

## **External Examiners' Report**

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If you are responsible for more than one programme, we request that you use a separate template for each programme as appropriate.

Academic Year covered by report	2022-2023
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Name of External Examiner	Alan Wilkinson
Home Institution	N/A
Programme being examined	LPC
Modules examined	Mergers and Acquisitions, International Mergers & Acquisitions; International Mergers & Joint Ventures
Date of Report	27 <sup>th</sup> September 2023

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- Whether the method and general standard of marking was credible, consistent, fair and robust;
- whether the marks awarded were



Type your text here	Y	
6b. Is the module/programme design, delivery and assessment informed by up-to-date research or professional practice and/or by current developments in teaching and learning, within the discipline or sector? If "No", please comment:	Y	N
Type your text here	Y	
6c. Does the curriculum design and assessment strategy enable students to meet the programme learning outcomes? If "No", please comment:		N
Type your text here	Y	

## 6d. How well does the programme/module, in your opinion, prepare graduates for employment or further study?

The LPC course is designed to prepare graduates for employment as Trainee Solicitors. This course and the modules considered are very effective as a form of preparation with a suitable commercial approach.

## **Areas of Good Practice**

7a. Are there are particular features of student assessment that you would like to highlight as being innovative?

The case studies are generally up to date and with a highly commercial emphasis.



8a. Do you have any suggestions for ways in which the University would enhance the student learning experience?
Possibly an increased use of / emphasis on technology/ IT.
8b. Do you have any other comments to make on areas not covered elsewhere in this report?
None

## Signed:

I understand that this report (in full or part) will be available to students and staff.

Date:28th September 2023

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