

Online Legal Method for inquiry-based learning

for students

- Introduction to key Legal Skills, Legal Research and the English Legal System
- Online access to course activities that foster problem solving and critical thinking skills
- Reusable resource available for reference throughout period of study
- Developing the capabilities valued by employers

for staff

- Establishing baseline expectations
- Enhancing face-2-face teaching sessions
- Exposure to new modes of learning and teaching
- Building on key skills for legal research
- Opportunities for collaboration with colleagues within and beyond the institution
- Raising the profile of the Law School

for the community

- Widening participation in legal study for individuals, groups and organisations
- Sharing of content as Open Educational Resources
- Taster courses for potential law students
- Opportunities to share practice within the teaching profession

“Developing research-based learning and teaching approaches in undergraduate studies through the innovative use of technology in online Legal Method course comprising Legal Research Skills and the structure of the English Legal System”

This project aims to build a research-rich environment:

1. Using technology to support inquiry-led approaches to learning that stimulate project based activities, problem based learning, enhanced digital literacy, critical thinking, evaluation and creative thinking.
2. Using the concept of a personalised learning environment to support individual research activity during the course that include gathering, organising and sharing research resources.
3. Integrating Open Educational Resources and sharing legal materials with other institutions.
4. Electronic assessment and feedback practices that drive the development of inquiry based learning approaches.
5. Exploring community based learning opportunities that can include becoming involved in research activity within local and external research groups.



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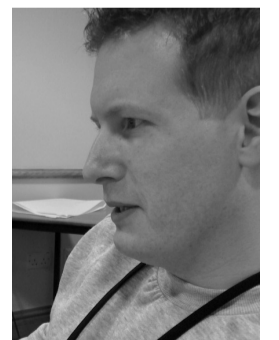
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