COURSE DETAIL

THE NORTHERN IRELAND CONFLICT
Country Ireland
Host Institution University of Galway
Program(s) University of Galway
UCEAP Course Level Upper Division
UCEAP Subject Area(s) Political Science History
UCEAP Course Number 103
UCEAP Course Suffix
UCEAP Official Title THE NORTHERN IRELAND CONFLICT
UCEAP Transcript Title NORTH IRE CONFLICT
UCEAP Quarter Units 4.00
UCEAP Semester Units 2.70

Course Description
The Northern Ireland conflict was the most serious violent conflict in western Europe in the late 20th century. This course examines the politics of the conflict in comparative perspective, using it as an entry point for addressing broader scholarly debates on peace, conflict, divided societies, and political violence. The course surveys the scholarship on the Northern Ireland conflict, relating it to the theoretical literature and comparing it to other episodes of violent political conflict. It covers the origins of conflict, dynamics of escalation, political violence; unionism, nationalism, and other ideologies; state-society relations, all-Ireland dimensions; international influences including the European Union and the United States; peace processes, reconciliation, and consociational structures.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

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Host Institution Campus
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