

LONDON SCHOOL of HYGIENE &TROPICAL MEDICINE

Implementing a Course Specific Digital Teaching and Learning Strategy

Clinical Trials by Distance Learning Insights and Experiences

OVERVIEW

WHY

Why did we develop a course specific digital learning strategy

WHAT

What did we actually do?
What are we still intending to do?

HOW

How did we do it?
Specific steps and takeaways





WHY

FLEXIBILITY

Flexibility crucial for DL programmes

CURRENCY

Capitalise on technological advancements

Refine existing digital infrastructure

ENGAGEMENT

Reverse student engagement trends

Respond to student feedback

ACCESSIBILITY

Promote equality, inclusive, diversity and accessibility

MOODLE PLATFORM

Review the current programme and module Moodle layout

Develop new programme and module Moodle layout

STANDARD OPERATING PROCEDURES

Produce SOP for programme tutors to update Moodle

Ensure consistent and standardised approach

ORIENTATION

Embed orientation materials

WHAT



DIGITAL TEACHING & LEARNING STRATEGY



WOW

CO-COLLABORATION

Student focus groups

'We think they want a map, but they might need a compass'

DIGITAL LEARNING LEADS

Leverage digital expertise

Overcome previous implementation challenges

Disseminate digital teaching and learning plans

SANDPIT IT

Trial and error

A place to play without fear of breaking it

BEFORE



AFTER

BEFORE



AFTER

Course overview

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CTM Tutor Zone
Academic Year 2021/22
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CTM101 Fundamentals of Clinical Trials

Welcome to CTM102 Basic Statistics for Clinical Trials

The basic course material is provided below along with additional resources to help you in your studies. Please have a look at the following sections to see what these include and note in particular the CTM102 Notice Board where we post important information about the module, as well as other discussion forums for you to discuss aspects of the course material with fellow students and to post queries to tutors.

All discussion forums are marked with a

Module Calendar: Key Dates 2023-24

Monday 2nd October	Start of the academic year, discussion forums open
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Sunday 31st March	Final deadline to submit the TMFA (grade and feedback provided in 20 working days)
Sunday 31st March	Early deadline to submit the AA (grade and feedback provided in May)
Weds 27th March &	

Friday 5th April	Collaborate sessions - Review of FA.
Weds 15th May & Friday 17th May	Collaborate sessions - Time Limited Assessment Revision
Sunday 12th May	Final deadline to submit the AA (grade and feedback provided in July)
June 2024	CTM102 Time Limited Assessment - Monday 03 June 10:00 hrs (UK Time) to Monday 10 June 10:00 hrs (UK Time)

CTM102 End of Module survey

Dear CTM102 students, please complete this short End of Module survey. Open between Tuesday 7th - Friday 31st May. Any questions, issues, please contact CTsupport@lshtm.ac.uk

CTM102 Introduction and Noticeboard

Study Materials

Datasets

Assignments

Live Webinars (run by TUTORS - live & recorded)

Time Limited Assessment preparation

SELF-STUDY Live Webinars

Supplementary lecture videos

Tile 10

BEFORE



AFTER

BEFORE



AFTER

Starred courses



★ CTM104 Reporting and Reviewing Clinical Trials
Academic Year 2024/25



★ CTM103 Clinical Trials in Practice
Academic Year 2024/25



★ CTM102 Basic Statistics for Clinical Trials
Academic Year 2024/25



★ CTM101 Fundamentals of Clinical Trials
Academic Year 2024/25

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Timeline

Recently accessed items

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In this programme, you will delve into the essential aspects of conducting clinical trials, exploring both theoretical foundations and practical applications. Whether you are new to the field or advancing your expertise, our dedicated team of tutors is here to support you every step of the way.

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STUDENT ASSESSMENT PREPARATION



