



Module Descriptor

Title	Sustainable Enterprise		
Session	2025/26	Status	Published
Code	LNDN10003	SCQF Level	10
Credit Points	20	ECTS (European Credit Transfer Scheme)	10
School	Business and Creative Industries		
Module Co-ordinator	Dr. Johnson Okeniyi		
Summary of Module This module will examine what is the business case for sustainable development. Can business enterprises make profits and be sustainable and is there a requirement for such amongst today's consumers. The module will also look at what can be the right trade off between business interest and sustainability interest. We will also examine how changes in the way business operate can affect sustainability.			

Module Delivery Method	On-Campus¹ ☐		Hybrid² ☒		Online³ ☐		Work -Based Learning⁴ ☐
Campuses for Module Delivery	☐ Ayr ☐ Dumfries		☐ Lanarkshire ☒ London ☐ Paisley		☐ Online / Distance Learning ☐ Other (specify)		
Terms for Module Delivery	Term 1	☒	Term 2	☒	Term 3	☒	
Long-thin Delivery over more than one Term	Term 1 – Term 2	☐	Term 2 – Term 3	☐	Term 3 – Term 1	☐	

¹ Where contact hours are synchronous/ live and take place fully on campus. Campus-based learning is focused on providing an interactive learning experience supported by a range of digitally-enabled asynchronous learning opportunities including learning materials, resources, and opportunities provided via the virtual learning environment. On-campus contact hours will be clearly articulated to students.

² The module includes a combination of synchronous/ live on-campus and online learning events. These will be supported by a range of digitally-enabled asynchronous learning opportunities including learning materials, resources, and opportunities provided via the virtual learning environment. On-campus and online contact hours will be clearly articulated to students.

³ Where all learning is solely delivered by web-based or internet-based technologies and the participants can engage in all learning activities through these means. All required contact hours will be clearly articulated to students.

⁴ Learning activities where the main location for the learning experience is in the workplace. All required contact hours, whether online or on campus, will be clearly articulated to students

Learning Outcomes	
L1	Have an understanding of why addressing environmental and social issues are important to move business towards sustainable development
L2	Understand the strengths and limitations of corporate sustainability
L3	Be capable of analysing whether business in its traditional form can address sustainable development
L4	
L5	

Employability Skills and Personal Development Planning (PDP) Skills	
SCQF Headings	During completion of this module, there will be an opportunity to achieve core skills in:
Knowledge and Understanding (K and U)	SCQF 10 Demonstrate a broad knowledge of the main aspects of innovation and organisation from a sustainable perspective Demonstrate an indepth knowlegde and understanding of creativity and problem solving
Practice: Applied Knowledge and Understanding	SCQF 10 Apply skills and knowledge to support sustainability in the organisation's decision process Applying relevant knowledge and understanding to a range of complex situations Applying a range of skills, knowledge and understanding of creativity and problem solving to key issues in the changing global markets
Generic Cognitive skills	SCQF 10 Critical thinking and evaluation of key concepts Analysing new and abstract problems and issues related to the business environment Analysing complex business situations, often limited information
Communication, ICT and Numeracy Skills	SCQF 10 Convey complex concepts and theory in a coherent and clear manner Use ICT to investigate and process data and information Collect, analyse and communicate a range of numerical and graphical information
Autonomy, Accountability and Working with Others	SCQF 10 Undertake research on a topic and work independently Using initiative to cooperate and sharing learning with fellow students

Prerequisites	Module Code	Module Title
	Other	
Co-requisites	Module Code	Module Title

Learning and Teaching	
In line with current learning and teaching principles, a 20-credit module includes 200 learning hours, normally including a minimum of 36 contact hours and maximum of 48 contact hours.	
Learning Activities	Student Learning Hours
During completion of this module, the learning activities undertaken to achieve the module learning outcomes are stated below:	(Note: Learning hours include both contact hours and hours spent on other learning activities)
Lecture / Core Content Delivery	36
Independent Study	164
Please select	
Please select	
Please select	
Please select	
TOTAL	200 Hours

Indicative Resources
The following materials form essential underpinning for the module content and ultimately for the learning outcomes: Alexander, Paula Becker (2015) Corporate Social Irresponsibility, New York, NY: Routledge Details of further resources, including textbooks, journals and online resources will be identified at the beginning of each delivery in the module handbook and made available via VLE (N.B. Although reading lists should include current publications, students are advised (particularly for material marked with an asterisk*) to wait until the start of session for confirmation of the most up-to-date material)

Attendance and Engagement Requirements
In line with the Student Attendance and Engagement Procedure, Students are academically engaged if they are regularly attending and participating in timetabled on-campus and online teaching sessions, asynchronous online learning activities, course-related learning resources, and complete assessments and submit these on time. For the purposes of this module, academic engagement equates to the following:

Equality and Diversity
The University's Equality, Diversity and Human Rights Procedure can be accessed at the following link: UWS Equality, Diversity and Human Rights Code.

(N.B. Every effort will be made by the University to accommodate any equality and diversity issues brought to the attention of the School)

Supplemental Information

Divisional Programme Board	Marketing, Innovation, Tourism Events
Overall Assessment Results	☐ Pass / Fail ☒ Graded
Module Eligible for Compensation	☐ Yes ☒ No If this module is eligible for compensation, there may be cases where compensation is not permitted due to programme accreditation requirements. Please check the associated programme specification for details.
School Assessment Board	Undergraduate London SAB
Moderator	TBC
External Examiner	Victoria Oziri
Accreditation Details	
Module Appears in CPD catalogue	☐ Yes ☐ No
Changes / Version Number	2

Assessment (also refer to Assessment Outcomes Grids below)
Assessment 1
Case Study Investigation (70%)
Assessment 2
Presentation (30%)
Assessment 3
(N.B. (i) Assessment Outcomes Grids for the module (one for each component) can be found below which clearly demonstrate how the learning outcomes of the module will be assessed. (ii) An indicative schedule listing approximate times within the academic calendar when assessment is likely to feature will be provided within the Student Module Handbook.)

Component 1							
Assessment Type	LO1	LO2	LO3	LO4	LO5	Weighting of Assessment Element (%)	Timetabled Contact Hours
	☒	☒	☐	☐	☐	70	0

Component 2							
Assessment Type	LO1	LO2	LO3	LO4	LO5	Weighting of Assessment Element (%)	Timetabled Contact Hours
	☐	☐	☒	☐	☐	30	0

Component 3							
Assessment Type	LO1	LO2	LO3	LO4	LO5	Weighting of Assessment Element (%)	Timetabled Contact Hours
	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐		
Combined total for all components						100%	hours

Change Control

What	When	Who
Not applicable		