

COURSE DETAIL

IRISH FOLKLORE AND HISTORY

Country

Ireland

Host Institution

University College Cork

Program(s)

University College Cork

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Celtic Studies Anthropology

UCEAP Course Number

114

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

IRISH FOLKLORE AND HISTORY

UCEAP Transcript Title

IRISH FOLKLORE&HIST

UCEAP Quarter Units

4.00

UCEAP Semester Units

2.70

Course Description

The word folklore did not exist when University College Cork was built in 1845—this course examines where or what was folklore before this 19th-century neologism was coined and what has happened to it since. Students examine why it has left a lasting impression on Irish identity and culture. The course introduces these questions and more to examine and explore the intellectual and historical background of folklore and ethnology in Ireland and Europe in general. The idea itself is discussed as is the emergence of the discipline and the main influences and aspects associated with these. Assessment is based fully on a final written essay.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

FL2001

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Host Institution Campus

UC CORK

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Folklore

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