COURSE DETAIL

ETHICAL ISSUES TODAY - ALIMENTARY THEOLOGY: EATING, DRINKING, AND ETHICS

Country

Ireland

Host Institution

Trinity College Dublin

Program(s)

Trinity College Dublin

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Religious Studies Philosophy Agricultural Sciences

UCEAP Course Number

123

UCEAP Course Suffix

UCEAP Official Title

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UCEAP Transcript Title

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UCEAP Quarter Units

4.00

UCEAP Semester Units

2.70

Course Description

In this course students explore the ethical webs of agricultural systems of food production, global hunger and justice, perceptions of body image and dieting, access to clean drinking water, questions of food and gender, and ongoing debates over the ethics of eating other animal and the global meat industry. Students analyze multiple theological perspectives around these ideas. The course explores contemporary theological and ethical perspectives on eating and drinking. Reading is primarily based on Christian theologians in food ethics as well as contemporary documentaries on food ethics. The course is assessed through continuous assessment of a final portfolio.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

BCLY01

Host Institution Course Title

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Host Institution Campus

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Broad Curriculum

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