

Module Catalogue

Faculty of Architecture and the Built Environment

Postgraduate Study Abroad 2018/9

Semester 1

Module Code	Module Name	Level	Semester	UK Credit Value	Credit Equivalency
Planning and Transport					
7PLAN010W	Planning for Urban Risk and Resilience	7	Semester 1	20	US Credits 4 / ECTS credits 10*
7PLAN012W	Planning Theory and Practice 1	7	Semester 1	20	US Credits 4 / ECTS credits 10*
7PLAN019W	Sustainable Cities and Neighbourhoods	7	Semester 1	20	US Credits 4 / ECTS credits 10*
7PLAN026W	Urban Policy and Strategy	7	Semester 1	20	US Credits 4 / ECTS credits 10*
7PLAN027W	Urbanism and Design: Form, Context and Philosophies	7	Semester 1	20	US Credits 4 / ECTS credits 10*
7TRAN001W	Air Transport Economics	7	Semester 1	20	US Credits 4 / ECTS credits 10*
7TRAN014W	Logistics and the External Environment	7	Semester 1	20	US Credits 4 / ECTS credits 10*
7TRAN016W	Logistics Management in a Retail Supply Chain Context	7	Semester 1	20	US Credits 4 / ECTS credits 10*
	Sustainable Supply Chains With Focus		Semester		US Credits 4 /

7TRAN026W	on Freight Transport	7	1	20	ECTS credits 10*
7TRAN028W	Transport Economics	7	Semester 1	20	US Credits 4 / ECTS credits 10*
Property and Construction					
7CNMN005W	Construction Law for Contract Management	7	Semester 1	20	US Credits 4 / ECTS credits 10*
7CNMN007W	Corporate Management	7	Semester 1	20	US Credits 4 / ECTS credits 10*
7CNMN011W	Procurement	7	Semester 1	20	US Credits 4 / ECTS credits 10*
7PROP004W	Finance and Asset Management	7	Semester 1	20	US Credits 4 / ECTS credits 10*
7PROP010W	Site Assembly and Development	7	Semester 1	20	US Credits 4 / ECTS credits 10*
Tourism					
7TOUR004W	Responsible Management for Tourism and Events	7	Semester 1	20	US Credits 4 / ECTS credits 10*

* All transcripts are issued in UK credits. Please note the recommendation of a 4 US credit value equivalency is provided as guidance. Final credit values for all modules for US students are decided by your home institution and will be dependent on its credit transfer policies.

Planning and Transport

Planning for Urban Risk and Resilience

Module Code: 7PLAN010W

Level 7

Semester 1

Location: Marylebone

UK Credit Value: 20

Equivalent Credit Value: US Credits 4 /

ECTS credits 10*

Spatial planning for risk management, including reducing vulnerability and building urban resilience as it relates to the built environment, urban governance and long-term climate change and development needs. Integrates sustainable development and climate change mitigation and adaptation concerns with disaster planning and urban risk management.

Assessment: Coursework (50%), Coursework (50%)

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Planning Theory and Practice 1

Module Code: 7PLAN012W

Level 7

Semester 1

Location: Marylebone

UK Credit Value: 20

**Equivalent Credit Value: US Credits 4 /
ECTS credits 10***

Summary of Module content: • Key historical and contemporary debates in planning • Role of planning in land and property markets • Principles of UK planning system • Place Shaping & Policy integration • Making a Planning Decision • Study skills (referencing, essay planning, critical analysis)

Assessment: Coursework (50%), Coursework (50%)

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Sustainable Cities and Neighbourhoods

Module Code: 7PLAN019W

Level 7

Semester 1

Location: Marylebone

UK Credit Value: 20

**Equivalent Credit Value: US Credits 4 /
ECTS credits 10***

• An introduction to the concepts and ideas of sustainability in urban development • Key debates in planning for sustainable cities and neighbourhoods • Contemporary issues in delivering sustainable development • Interdisciplinary and discipline-based discussions on the practice of sustainability • Development of study skills (critical analysis, site analysis and planning, sustainability appraisal, team working, presentation)

Assessment: Coursework (15%), Coursework (35%), Coursework (50%)

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Urban Policy and Strategy

Module Code: 7PLAN026W

Level 7

Semester 1

Location: Marylebone

UK Credit Value: 20

**Equivalent Credit Value: US Credits 4 /
ECTS credits 10***

Assessment: Coursework (40%), Coursework (60%)

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Urbanism and Design: Form, Context and Philosophies

Module Code: 7PLAN027W

Level 7

Semester 1

Location: Marylebone

UK Credit Value: 20

**Equivalent Credit Value: US Credits 4 /
ECTS credits 10***

This module addresses the issue of how and why cities look as they do. It investigates urban form through history and encourages students to understand how and why particular patterns of development have come into being and why other visionary insights have not. Particular attention is paid to design traditions, philosophies and intentions,

past and present. Students will be required to critically engage with the topics and to distinguish between the physical manifestations of different types of urbanism. There will be an opportunity to study in-depth key texts that are guiding contemporary urban design thought

Assessment: Group Coursework (30%), Presentation (20%), Coursework (50%)

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Air Transport Economics

Module Code: 7TRAN001W

Level 7

Semester 1

Location: Marylebone

UK Credit Value: 20

Equivalent Credit Value: US Credits 4 /
ECTS credits 10*

This module examines the structure of the airline industry and the international regulatory regime within which it operates. Airline costs and revenues are analysed and related to financial performance. Airport economics is introduced along with key concepts in airport operations and planning.

