

## MODULE DESCRIPTOR

<b>MODULE TITLE</b>	SINGLE RESEARCH PROJECT		
<b>MODULE CODE</b>	TL3910 (L6)	<b>CREDIT VALUE</b>	20 UK CREDITS / 10 ECTS
<b>SCHOOL</b>	SCHOOL OF BUSINESS AND MANAGEMENT		

### MODULE AIMS

The aims of the module are to offer you the opportunity to conduct a major piece of independent literature-based research. It is expected that you will develop management skills; achieve a measure of independence; integrate different aspects of the course; define clearly a problem to be solved. Students will be expected to extract relevant material from a literature survey and synthesise all information.

### MODULE CONTENT

#### Indicative syllabus content:

The module will see students undertake an independent piece of literature-based research, subject to approval by a suitable member of the academic faculty. Uni- or multi-disciplinary investigations will be considered. Students may also consider using small case-study approaches to facilitate their research objectives.

### INTENDED LEARNING OUTCOMES

#### On successful completion of this module a student will be able to:

1. Critically evaluate and review information.
2. Design and implement a piece of independent investigation, in the literature review form.
3. Demonstrate independence in working.
4. Carry out appropriate literature synthesis to formulate a definitive, and critical, conclusion.

### TEACHING METHODS

Students will take part in class based lectures which cover the application of research methodology within their chosen project. They will also meet with their tutor for one to one reviews of their progress. To facilitate the achievement of the learning outcomes listed, students will need to take a pro-active role in their own learning. Students will be expected to work on their own initiative in the development of appropriate skills, taking a critical appreciation of their progress. VLE resources will be utilised to support student learning.

### ASSESSMENT METHODS

This module is assessed through one Preliminary proposal and one Final Report.