None			
Excluded Combinations		None			
Co- requisites		None			
Module Entry requirements		None			

Part 2: Description

Overview: The module provides a holistic approach to observation and analysis of a production system. The key outcome will be the development of the understanding and knowledge requirements that underpin common improvement paradigms for production systems. To provide direction for the targeting of tools and methods for manufacturing improvement in order to deliver targets and sustainable improvements and maximise benefits.

Educational Aims: The aim of this module is to provide the conceptual framework and tools for conducting a manufacturing system analysis.

Outline Syllabus: Syllabus to include: Investigating the barriers to realising sustainable improvement, and in particular the inability to communicate understanding Analysing the changes and issues associated with the different life phases of a manufacturing system To provide a structured representation (standardised diagram) of the system, its internal relations, inputs and external influences, which can be used to communicate and ensure all stakeholders have a common, shared understanding. Simulate and predict systems maintainability, reliability and end-of-life Simulate and predict system's Life Cycle Cost (LCC)Optimisation of the whole life cycle of a typical manufacturing systems

Teaching and Learning Methods: Scheduled learning: material will be delivered in whole cohort sessions and via on-line resources. The majority of the learning activities will take place as a combination of lectorials, discussion groups, case studies and 'hands on' use of tools and techniques that provide the practical knowledge to undertake a manufacturing setup evaluation and present improvement solutions. Independent learning: includes hours engaged with essential reading, assignment preparation and completion etc.

Part 3: Assessment

The assessment is designed to follow a lifecycle analysis of a manufacturing system and to replicate a consultancy style activity. There will be two case study investigations The first case study (Component A) will involve a short INDIVIDUAL report (1100 words) and group presentation of an initial manufacturing system review. The aim of this review is investigate the barriers to realising sustainable improvement of a specified manufacturing system and to provide an initial plan of improvement to the client. In Component B, students present an more detailed assessment of the manufacturing system identified in part A as a 3500 word INDIVIDUAL report that includes a 500 word individual summary and reflection of the application and analysis. The group report will cover justification of approaches, life cycle tools and techniques applied, application process and method, findings and analysis, recommendations to client. The resit assessment will consist of Component A. INDIVIDUAL presentation of initial analysis of manufacturing system. Component B. 2000 word INDIVIDUAL report providing a more detailed analysis of the system and recommendations for improvement.

First Sit Components	Final Assessment	Element weighting	Description
Presentation - Component A		25 %	Presentation of an initial plan of improvement to the client (10 minutes).
Case Study - Component B	✓	75 %	Technical report, modelling and analysis (3000 words) plus individual summary and reflection (500 words).
Resit Components	Final Assessment	Element weighting	Description
Presentation - Component A	✓	25 %	12 minute presentation + questions
Case Study - Component B		75 %	2000 word report detailing evaluation and proposal for improvement

	Part 4: Teaching and Learning Methods				
Learning Outcomes	On successful completion of this module students will achieve the follow	wing learning o	outcomes:		
	Module Learning Outcomes				
	Investigate the barriers to realising sustainable improvement of a specified manufacturing system		MO1		
	Analyse potential changes and issues associated with the different life phases of a manufacturing system		MO2		
	Simulate and predict manufacturing system's Life Cycle Cost		MO3		
	Identify the factors and characteristics that affect process efficacy and important relationships for improvement	I to elicit the	MO4		
Contact Hours	Independent Study Hours:				
	Independent study/self-guided study	11	4		
	Total Independent Study Hours:	11	4		
	Scheduled Learning and Teaching Hours:				
	E-learning/online learning	12	2		
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	Face-to-face learning	24
	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://rl.talis.com/3/uwe/lists/9ECFA958-65AD-905D-D8D5-551018Cl GB&login=1	386C8.html?lang=en-

Part 5: Contributes Towards
This module contributes towards the following programmes of study: