

MODULE DESCRIPTOR

Module Title

Brexit - Legal Aspects

Reference	LL4205	Version	1
Created	February 2018	SCQF Level	SCQF 10
Approved	June 2018	SCQF Points	15
Amended	June 2017	ECTS Points	7.5

Aims of Module

To enable students to develop an in-depth knowledge of the origins and ongoing process of the UK's departure from the EU - i.e. "Brexit" and the 2016 Referendum; to facilitate a thorough understanding of the legal aspects and impacts of Brexit; to enable and promote critical assessment of the Brexit withdrawal process; to conduct analysis of Art 50 TEU and the Miller judgment; to examine the impact and consequences of Brexit on selected areas of UK law; to consider the impact of Brexit for devolved entities within the UK.

Learning Outcomes for Module

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

- 1 Demonstrate an understanding of the origins of Brexit and the 2016 Referendum
- 2 Demonstrate an appreciation of the detail of the Brexit withdrawal process, including Article 50 TEU
- 3 Demonstrate understanding of the impact of Brexit on selected aspects of UK law and on the devolved entities in the UK
- 4 Demonstrate knowledge of all Brexit related case law, including the Miller judgment
- 5 Present the acquired knowledge and understanding in a precise form using the appropriate legal language and concepts.

Indicative Module Content

Theme 1: The origins of the Brexit process, the Referendum, ART 50 TEU and the Miller judgement; Theme 2: The Brexit withdrawal process and general impact; Theme 3: Brexit impact on selected areas of UK law; Theme 4: Brexit and the devolved entities

Module Delivery

This is a lecture and seminar based module. Lectures provide core module content. Seminars 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:	70%	Outcomes Assessed:	2, 3, 4, 5
Description:	Written coursework exercise				

Component 2

Type:	Coursework	Weighting:	30%	Outcomes Assessed:	1, 2, 3, 4, 5
Description:	Oral assignment/presentation which can cover any part of the module				

MODULE PERFORMANCE DESCRIPTOR**Explanatory Text**

The Module is assessed by two components: C1 - Coursework - 70% weighting. C2 - Oral assignment - 30% weighting. Module Pass Mark = Grade D (40%)

Module Grade	Minimum Requirements to achieve Module Grade:
A	At least 70% on weighted aggregate and at least 35% in each component
B	At least 60% on weighted aggregate and at least 35% in each component
C	At least 50% on weighted aggregate and at least 35% in each component
D	At least 40% on weighted aggregate and at least 35% in each component
E	At least 35% on weighted aggregate
F	Less than 35% on weighted aggregate
NS	Non-submission of work by published deadline or non-attendance for examination

Module Requirements

Prerequisites for Module	BS2161 or BS2145 or equivalent
Corequisites for module	None.
Precluded Modules	None.

INDICATIVE BIBLIOGRAPHY

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- 3 FABBRINI, F., 2017. *The law and politics of Brexit*. Oxford: Oxford University Press