

Module Specification

Module Summary Information

1	Module Title	Introduction to International Education
2	Module Credits	20
3	Module Level	4
4	Module Code	EDU4136

5	Module Overview
<p>This module introduces you to the study of education worldwide. We start by considering some of the theoretical and global contexts for the study of education, including what we mean by the term 'globalisation' and some of the global institutions running educational projects. From here we turn our attention to specific case studies of different countries around the world in relation to some of the key issues in international education, such as global goals, international testing, bilingualism, ethnic minorities, and national identity, drawing on our theoretical grounding to help us better understand the issues.</p>	

6	Indicative Content
<p>We begin by introducing globalisation and some of the key understandings of the term. From there we consider global trends such as international testing and global goals, and some of the key issues in international education: national identity, bilingualism, and ethnic minorities. We then do a series of case studies examining specific countries in relation to these trends and key issues.</p>	

7	Module Learning Outcomes
On successful completion of the module, students will be able to:	
1	Demonstrate an understanding of international education and its relevance to education studies.
2	Identify and discuss key factors in international education, including global goals, international testing, bilingualism, ethnic minorities, and national identity.
3	Discuss how different countries address key factors in international education.
4	Demonstrate an ability to write clearly and accurately; follow academic conventions appropriate to undergraduate study.
5	To demonstrate high levels of commitment and engagement in sessions.

8	Module Assessment		
Learning Outcome			
	Coursework	Exam	In-Person
1,2,3,4	X		
5			X

9 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	48
Directed Learning (DL) includes placements, work-based learning, external visits, on-line activity, Graduate+, peer learning, as directed on VLE	60
Private Study (PS) includes preparation for exams	92
Total Study Hours:	200