

Module Definition Form (MDF)

Module code: MOD008093 Version: 3 Date Amended: 23/Oct/2023			Date Amended: 23/Oct/2023		
1. Module Title					
Fundamentals of Law					
2a. Module Leader					
Kelvin Gyimah					
2b. School					
BL: ARU College					
2c. Faculty					
Faculty of Business and Law					
3a. Level					
3					
3b. Module Type					
Standard (fine graded)					
4a. Credits					
15					
4b. Study Hours					
150					
5. Restrictions					
Туре	Module Code	Modu	le Name	Condition	
Pre-requisites:	None				
Co-requisites:	None				
Exclusions:	sions: None				
Courses to which this module is restricted:	N/A				

LEARNING, TEACHING AND ASSESSMENT INFORMATION

6a. Module Description

In this module, you will be presented with some the fundamental aspects of English Legal System. This module aims to:

- Provide you with an introduction to the legal concepts and rules and the machinery involved in their introduction, application and enforcement;
- Explore and critically assess the value of legal rules, processes and institutions; and
- Develop your skills of communication, interpretation, reasoning and analysis.

6b. Outline Content

- · Concepts of Law
- Constitution
- State Institutions
- European Union
- · Legal Sources
- Human Rights
- Machinery of Justice & Legal Personnel

6c. Key Texts/Literature

The reading list to support this module is available at: https://readinglists.aru.ac.uk/

6d. Specialist Learning Resources

N/A

7. Learning Outcomes (threshold standards)

No.	Туре	On successful completion of this module the student will be expected to be able to:	
1	Knowledge and Understanding	Construct clear, concise and logical legal arguments supported by evidence	
2	Intellectual, practical, affective and transferrable skills	Manage, analyse and evaluate information from a range of sources, and appropriately reference this information in their own work	
3	Intellectual, practical, affective and transferrable skills	Manage their time effectively in order to engage in self-directed study and meet submission deadlines	

8a. Module Occurrence to which this MDF Refers				
Year	Occurrence	Period	Location	Mode of Delivery
2023/4	F01CAM	Trimester 1	ARU Cambridge Campus	Face to Face

8b. Learning Activities for the above Module Occurrence				
Learning Activities	Hours	Learning Outcomes	Details of Duration, frequency and other comments	
Lectures	0	N/A	N/A	
Other teacher managed learning	48	1-3	4 lecture hours per week x 12 teaching weeks	
Student managed learning	102	1-3	Independent Study	
TOTAL:	150			

9. Assessment for the above Module Occurrence					
Assessment No.	Assessment Method	Learning Outcomes	Weighting (%)	Fine Grade or Pass/Fail	Qualifying Mark (%)
010	Coursework	123	50 (%)	Fine Grade	30 (%)
Written Assessment (1000 words)					
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011	Coursework	123	50 (%)	Fine Grade	30 (%)
Written Assessment (1000 words)					

In order to pass this module, students are required to achieve an overall mark of 40%. In addition, students are required to:

- (a) achieve the qualifying mark for each element of fine graded assessment of as specified above
- (b) pass any pass/fail elements