

MODULE DESCRIPTOR

Module Title

Human Rights (Online LLB)

Reference	LL1308	Version	3
Created	June 2023	SCQF Level	SCQF 7
Approved	July 2017	SCQF Points	15
Amended	September 2023	ECTS Points	7.5

Aims of Module

This module aims to familiarise the student with the nature and relevance of human rights in the United Kingdom and Scotland.

Learning Outcomes for Module

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

- 1 Outline the development of human rights.
- 2 Evaluate the impact of UK human rights legislation and the problems therewith.
- 3 Understand individual human rights and the applicability thereof on specific subject matter including the criminal law, terrorism and prisoners.

Indicative Module Content

Historical background of human rights, UK human rights legislation, the effect of human rights law on criminal justice, terrorism and the prison population.

Module Delivery

This is a online lecture and tutorial based module. Recorded lectures provide core module content. Online live tutorials develop associated higher level skills through student centred learning.

Indicative Student Workload

	Full Time	Part Time
Contact Hours	36	N/A
Non-Contact Hours	114	N/A
Placement/Work-Based Learning Experience [Notional] Hours	N/A	N/A
TOTAL	150	N/A
<i>Actual Placement hours for professional, statutory or regulatory body</i>		

ASSESSMENT PLAN

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

Component 1

Type: Coursework Weighting: 100% Outcomes Assessed: 1, 2, 3

Description: A written coursework exercise on a relevant human rights topic

Component 2

Type: Coursework Weighting: 0% Outcomes Assessed: 1, 2, 3

Description: Compliance on a pass/fail basis with the requirement to participate in online forum and tutorial activities.

MODULE PERFORMANCE DESCRIPTOR**Explanatory Text**

This module is assessed by means of a component of substantive assessment, weighted at 100%. This is accompanied by a need to satisfy the participation requirements of the module, leading to the awarding of a Pass. The awarding of a D grade is the minimum requirement to pass the module, accompanied with a Pass for the participation requirements.

Module Grade	Minimum Requirements to achieve Module Grade:
A	The student must achieve an A in C1 and a Pass in C2
B	The student must achieve a B in C1 and a Pass in C2
C	The student must achieve a C in C1 and a Pass in C2
D	The student must achieve a D in C1 and a Pass in C2
E	The student must achieve an E in C1 and a Pass in C2
F	The student must achieve an F in C1 and a Pass in C2
NS	Non-submission of work by published deadline or non-attendance for examination

Module Requirements

Prerequisites for Module None.

Corequisites for module None.

Precluded Modules None.

INDICATIVE BIBLIOGRAPHY

- 1 BROWN, A., 2014. *Human Rights*. 3rd ed. Edinburgh: W. Green.
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- 3 *Laws of Scotland online: Stair memorial encyclopaedia, human rights (reissue)*. London: LexisLibrary. online