

COURSE DETAIL

ECONOMICS OF THE LABOR MARKET

Country

Ireland

Host Institution

University College Cork

Program(s)

University College Cork

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Economics

UCEAP Course Number

108

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

ECONOMICS OF THE LABOR MARKET

UCEAP Transcript Title

ECON/LABOR MARKET

UCEAP Quarter Units

4.00

UCEAP Semester Units

2.70

Course Description

This course provides students with a good understanding of the key business and labor market conditions that impact on human resources strategies. Particular attention is paid to understanding employment trends, skills and education patterns, and government policy that affect the firms' human resources decisions. The business environment, in which important decisions are made by firms about human resources, is examined. Before developing comprehensive human resources strategies, firms must scan the environment. This course addresses key questions: What factors are driving the amount of workers that are hired by companies? What are the key trends in skills and education? how is technology changing firms' human resources decisions? What impact does government policy (such as taxation) have on these decisions? How are individuals responding to the changing work environment?

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

EC4211

Host Institution Course Title

ECONOMICS OF THE LABOUR MARKET

Host Institution Campus

University College Cork

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

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