COURSE DETAIL

21ST CENTURY IRISH WRITING

Country

Ireland

Host Institution

University College Dublin

Program(s)

University College Dublin

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

English

UCEAP Course Number

109

UCEAP Course Suffix

UCEAP Official Title

21ST CENTURY IRISH WRITING

UCEAP Transcript Title

21C IRISH WRITING

UCEAP Quarter Units

4.00

UCEAP Semester Units

2.70

Course Description

This course focuses on Irish fiction from the 21st century, examining the ways in which Irish literature has responded to the changing state of Ireland, from the onset of the Celtic Tiger to the financial crisis and beyond. This course demonstrates the relevance of new works to broader social and political issues including but not limited to, affluence and class divisions, the body and gender politics, the financial crisis, abuse and trauma, silence, immigration, and emigration. This course examines emerging trends in Irish literature, and with its selection of writers who have published work after the turn of the century, looks to a bright future of engaged and critical Irish writing.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

ENG31530

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Host Institution Campus

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Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

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