**Plymouth University NSBM Open-book Exam Guidance – 2020/21 Academic Year**

**Module Code: SOFT255SL**

# Module Title: Software Engineering for the Internet using Java

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**DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION: 18 December 2020**

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| **SUBMISSION INSTRUCTIONS FOR CANDIDATES** |
| Coursework must be submitted electronically using the online submission facility in the DLE by the published deadline.  Your submission should be anonymous i.e. do not write your name on your paper  Normal referencing guidelines should be followed when citing another people’s work  If you have any queries on submission or in relation to the work, please contact the Faculty Office on +94 544 5000 immediately.  When you submit your assessment, you are stating that it is your own work; Please ensure you read and sign the Plymouth NBSM honour code below: |

**University of Plymouth NSBM Honour code for open-book online exams**

**1.        Introduction**

1.1       The University’s Plymouth NSBM honour code interacts with and must be read and understood in conjunction with other regulations and policies including:

* [Plymouth Rules and Regulations](https://www.plymouth.ac.uk/student-life/your-studies/essential-information/regulations)
* [Academic Offences](https://www.plymouth.ac.uk/uploads/production/document/path/15/15708/Assessment_Offences_and_Research_Misconduct_Procedure_2019-20.pdf)
* [Plagiarism](http://plymouth.libguides.com/referencing)

1.2        The University views cheating, acting dishonestly and/or collusion in an examination as a serious disciplinary offence that may result in disciplinary actions, with the most severe penalty being expulsion from the University without a qualification. In the context of open-book examinations:

* the University considers that accessing the question paper via any other means than directly, via the designated online platform, and/or sharing the question paper with other students, falls within its definition of cheating and of acting dishonestly.
* the University reserves the right to use software applications, such as TurnitIn, to screen submitted work for matches either to electronic sources or to other submitted work.

**2.       Expected Standards of Behaviour**

2.1      Students are expected to act as responsible members of the University’s community. In the context of open-book examination, this means students are:

(a)   Permitted to:

* refer to their own course and revision notes; and
* look up information in offline or online resources, for example text books or online journals.

 (b)   Expected to:

* submit work which has not been submitted, either partially or in full, either for their current NSBM qualification, or for another NSBM qualification of this University (except where the Special Regulations for the subject permit this), or for a qualification at any other institution; and
* indicate clearly the presence of all material they have quoted from other sources, including any diagrams, charts, tables or graphs.

 (c)   Required to confirm as part of each submission:

* that the work they are submitting for the open-book examination is entirely their own work, except where otherwise indicated; and
* that they have not copied from the work of any other student, nor consulted or colluded with any other student during the open-book examination.

**3.     Honour Code Pledge**

3.1      All students will be expected to confirm for each open-book examination the following:

* **I acknowledge the Plymouth University NSBM Honour Code** and**I hereby confirm** that the submitted work is entirely my own and I have not (i) used the services of any agency or person(s) providing specimen, model or ghost-written work in the preparation of the work I submit for this open book examination; (ii) given assistance in accessing this paper or in providing specimen, model or ghostwritten work to other students submitting for this open-book examination.

STUDENT SIGNATURE ………………………………………….

(e-signature typed is acceptable)