

## COURSE DETAIL

### PSYCHOLOGY AND CRIME

**Country**

Ireland

**Host Institution**

University College Dublin

**Program(s)**

University College Dublin

**UCEAP Course Level**

Upper Division

**UCEAP Subject Area(s)**

Psychology

**UCEAP Course Number**

131

**UCEAP Course Suffix****UCEAP Official Title**

PSYCHOLOGY AND CRIME

**UCEAP Transcript Title**

PSYCHOLOGY & CRIME

**UCEAP Quarter Units**

4.00

**UCEAP Semester Units**

2.70

## Course Description

This course examines the overlap between theories and research within criminology and within psychology in order to examine the concept of crime from an inter-disciplinary perspective. Rather than being a course in forensic psychology, it offers a critique of the potential of such an approach. Gender disparities in offending, the efficacy of drug criminalization, and psychological aspects of the criminal justice system such as eyewitness testimony and jury decision-making are covered, as are sensitive topics, such as recidivism among child sex offenders and intervention with offenders.

## Language(s) of Instruction

English

## Host Institution Course Number

PSY30080

## Host Institution Course Title

PSYCHOLOGY AND CRIME

## Host Institution Campus

UC Dublin

## Host Institution Faculty

## Host Institution Degree

## Host Institution Department

Psychology

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