Assessment: Coursework (70%), In-Class Test/Assignment exam conditions (30%)

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Logistics and the External Environment

Module Code: 7TRAN014W

Level 7

Semester 1

Location: Marylebone

UK Credit Value: 20

Equivalent Credit Value: US Credits 4 /
ECTS credits 10*

This module is designed to make students aware of the external influences that companies must take into account in the design and operation of their logistics systems. Supply chains do not exist in a vacuum, and there are many issues that companies need to consider to ensure that they operate legally and responsibly in addition to meeting their own internal company objectives.

Assessment: Coursework (50%), Examination - closed book (50%)

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Logistics Management in a Retail Supply Chain Context

Module Code: 7TRAN016W

Level 7

Semester 1

Location: Marylebone

UK Credit Value: 20

Equivalent Credit Value: US Credits 4 /
ECTS credits 10*

Assessment: Coursework (50%), Examination - closed book (50%)

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Sustainable Supply Chains With Focus on Freight Transport

Module Code: 7TRAN026W

Level 7

Semester 1

Location: Marylebone

UK Credit Value: 20

Equivalent Credit Value: US Credits 4 /
ECTS credits 10*

This module is focused on the study of sustainability and green logistics, with a particular emphasis on freight transport. The first part of the module provides the context for sustainable supply chains, examining the business and public policy reasons for attempting to address sustainability issues, and examining how sustainability impacts are measured, monitored and reported. The second part of the module focuses on the freight transport element of

supply chain management, looking at the strategic, operational and public policy perspectives.

Assessment: Coursework (50%), Examination - closed book (50%)

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Transport Economics

Module Code: 7TRAN028W

Level 7

Semester 1

Location: Marylebone

UK Credit Value: 20

**Equivalent Credit Value: US Credits 4 /
ECTS credits 10***

Through this module you will examine the application of relevant economic principles to the transport sector, including fundamental topics of transport economics and new frontiers in the field. Topics you will explore include travel demand, pricing and supply of transport, investment in transport, economic and environmental appraisal of transport, transport markets, and the wider economic impacts of transport.

Assessment: Coursework (50%), In-Class Test/Assignment exam conditions (50%)

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Property and Construction

Construction Law for Contract Management

Module Code: 7CNMN005W

Level 7

Semester 1

Location: Marylebone

UK Credit Value: 20

**Equivalent Credit Value: US Credits 4 /
ECTS credits 10***

This module will examine the legal context within which construction projects are procured, managed and delivered. It will investigate the key areas of the law that affect contract management including Tort, Contract, Statutory Legislation and Dispute Resolution.

Assessment: Coursework (50%), In-Class Test/Assignment exam conditions (50%)

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Corporate Management

Module Code: 7CNMN007W

Level 7

Semester 1

Location: Marylebone

UK Credit Value: 20

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ECTS credits 10***

This module will investigate strategic management issues in relation to organisations that commission and deliver construction projects.

Assessment: Coursework (50%), Coursework (50%)

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Procurement

Module Code: 7CNMN011W

Level 7

Semester 1

Location: Marylebone

UK Credit Value: 20

**Equivalent Credit Value: US Credits 4 /
ECTS credits 10***

The key stages in the process of procuring consultants and works contractor for construction projects. Critical success factors, client requirements, the statutory and legal framework UK & European, the concept of best value,

shortlisting and pre-qualification.

Assessment: Coursework (70%), Coursework (30%)

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Finance and Asset Management

Module Code: 7PROP004W

Level 7

Semester 1

Location: Marylebone

UK Credit Value: 20

**Equivalent Credit Value: US Credits 4 /
ECTS credits 10***

Central to the study of property as an investment, is an appreciation that property is a class of asset that can be physically managed, unlike many other types of investment. This module gives students grounding in property as an asset class and a practical and theoretical appreciation of the techniques and practices currently being used in the management of commercial property. Property valuation techniques will be introduced, and will be developed by other modules. As well as appreciating property as asset class, a thorough knowledge of accounting principles is required. In the financial element to of this module, issues relating to accounting principles and financial management accounts, and the implications of tax etc is considered Equally important is the appreciation of ratio analysis and strategy.

Assessment: Coursework (40%), In-Class Test/Assignment exam conditions (25%), Coursework (35%)

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Site Assembly and Development

Module Code: 7PROP010W

Level 7

Semester 1

Location: Marylebone

UK Credit Value: 20

**Equivalent Credit Value: US Credits 4 /
ECTS credits 10***

A study of the main considerations and Valuation techniques required for the selection, assessment and development of a site for single use real estate development.

Assessment: Coursework (25%), Coursework (75%)

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Tourism

Responsible Management for Tourism and Events

Module Code: 7TOUR004W

Level 7

Semester 1

Location: Marylebone

UK Credit Value: 20

**Equivalent Credit Value: US Credits 4 /
ECTS credits 10***

This module examines the concept of responsible tourism and sustainable development and its application to tourism. It explores the emergence of sustainable tourism as an academic, policy and industry phenomenon over the last 20 years. The module critically evaluates modes of tourism that are supposed to be more sustainable, such as ecotourism and other forms of alternative tourism. It also examines how different stakeholder groups (the industry, government, tourists, local communities) can contribute to making tourism more responsible. Although a range of different international cases are discussed, the module focuses particularly on the role of responsible tourism in the developing world.

Assessment: Coursework (50%), Examination - closed book (50%)

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