



Module Definition Form (MDF)

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1. Module Title
Business 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			
Type	Module Code	Module Name	Condition
Pre-requisites:	None		
Co-requisites:	None		
Exclusions:	None		
Courses to which this module is restricted:	N/A		

LEARNING, TEACHING AND ASSESSMENT INFORMATION

6a. Module Description

This module will present you with some fundamental aspects of Business law. 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

- Intellectual Property
- Business Structures
- Business Transactions
- Business Liability
- Employment Law
- Dispute Resolutions & Sources of Law

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.	Type	On successful completion of this module the student will be expected to be able to:
1	Knowledge and Understanding	Identify and apply appropriate legal principles to analyse typical business law scenarios.
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
2025/6	ZZF	Template For Face To Face Learning Delivery		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	Pre and Post session preparation, research, and writing tasks
TOTAL:	150		

9. Assessment for the above Module Occurrence					
Assessment No.	Assessment Method	Learning Outcomes	Weighting (%)	Fine Grade or Pass/Fail	Qualifying Mark (%)
010	Practical	1 2 3	60 (%)	Fine Grade	30 (%)
Presentation (5 minutes)					
Assessment No.	Assessment Method	Learning Outcomes	Weighting (%)	Fine Grade or Pass/Fail	Qualifying Mark (%)
011	Coursework	1 2 3	40 (%)	Fine Grade	30 (%)
Written Assessment (1000 words)					

In order to pass this module, students are required to achieve an overall mark of 40% (for modules at levels 3, 4, 5 and 6) or 50% (for modules at level 7*).

In addition, students are required to:

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

[* the pass mark of 50% applies for all module occurrences from the academic year 2024/25 – see Section 3a of this MDF to check the level of the module and Section 8a of this MDF to check the academic year]