STUDENT-TUTOR COMMUNITY



STUDY SKILLS & ADDITIONAL RESOURCES

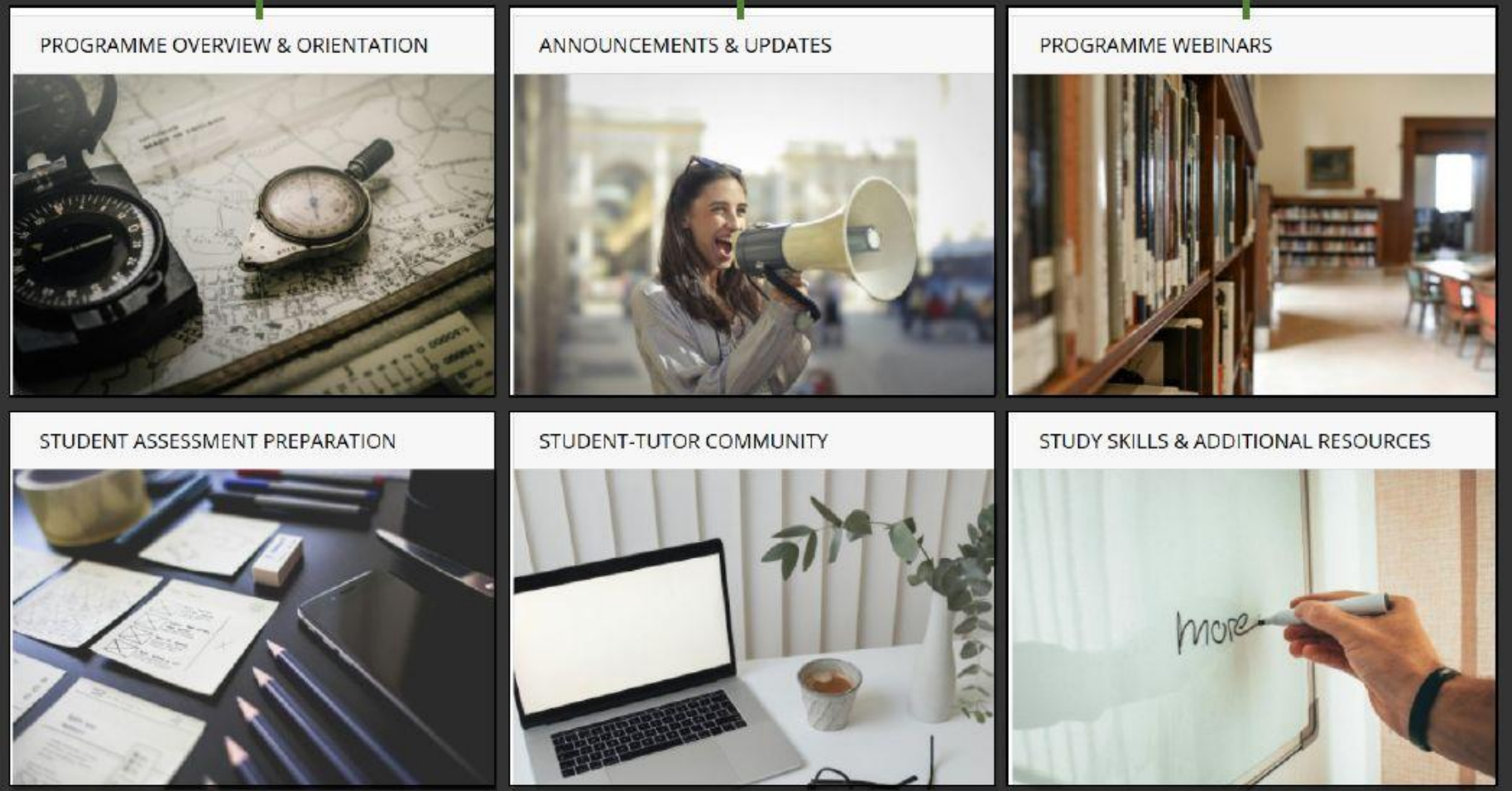


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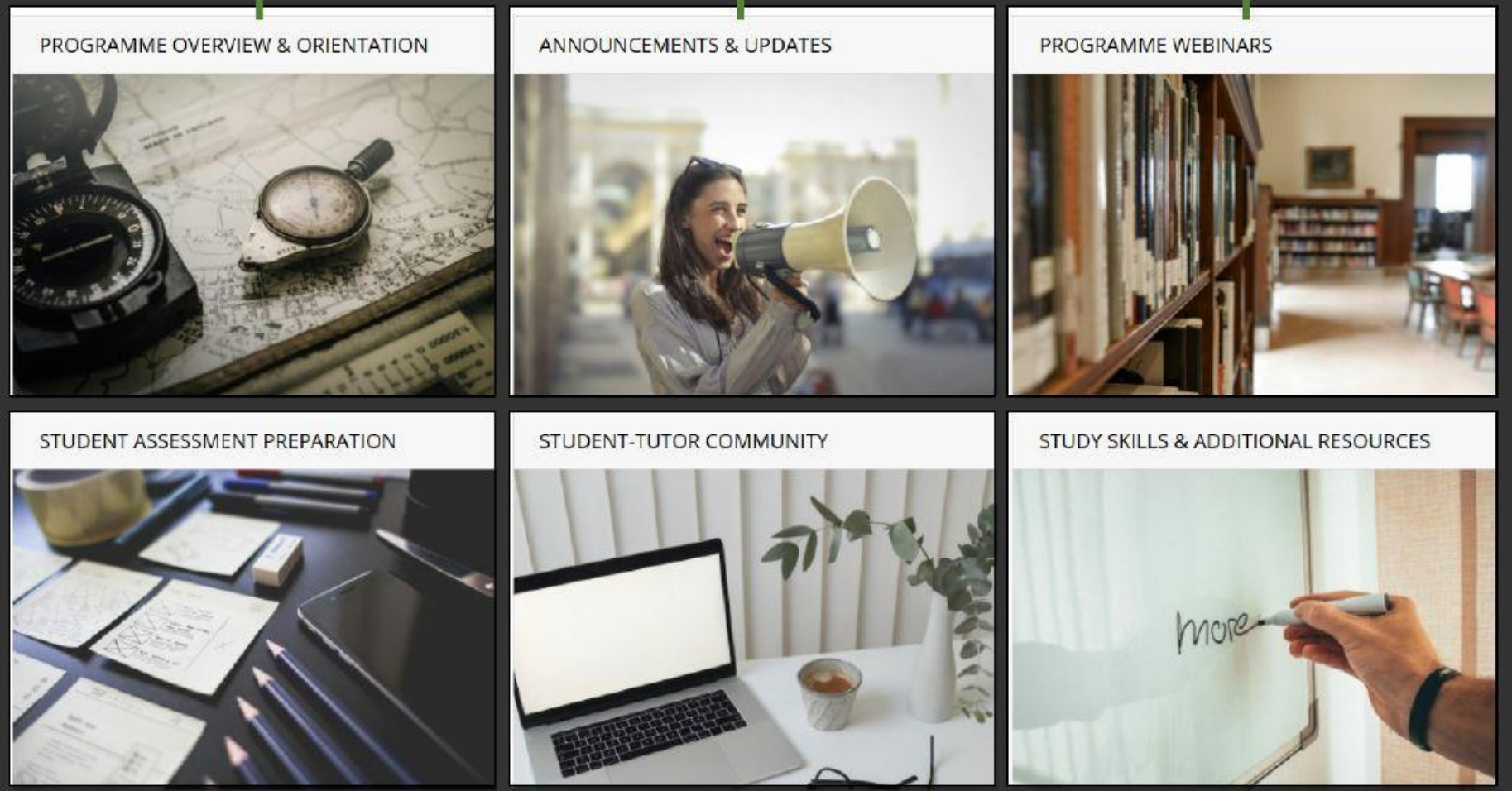
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These General Regulations are administered by the University of London Worldwide, a Central Academic Body of the University of London. The study of programmes through the School of Advanced Study and the University of London Institute in Paris or at member institutions of the federal University of London are governed by separate sets of regulations. See the individual websites for further information.

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Provide a table of key dates

Student feedback emphasised the importance of making these accessible!

NB: From experience its easiest to do this in word and then transfer it over to moodle. We have however experienced some challenges with formatting these and is an area we hope to refine.

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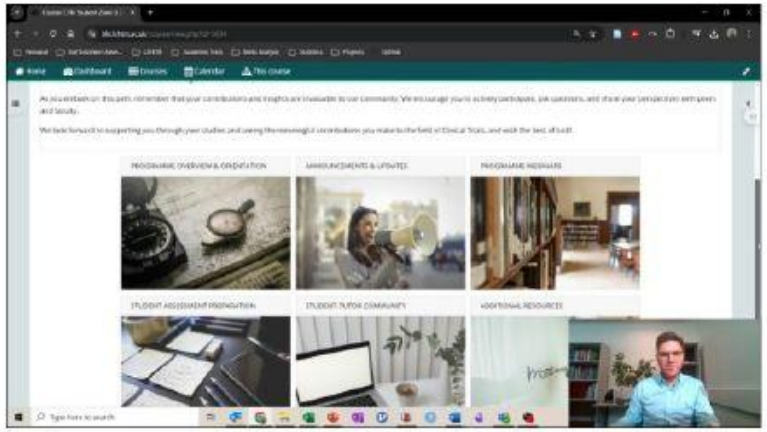
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NAVIGATING MOODLE

Navigating a new virtual learning environment can be challenging for new students. To ease this transition, we have created a series of instructional videos designed to help you become familiar with our program resources and maximize your academic experience. These videos will guide you through essential tasks such as accessing course materials, participating in online discussions, submitting assignments, and utilizing various study tools. By watching these videos, you will gain the confidence and skills needed to effectively manage your studies and make the most of your learning journey with us.



Navigating CT Student Zone



Navigating CT modules

Close

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Finally, we developed two separate orientation videos showing students

1. How to navigate the student zone
2. How to navigate any of our modules with a new moodle layout

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NEXT STEPS

Evaluate 2024/5 Moodle revisions and roll out to elective modules

Further develop orientation materials

Develop video bank – cross topics

Curate an online student-tutor community

Explore Moodle analytics to individualise student support

STANDARD OPERATING PROCEDURE





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ANY QUESTIONS

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