

## Module Descriptor Definitive Document

<b>Module Code</b>	HTMD04
<b>Version</b>	(completed by QASU)
<b>Module Title</b>	Work Based Consultancy and Employability
<b>Credits</b>	20
<b>Valid From</b>	(completed by QASU)
<b>Status</b>	Proposed
<b>Subject Board</b>	(completed by QASU)
<b>HECoS Code</b>	101278
<b>Academic Level (FHEQ)</b>	5
<b>Study Period</b>	2
<b>Prerequisites and co-requisites</b>	None
<b>Not available to students taking/having taken</b>	N/A

## Content (Indicative)

- This module provides an experiential learning and reflective experience for students via working with a 'client' (industry mentor) on a team-based 'consultancy style' project; embedding key principles of Marjon values (Curiosity, Humanity, Independence, Ambition).
- Supports experiential learning via placements, work experience, part-time jobs, and opportunities to develop ideas or existing micro business enterprises.
- Guidance to support career development and acquisition of key employability skills.

## Teaching and Learning Experience

Lectures

Seminars

Guest Lectures

Industry Visits

1-2-1 Tutorials

Guided Independent Study

Students will be able to access on-line materials through the College virtual learning environment.

## Module Learning Outcomes (MLOs)

On successful completion of this module students will be able to:

1. Demonstrate an understanding of the skills to develop within an experiential learning / reflective experience / placement context in the hospitality, international tourism and events management environment.
2. Critically review an area of hospitality, international tourism and / or events management relevant to their experiential learning / reflective experience / placement opportunity.
3. Summarise knowledge and understanding of the theories underlying key employability skills.
4. -Compare various theories available to inform practice by analysing and reflecting on a range of key employability skills in the context of personal development in the hospitality, international tourism and events management industry.

## Assessment

Assessment Task	Weighting	Module Learning Outcomes Assessed
Reflective Portfolio	100%	1 – 4

## Indicative reading (APA 7th edition referenced)

### Core Texts:

**Employability and Skills Handbook for Tourism, Hospitality and Events Students** by Miriam Firth (2020) - Publisher: Routledge - ISBN: 9781138493971

**The Tourism, Hospitality and Events Student's Guide to Study and Employability** by Sally Everett, Nicola Cade, Abigail Hunt, Deborah Lock, Katie Lupton, Steve McDonald (2020) - Publisher: SAGE Publications - ISBN: 9781526436467

### Supplementary Textbooks

**Handbook of Human Resource Management in the Tourism and Hospitality Industries** edited by Ronald J. Burke and Julia Christensen Hughes (2018) - Publisher: Edward Elgar Publishing  
ISBN: 9781786431363

**Employability and Skills Development in the Sports, Events, and Hospitality Industry** edited by Vipin Nadda, Ian Arnott, Wendy Sealy, Emma Delaney (2022) - Publisher: IGI Global  
ISBN: 9781799877813