

Module Specification

Module Summary Information

1	Module Title Business Law and Practice	
2	Module Credits	8
3	Module Level	7
4	Module Code	LPC7302

5 Module Overview

Relationship with Programme Philosophy and Aims

The Core practice area contributes to the delivery of the LPC Outcomes and the programme's aims by requiring students to participate in realistic practice based exercises in order to prepare them for work-based learning and by equipping the student with foundation skills and knowledge for practice in Business

It is intended that the student will begin to prepare for work based learning by focussing upon matters which he or she will be likely to encounter during the initial stages of training in company/commercial department within a generalist practice.

The Core practice area is delivered by the analysis of a series of case studies focussing upon specific aspects of this area of legal practice. Students will be required to research and apply their knowledge of Business Law and Practice case studies in context. This will be done via a series of transactional exercises, utilising the Course skills and subject knowledge as appropriate to analyse, plan and progress these transactions in order to achieve the client's objectives whilst applying the rules of professional conduct in context.

Within the module students will also be able to develop and practise writing skills so that this Course skill can be developed within a realistic, transactional, practice based context. In addition the module will be delivered in a manner which will enable students to demonstrate that they can transfer and apply, in this area of legal practice, skills learnt in the context of other Core practice areas.

6 Indicative Content

- The formation of business media along with the associated advantages and disadvantages of The different types of business medium
- The management and running of a business in whatever form it takes
- The interests of participators in the various forms of business medium
- The raising of finance for the business,
- Some common commercial transactions (especially those relating to the marketing of goods and services),
- The taxation of individuals and companies on profits from businesses and business assets,
- The insolvency of companies and individuals.



7	M	Module Learning Outcomes		
	On successful completion of the module, students will be able to:			
	1	To meet the SRA's generic Course outcomes for the LPC.		
	2	To meet the SRA'S generic Core Practice area Outcomes.		
	3	To meet the Business Law and Practice subject outcomes.		
	4	To meet the generic Course skills outcomes and the writing skill outcomes.		

8	Module Assessment				
Learni	ing Outcome				
		Coursework	Exam	In-Person	
1 - 4			X		

Breakdown Learning and Teaching Activities		
Learning Activities	Hours	
Scheduled Learning (SL) includes lectures, practical classes and workshops, peer group learning, Graduate+, as specified in timetable	45	
Directed Learning (DL) includes placements, work-based learning, external visits, on-line activity, Graduate+, peer learning, as directed on VLE	5	
Private Study (PS) includes preparation for exams	30	
Total Study Hours:	80	