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MODULE DESCRIPTOR

Module Title

Health, Safety, Environment and Risk Assessment

Reference	ENM302	Version	9
Created	August 2021	SCQF Level	SCQF 11
Approved	December 2007	SCQF Points	15
Amended	August 2021	ECTS Points	7.5

Aims of Module

To provide the student with the ability to identify management and individual responsibilities for health, safety, and minimizing the environmental impact, of major accident hazard sites by assessing risks appropriately.

Learning Outcomes for Module

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

- 1 Critically evaluate risks using a structured review of hazards and reduce to as low as reasonably practicable (ALARP).
- 2 Evaluate modelling techniques to review the effects of functioning or failed systems.
- 3 Demonstrate an awareness and understanding of the legal obligations on a company operating in the UK and internationally.
- 4 Identify the purpose and demonstrate the scope required of an environmental policy and a management action plan.
- 5 Identify the immediate and underlying causes of industrial accidents and understand the role of a positive safety culture in preventing these.

Indicative Module Content

Causes and outcomes of industrial accidents. Hazard identification and control. ALARP principle and its relationship to societal perception of risk. Safety integrity levels, human factors, safety culture. Assessment of risk and the need for risk management. Requirements for an environmental impact policy and management support. Corporate responsibility, legal and management issues.

Module Delivery

DISTANCE LEARNING: The module is delivered by online lectures, interactive forum discussions and directed self-study.

Indicative Student Workload

	Full Time	Part Time
Contact Hours	N/A	23
Non-Contact Hours	N/A	127
Placement/Work-Based Learning Experience [Notional] Hours	N/A	N/A
TOTAL	N/A	150
Actual Placement hours for professional, statutory or regulatory body		

ASSESSMENT PLAN

If a major/minor model is used and box is ticked, % weightings below are indicative only.

Component 1

Type:	Coursework	Weighting:	50%	Outcomes Assessed:	2, 3
Description:	Coursework.				

Component 2

Type:	Examination	Weighting:	50%	Outcomes Assessed:	1, 4, 5
Description:	Closed book examination.				

MODULE PERFORMANCE DESCRIPTOR**Explanatory Text**

The module has 2 components and an overall grade D is required to pass the module. The component weighting is as follows: C1 is worth 50% and C2 is worth 50%.

		Examination:						NS
		A	B	C	D	E	F	
Coursework:	A	A	A	B	B	C	E	
	B	A	B	B	C	C	E	
	C	B	B	C	C	D	E	
	D	B	C	C	D	D	E	
	E	C	C	D	D	E	E	
	F	E	E	E	E	E	F	
NS		Non-submission of work by published deadline or non-attendance for examination						

Module Requirements

Prerequisites for Module	Normally a UK honours degree, or equivalent, in Engineering or related discipline at class 2.2 or above and proficiency in English language for academic purposes (IELTS minimum score of 6.5 or equivalent).
Corequisites for module	None.
Precluded Modules	None.

INDICATIVE BIBLIOGRAPHY

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- 2 AICE, 2008, Guidelines for Hazard Evaluation Procedures, John Wiley & Sons
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- 5 Joel M. Haight 2013 Handbook of Loss Prevention Engineering Wiley-VCH Verlag GmbH & Co. KGaA