



Module Specification

Refugee and Asylum

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Part 1: Information

Module title: Refugee and Asylum

Module code: UJXTTP-15-M

Level: Level 7

For implementation from: 2023-24

UWE credit rating: 15

ECTS credit rating: 7.5

College: College of Business and Law

School: CBL Bristol Law School

Partner institutions: None

Field: Law - non modular

Module type: Module

Pre-requisites: None

Excluded combinations: None

Co-requisites: None

Continuing professional development: No

Professional, statutory or regulatory body requirements: None

Part 2: Description

Overview: This module depends on an extensive familiarity with tribunal procedures and rules.

Features: Not applicable

Educational aims: The critical understanding and application of immigration and nationality law and the practicalities of advising clients in this area of law.

Outline syllabus: The course is designed and organised to account for the quantity of research that the students undertake prior to each small group session. The pre-reading materials are designed to encourage students to review legal concepts underpinned the law of immigration

Part 3: Teaching and learning methods

Teaching and learning methods: Teaching will concentrate on the dissemination of knowledge of immigration and nationality law and the practicalities of advising clients in this area of law.

The module is delivered by way of small group workshops which offer the opportunity to undertake role play exercises.

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

MO1 Apply legal research skills to a Refugee and Asylum context

MO2 Evaluate a set of facts in order to advise on a course of action and to draft relevant documentation in a Refugee and Asylum context

MO3 Develop a professional and effective relationship with a client

MO4 Compose advice that is clear and accurate

Hours to be allocated: 150

Contact hours:

Independent study/self-guided study = 110 hours

Face-to-face learning = 40 hours

Total = 150

Reading list: The reading list for this module can be accessed at readinglists.uwe.ac.uk via the following link

Part 4: Assessment

Assessment strategy: A portfolio which will consist of an interview exercise and an attendance note following interview. The client is played by an actor.

Assessment tasks:

Portfolio (First Sit)

Description: 1 x oral exercise (client interview) with written exercise (attendance note)

Weighting: 100 %

Final assessment: Yes

Group work: No

Learning outcomes tested: MO1, MO2, MO3, MO4

Portfolio (Resit)

Description: 1 x oral exercise (client interview) with written exercise (attendance note)

Weighting: 100 %

Final assessment: Yes

Group work: No

Learning outcomes tested: MO1, MO2, MO3, MO4

Part 5: Contributes towards

This module contributes towards the following programmes of study:

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