

MODULE SPECIFICATION

| Part 1: Information | | | | | |
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| Module Title | Regenerating Cities | | | | |
| Module Code | UBGLXG-15-2 | | Level | Level 5 | |
| For implementation from | 2018-19 | | | | |
| UWE Credit Rating | 15 | | ECTS Credit Rating | 7.5 | |
| Faculty | | ty of Environment & hology | Field | Geography and Environmental Management | |
| Department | FET Dept of Geography & Envrnmental Mgmt | | | | |
| Contributes towards | | | | | |
| Module type: | Standard | | | | |
| Pre-requisites | | None | | | |
| Excluded Combinations | | None | | | |
| Co- requisites | | None | | | |
| Module Entry requirements | | None | | | |

Part 2: Description

Features: Module Entry requirements: 60 credits at level 1

Educational Aims: See Learning Outcomes.

In addition to the Learning Outcomes, the educational experience may explore, develop, and practise but not formally discretely assess the following:

Critically debate and reflect on key ideas in the field of regenerating cities

Develop the skills of individual thinking, group debate and critical analysis of the academic and grey literature

Outline Syllabus: The syllabus for Regenerating Cities is set within the wider context of the contemporary debates on globalisation and sustainability which were introduced at Level 1 in Geographies of Globalisation. It also precedes a related Level 3 option module Transforming

Cities which further develops an understanding of the causes and consequences of profound urban changes, and reviews and assesses the responses to them by national governments and by individual cities themselves.

Economic and social change in cities Gentrification and studentification Gated communities Creativity, the creative class and cities Culture and community regeneration Sport, international sporting events and regeneration Tourism and regenerating cities Festivals, cities and communities Retail-led regeneration Regenerating the night-time city Crime and regeneration Urban green space and regeneration

Teaching and Learning Methods: There will be a programme of interactive lectures to introduce and explore key ideas related to regenerating cities. The teaching and learning methods aim to enhance the key skills of critical analysis of a variety of sources, reading widely and writing examstyle essays. There will be a 3-hour session each week combining a lecture with discussion to enable students to engage with the content and the reading beyond the lecture element. Students will be expected to complete weekly readings and/or activities as relevant to the lecture content.

Scheduled learning comprises weekly interactive lectures.

Independent learning comprises hours engaged with essential reading, further reading, completion of activities, and examination preparation and completion.

On average, 3 hours of contact will be allocated comprising a combination of interactive lectures and group discussion.

In addition to the formal classes, students will be set key reading and/or activities each week to complete for the following session.

The amount of time spent on activities in this module is shown below: Activity (Hours) Contact time (36) Assimilation and development of knowledge (54) Exam preparation (60) Total study time (150)

Part 3: Assessment

Component A: written examination (2 hours); Learning Outcomes 1-4

Unseen question paper

Students will answer two questions from a choice of six (answers will be assessed according to the following criteria):

Relevance of the content of the essay to the question set

Structure and organisation

Grounding in literature, and use of evidence and supporting material

Clarity, coherence and depth of argument

Standards of literacy and presentation

Formative feedback will be in the form of discussion and activities based on set readings and exercises as the module progresses.

STUDENT AND ACADEMIC SERVICES

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| First Sit Components | Final Assessment | Element weighting | Description |
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| Examination - Component A | \checkmark | 100 % | Examination (2 hours) |
| Resit Components | Final Assessment | Element weighting | Description |
| Examination - Component A | ~ | 100 % | Examination (2 hours) |

| | | and Learning Methods | | | | |
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| Learning Outcomes | On successful completion of this modul | students will be able to: | | | | |
| | Modu | e Learning Outcomes | | | | |
| | | s the variety of economic and social problems that cities xperienced | | | | |
| | MO2 Critica | ly evaluate key thematic economic, social and cultural ies that can be used to regenerate cities | | | | |
| | MO3 Asses | Assess the opportunities and challenges facing the process of regenerating cities using case studies | | | | |
| | MO4 Devel | p the skill of writing exam-style essays | | | | |
| Contact Hours | Contact Hours | | | | | |
| | Independent Study Hours: | | | | | |
| | Independent study/self-guide | d study 114 | | | | |
| | Tot | I Independent Study Hours: 114 | | | | |
| | Scheduled Learning and Teaching Hours: | | | | | |
| | Face-to-face learning | 36 | | | | |
| | Total Scheduled L | arning 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://uwe.rl.talis.com/index.html | | | | | |