

MODULE DESCRIPTOR

Module Title

Commercial Law (Online)

Reference	LL2304	Version	4
Created	February 2024	SCQF Level	SCQF 10
Approved	August 2017	SCQF Points	15
Amended	February 2024	ECTS Points	7.5

Aims of Module

To enable students to obtain a knowledge and understanding of the legal status of the main types of commercial contract and how they operate.

Learning Outcomes for Module

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

- 1 Consider the main forms of commercial transaction and relationships.
- 2 Critically evaluate the legal content of and requirements surrounding the key commercial contracts and relationships.
- 3 Apply the knowledge and understanding of key commercial contracts and relationships to practical situations.

Indicative Module Content

Development and sources of domestic commercial law including the influence of the EU; comparison of business vehicles such as sole trader, partnership and company; agency; sale and supply of goods; aspects of carriage of goods; aspects of insurance; intellectual property; insolvency / bankruptcy.

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. In the distance learning mode, in addition, online activities will form part of the module contact time.

Indicative Student Workload

	Full Time	Part Time
Contact Hours	36	36
Non-Contact Hours	114	114
Placement/Work-Based Learning Experience [Notional] Hours	N/A	N/A
TOTAL	150	150
<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: Examination Weighting: 100% Outcomes Assessed: 1, 2, 3
 Description: Summative assessment in the form of an Exam

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**

The calculation of the overall grade for this module is based on 100% weighting of C1. 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 needs to achieve an A in C1.
B	The student needs to achieve a B in C1.
C	The student needs to achieve a C in C1.
D	The student needs to achieve a D in C1.
E	The student needs to achieve an E in C1.
F	The student needs to achieve an F in C1.
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 DAVIDSON, F. and MACGREGOR, L., 2021. *Commercial law in Scotland*. 6th ed. Edinburgh: W. Green.
- 2 MACNEIL, I.G., ed., 2014. *Scots commercial law*. Edinburgh: Avizandum Publishing