1. **Title of the module**

LABS408 Metabolism and Enzymology

1. **School or partner institution which will be responsible for management of the module**

Centre for Higher and Degree Apprenticeships (CHDA)

1. **The level of the module (Level 4, Level 5, Level 6 or Level 7)**

Level 4

1. **The number of credits and the ECTS value which the module represents**

15 Credits (7.5 ECTS)

1. **Which term(s) the module is to be taught in (or other teaching pattern)**

Flexible delivery model

Autumn and/or Spring and/or Summer

1. **Prerequisite and co-requisite modules**

N/A

1. **The programmes of study to which the module contributes**

FdSc and BSc (Hons) in Applied Bioscience

1. **The intended subject specific learning outcomes.  
   On successfully completing the module students will be able to:**

8.1 Describe basic metabolic pathways (anabolic and catabolic).

8.2 Demonstrate a knowledge and understanding of the role of energy conversions in cell metabolism.

8.3 Appreciate the role of nucleic acids and the genetic code in the synthesis of macromolecules.

8.4 Discuss human metabolic disorders related to altered amino acid metabolism.

8.5 Describe drug-enzyme interactions.

8.6 Link the above knowledge to everyday activities in the bioscience workplace.

1. **The intended generic learning outcomes.  
   On successfully completing the module students will be able to:**

9.1 Demonstrate the development of practical/technical skills.

9.2 Analyse, evaluate and correctly interpret data.

9.3 Communicate and present data effectively.

9.4 Obtain and use information from a variety of sources as part of self-directed learning.

9.5 Manage their time and use their organisation skills within the context of self-directed learning.

1. **A synopsis of the curriculum**

The characteristics of enzymes as biological catalysts, enzyme kinetics, enzyme classification

The role of nucleic acids in synthesis of macromolecules, particularly proteins and enzymes

Regulation of enzyme activity

Anabolic and catabolic metabolic pathways

Roles of ATP/NAD+/FAD

Aerobic respiration, oxidative phosphorylation

Products of glycolysis catabolism, anabolic formation of glucose, role of glycogen its formation and breakdown

Fat metabolism and fat as an energy store

Photosynthesis and its role in uptake of carbon dioxide and primary production of carbohydrate

Human metabolic diseases related to altered amino acid metabolism and protein structure

Enzyme/drug interactions

1. **Reading list (Indicative list, current at time of publication. Reading lists will be published annually)**

Price & Stevens (2001) Fundamentals of Enzymology. Oxford University Press.

Nelson & Cox (2009) Lehninger Principles of Biochemistry. WH Freeman.

Garrett RH & Grisham CM (2002) Principles of Biochemistry with a Human Focus. Brookes/Cole.

1. **Learning and teaching methods**

Blended distance learning:

Contact hours: 120 hours

Private Study Time: 30 hours

Total Learning Time: 150 hours

1. **Assessment methods**
   1. Main assessment methods

Portfolio 30% - composed of 5 individual assignments where topics are applied to the workplace

Assignments 40% - 2 Assignments (20% each)

Exam - MCQ – 30%

The weighted average for both the overall coursework and the overall exam component must be of a pass standard.

13.2 Reassessment methods

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1. ***Map of module learning outcomes (sections 8 & 9) to learning and teaching methods (section12) and methods of assessment (section 13)***

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| **Module learning outcome** | 8.1 | 8.2 | 8.3 | 8.4 | 8.5 | 9.1 | 9.2 | 9.3 | 9.4 | 9.5 |
| **Learning/ teaching method** |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| **Teaching** | **x** | **x** | **x** | **x** | **x** |  | **x** | **x** |  |  |
| Private Study | **x** | **x** | **x** | **x** | **x** | **x** | **x** | **x** | **x** | **x** |
| Work-based experience |  |  |  |  |  | **x** | **x** | **x** | **x** | **x** |
| **Assessment method** |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Portfolio |  | **x** |  | **x** |  | **x** | **x** | **x** | **x** | **x** |
| Assignments | **x** | **x** | **x** | **x** | **x** | **x** | **x** | **x** | **x** | **x** |
| MCQ | **x** | **x** | **x** | **x** | **x** |  |  |  |  | **x** |

1. **Inclusive module design**

The School/Collaborative Partner *(delete as applicable)* recognises and has embedded the expectations of current equality legislation, by ensuring that the module is as accessible as possible by design. Additional alternative arrangements for students with Inclusive Learning Plans (ILPs)/declared disabilities will be made on an individual basis, in consultation with the relevant policies and support services.

The inclusive practices in the guidance (see Annex B Appendix A) have been considered in order to support all students in the following areas:

a) Accessible resources and curriculum

b) Learning, teaching and assessment methods

1. **Campus(es) or centre(s) where module will be delivered**

Blended distance learning – Canterbury or Medway campus

1. **Internationalisation**

Metabolism and Enzymology is a core component of the Pharmaceutic R & D industry and this module reflects international aspects. With regards to the intended learning outcomes, in particular 8.4 and 8.5, the target learning outcomes within this module are applicable worldwide as part of the universal principles of Bioscience. With regard to subject content, the material within the syllabus is applied to a wide range of international contexts.

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