

MODULE SPECIFICATION

Part 1: Information							
Module Title	Emerging Technologies						
Module Code	UFCFKE-30-3		Level	Level 6			
For implementation from	2019-	20					
UWE Credit Rating	30		ECTS Credit Rating	15			
Faculty	Faculty of Environment & Technology		Field	Computer Science and Creative Technologies			
Department	FET [T Dept of Computer Sci & Creative Tech					
Module type:	Stand	Standard					
Pre-requisites		None					
Excluded Combinations		None					
Co- requisites		None					
Module Entry requirements		None					

Part 2:	Description	
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Features: Module Entry requirements: If offered as CPD or stand alone

Educational Aims: See Learning Outcomes

Outline Syllabus: An overview of current emerging Computing technologies and concepts e.g.

Artificial intelligence

Robotics

Cloud computing

IoT

Quantum computing

Ubiquitous computing

Nanotechnology

STUDENT AND ACADEMIC SERVICES

Autonomic computing

Key areas for discussion and review:

Historical background

Future development potential

Ethical, legal and moral issues involved

Commercial considerations

The need for it and the sector/s in which it could be applied

Limiting factors

Teaching and Learning Methods: Introductory lectures (20%) are supported by seminars (30%), case studies (5%), and practical workshops (45%). In addition this module will be supported by interactive forums and learning tools.

300 hours study time of which 108 hours will represent scheduled learning.

Independent learning includes hours engaged with essential reading, assignment preparation and completion. Student study time will be organised each week with a series of both essential and further readings and preparation for practical workshops.

Part 3: Assessment

A range of assessment techniques will be employed to ensure that learners can meet the breadth of learning outcomes presented in this module alongside the ability to demonstrate transferable skills e.g. communication skills.

Open book examination: of the different aspects and application of the two emerging technologies researched.

Report: to include evidence of the investigation of the different aspects involved with each of the technologies, e.g. ethical, moral, legal and social issues.

First Sit Components	Final Assessment	Element weighting	Description
Report - Component B		60 %	Report (3000 words)
Examination - Component A	✓	40 %	2 hour open book examination (final assessment)
Resit Components	Final Assessment	Element weighting	Description
Report - Component B		60 %	Report (3000 words)
Examination - Component A	✓	40 %	2 hour open book examination (final assessment)

Part 4: Teaching and Learning Methods					
Learning Outcomes	On successful completion of this module students will achieve the following	learning outcomes:			
	Module Learning Outcomes	Reference			
	Discuss and evaluate new and developing technologies and their application within industry				
	Identify and critically analyse the ethical, legal and moral issues associated with these technologies				
	Critically evaluate the social implications that these technologies may impo	se MO3			
Contact Hours	Independent Study Hours:				
	Independent study/self-guided study	192			
	Total Independent Study Hours:	192			
	Scheduled Learning and Teaching Hours:				
	Face-to-face learning	108			
	Total Scheduled Learning and Teaching Hours:	108			
	Hours to be allocated	300			
	Allocated Hours	300			
Reading List	The reading list for this module can be accessed via the following link: https://uwe.rl.talis.com/index.html				

This module contributes towards the following programmes of study:

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