Module Title **One Year Sandwich Placement** **Keywords** Placement	Reference AS3099 SCQF Level SCQF 9 SCQF Points 120 ECTS Points 60 Created March 2004 Approved January 2005 Amended Version No. 1

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Prerequisites for Module

Students should have the knowledge and skills approprite to a BSc award in the appropriate science discipline.

Corequisite Modules

Refer to Definitive Course Document.

Precluded Modules

Refer to Definitive Course Document.

Aims of Module

To allow students who select this option to supplement their academic studies and gain valuable additional experience through a 1 year paid placement with a suitable external employer.

In addition, students are expected to avail themselves of any additional opportunities to gain relevant experience which may arise.

Indicative Student Workload

	Honours (placement)
Contact Hours	
Laboratory work	1,100
Assessment	50
Private Study	
Private study	50

Mode of Delivery

Placements will be co-ordinated and approved by the Industrial Training Tutor who will ensure that experience and training appropriate to the student's course of study is provided. During the placement students will be allocated a supervisor from the employing organisation who will be responsible for the day to day work

Learning Outcomes for Module

On completion of this module, students are expected to be able to:

1. Appreciate the demands and constraints placed on graduates in employment.
2. Apply science knowledge and skills to accomplish assigned tasks and communicate effectively with colleagues.
3. Demonstrate a mature and positive attitude to the world of work.

Indicative Module Content

Placement activities will be carried out in the employer's premises, the employment period being at least 9 months. During the placement the student will be regarded as an employee of the placement organisation and subject to the normal conditions of employment. A range of tasks may be carried out by the student as previously agreed between the employer and the Industrial Training Tutor. of the student. In addition, the Industrial Training Tutor or nominee will visit the student on placement to obtain an overview of the student's work and progress. Students are expected to abide by the code of conduct outlined in the Placement Handbook and keep an accurate and continuous record of work done.

Assessment Plan

	Learning Outcomes Assessed
Component 1	1,2,3
Component 2	2

Students performance will be assessed on the basis of the formal report submitted by students at the completion of the placement.

Students performance will be assessed on the basis of a report by the employment supervisor.

Indicative Bibliography

1. *Placement Handbook,* School of Pharmacy & Life Sciences, Robert Gordon University. Current Issue.