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Job title

Principal Lecturer, Learning and Teaching Coordinator

Job responsibilities

John Hodgson is responsible for coordination of initiatives relating to learning and teaching, including development of elearning, new assessment techniques and generally improving the student learning experience. He is also involved in quality assurance and enhancement in the University and beyond in relation to course validation. His teaching interests are mainly in public law, including EC institutional law and Human Rights, but extend to Torts and legal system and method. He is a Fellow of the Higher Education Academy.



Research, scholarly and professional interests

- Considerable research in the area of legal education, especially feedback on assessment, but extending to structural issues in academic and professional education
- Co-author of a textbook on Tort Law
- Several journal articles in areas of tort related human rights and medico-legal caselaw developments
- Editor of the title Carriage by Road and Rail in the *Encyclopaedia of Forms and Precedents*

Sponsors and collaborators

- Several research projects with Vera Bermingham (Kingston University)
- Research into Feedback sponsored by UKCLE

Current projects

- Qualitative research into Student Feedback (NTU ILTES Project) (current)
- <u>Ouantitative Research into Student Feedback</u>
- Law firms desiderata for new entrants

External academic and professional activity

- Member of the QAA Law Benchmarking Committee
- Member of the drafting committee on the Joint Statement on Qualifying Law Degrees
- Member Joint Standards Sub-committee of Lord Chancellor's Advisory Committee on Legal Education
- Committee member (formerly Chair and Secretary) Association of Law Teachers
- Delegate to Lord Chancellor's Advisory Committee on Legal Education and the Standing Conference on Legal Education
- Honorary Fellow, Society of Advanced Legal Study
- Former member of the Education Committee, General Council of Osteopathy
- Law Review Chair, Al Hussein Fund for Excellence (Jordan)
- QAA Review Co-ordinator and Auditor
- Examiner, Isle of Man Advocates Examination
- Former editorial board member Nursing Ethics
- Former legal editor *Structural Survey*
- Former adjunct professor, Loyola Law School, Chicago
- Visiting lecturer Tallinn Law School, Tallinn Technical University, Estonia
- JASB Validation representative

Information for prospective clients

John is available to advise in the area of road transport law and regulatory issues generally and for consultation on matters relating to legal education, in particular as a consultant or panel member for programme validation.

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John was formerly a partner in the Nottingham firm Fraser Brown. His practice was largely contentious civil construction, PI, employment some family - and secondly regulatory road service licensing, road transport prosecution work. He was also involved in some adult and juvenile crime.

He is currently a consultant prosecution on behalf of VOSA, representing the Gangmasters Licensing Authority on appeals against revocation of licences, general regulatory defence work.