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MA in Education

Module Title: DELIVERING HIGHER EDUCATION
Module Code: MAED05M

Level: 7
Credits: 30
Pre-requisites: None

Module Description:

In this module learners will focus on the delivery of higher education as opposed to another educational sector and investigate the differences between delivering Higher Education in a Mixed Economy College or from a Higher Educational Institution. Learners will be able to identify the similarities and differences between the two sets of organisations, their staff and students. It will also give an in-depth view of student services and infrastructure that are required to deliver a successful Higher Education programme.

Indicative Content:

- Structure of a typical mixed economy college and HEI
- Student demographics, needs and responsibilities
- Higher Education laws and regulations
- Modern methods of the student voice.
- Technology and organisations.
- Resourcing the organisations.
- Learning organisations.
- Perspectives on change and development.
- Governmental polices and their impact

Learning and Teaching Methods:

The module will be delivered through lectures and seminars. Use will be made of case studies, with students examining actual management strategies and techniques for managing work organisations. Self-managed learning will supplement lectures and seminars, and students will be provided with guidance in the required reading.

Specific Learning Resources:

All learners will be required to have access to the Wi-fi within their teaching space and full use of an interactive board for the taught elements.

Bibliography

Highly Recommended
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Department For Business, Innovation & Skills [Online].


Recommended


Background reading

Broadsheet newspapers, websites and the following journals (list not exclusive):

- In Tuition
- Times Education Supplement
- Education Today
- BBC education news website www.bbc.co.uk/news/education
- National College for Teaching and Leadership
  www.gov.uk/government/organisations/national-college-for-teaching-and-leadership (Early Years to 16 years sectors)
- Education and Training Foundation www.et-foundation.co.uk (Post-16 sector)
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Module Learning Outcomes

Subject Specific Learning Outcomes

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

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<th>LO 1</th>
<th>Critically analyse the differences in delivery of a higher education course in a Mixed Economy College and Higher Education Institution.</th>
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<td>LO 2</td>
<td>Critically evaluate the required infrastructure and resources required to successfully deliver a Higher Education course at both a Mixed Economy College and Higher Education Institution.</td>
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<td>LO 3</td>
<td>Research and identify the needs of a Higher Education Student in modern higher education.</td>
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<td>LO 4</td>
<td>Critically analyse the impact of a Higher Education Institution on its local community.</td>
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Assessment Title or element | Weighting (%) |
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6,000 word written report in three case studies (approximately 2,000 words each, one to address the requirements of L.O.1, one to address L.O.2 and the third to address L.O. 3 and L.O.4) | 100% |

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