

## MODULE DESCRIPTOR

### Module Title

European Union Law

Reference	LL2161	Version	2
Created	June 2022	SCQF Level	SCQF 8
Approved	July 2017	SCQF Points	15
Amended	August 2023	ECTS Points	7.5

### Aims of Module

The aims of this module are to examine and evaluate the fundamental principles and processes of the EU legal order, coupled with scrutiny of EU law legacy in the UK and Scotland

### Learning Outcomes for Module

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

- 1 Understand the nature and sources of European Union Law as well as the EU's legislative processes, and the relationship between EU Law and Member State law
- 2 Examine the political and judicial institutions of the EU, including CJEU jurisdiction
- 3 Evaluate the constitutional principles of the EU legal order
- 4 Examine the principles of the EU internal market
- 5 Understand EU law legacy in the UK and Scotland, including Retained EU Law and Withdrawal legislation

### Indicative Module Content

Institutional structure of the EU; sources of EU law; relationship between EU law and national law; constitutional principles of the EU; principles of the EU internal market; EU law legacy in the UK and Scotland; Retained EU Law; EU-UK withdrawal legislation and measures.

### Module Delivery

This is a lecture and tutorial based module. Lectures provide core module content. 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, 4, 5
Description:	Assessed In-class Tests				

**MODULE PERFORMANCE DESCRIPTOR****Explanatory Text**

The calculation of the overall grade for this module is based on 100% weighting of C1. An overall minimum Grade D is required to pass the module.

Module Grade	Minimum Requirements to achieve Module Grade:
<b>A</b>	The student needs to achieve an A in C1
<b>B</b>	The student needs to achieve a B in C1
<b>C</b>	The student needs to achieve a C in C1
<b>D</b>	The student needs to achieve a D in C1
<b>E</b>	The student needs to achieve an E in C1
<b>F</b>	The student needs to achieve an F in C1
<b>NS</b>	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**

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- 4 DOUGAN M., The UK's Withdrawal from the EU - A Legal Analysis (OUP, 2021)