

MODULE SPECIFICATION

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Module Code:	ARD556				
Module Title:	Prototypes and I	Production 2			
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Level:	5	Credit Value:	40		
Cost Centre(s):	GADC	JACS3 code: HECoS code:	W700/100895		
Faculty	FAST	Module Leader:	Steve Jarvis		
Scheduled learning			30 hrs		
Placement tutor s					0hrs
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Supervised learning eg practical classes, workshops Project supervision (level 6 projects and dissertation modules only)					0 hrs
Total contact hours					60 hrs
Placement / work-					
Guided independent study					340 hrs
Module duration			400 hrs		
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Programme(s) in	exit awards)	Core	Option		
BA(Hons) Product Design				✓	
Pre-requisites					
N/A					
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Module Aims

The aim of this module is to further develop the skill and expertise of the students in Prototypes and production 1 level 4 module. Throughout this module the students will demonstrate their expertise in prototyping and significant manufacturing techniques that they will need in order to prototype and realise their designs to a professional standard. Students will become well advised in problem solving, design thinking, and the decision-making processes needed to plan appropriate prototypes to suitably communicate design intentions using conceptual drawings, critical analysis and critical reflections.

Module Learning Outcomes - at the end of this module, students will be able to				
1	Analyse, refine and specify appropriate planning, designing, and modelling strategies, based on conceptual ideas and designs produced for this module.			
2	Initiate, plan and execute a range of tasks that extend abilities and understanding working with due consideration of limitations and be effective in time management.			
3	Exhibit and critically evaluate evidence of safe working practice within a workshop environment in the production of prototypes to a professional standard.			
4	Present drawings to communicate design intentions, . Presenting all final work professionally and evaluating fitness for purpose in full			

Employability Skills The Wrexham Glyndŵr Graduate	I = included in module content A = included in module assessment N/A = not applicable
CORE ATTRIBUTES	
Engaged	1
Creative	IA
Enterprising	IA
Ethical	IA
KEY ATTITUDES	
Commitment	IA
Curiosity	IA
Resilient	IA
Confidence	IA
Adaptability	IA
PRACTICAL SKILLSETS	
Digital fluency	IA
Organisation	IA
Leadership and team working	1
Critical thinking	IA
Emotional intelligence	1
Communication	IA

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Derogations

None

Assessment:

Indicative Assessment Tasks:

Students will produce coursework that demonstrates their ability to examine, analyse and employ prototyping and production methods and techniques to a professional standard with evidence of planning skills through layout studies.

In assessing the learning outcomes, a variety of factors will be taken into account these will include:

- Critical and theoretical Knowledge
- Conceptual ability
- Visual development skills
- Practical skills and use of production techniques

• • Professional practice

Assessment number	Learning Outcomes to be met	Type of assessment	Weighting (%)	
1	1-4	Coursework	100	

Learning and Teaching Strategies:

- Lectures will allow students to examine, analyse and apply CAD software methods and techniques.
- Assignments will enable students to produce a professionally produced product by applying prototyping techniques.
- Technical demonstrations will enable students to acquire the technical skills needed to complete the assignments.
- Tutorial guidance, group critique and student seminars will underpin the student's skill development and understanding of the fabrication process.

Syllabus outline:

Following a formal introduction to the module, the student will be aware of the parameters of the assignment and the time frame into which the activity must fit. The expansion of terms of reference that will set the student new challenges for their development through the location of their practice within the context of producing satisfactory prototypes for product design. This module develops the student's ability to examine, experiment and apply software methods and techniques used in when creating prototypes for their products as well as the physical skills of using equipment to produce prototype products with an emphasis on:

- Project planning,
- presentation skills
- research into the production phase of taking a product to market.

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Indicative Bibliography:

Essential reading:

Riley, E. and Martinez, S. (2019), *The Art of Digital Fabrication*. Torrance, CA: Constructing Modern Knowledge Press.

Higgins, J. (2006), 101 Creative Problem-Solving Techniques. Winter Park, Fla.: New Management Pub. Co.

Other indicative reading

Armstrong, C. (2018), *The Maker's Field Guide*. [S.I.]: Christopher Armstrong.

Hallgrimsson, B. (2019), *Prototyping and Modelmaking For Product Design*. 2nd ed. London: Laurence King Publishing Ltd.

Baird, N. (2020), Innovator's Playbook: How to Create Great Products, Services and Experiences That Your Customers Will Love. Chichester: Wiley Blackwell.

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https://www.londondesignfestival.com/

https://www.creativereview.co.uk/

https://www.barbourproductsearch.info/

https://www.fabhub.io/ https://uxdesign.cc/

Autodesk: Fusion 360

https://www.solidworks.com/

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