

# COURSE DETAIL

## SOCIOLOGY OF THE ENVIRONMENT

**Country**

Ireland

**Host Institution**

University College Cork

**Program(s)**

University College Cork

**UCEAP Course Level**

Upper Division

**UCEAP Subject Area(s)**

Sociology Environmental Studies

**UCEAP Course Number**

164

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

SOCIOLOGY OF THE ENVIRONMENT

**UCEAP Transcript Title**

SOC OF ENVIRONMENT

**UCEAP Quarter Units**

5.00

**UCEAP Semester Units**

3.30

**Course Description**

This course examines the evolution of environmental concern in Ireland, in a comparative sociological perspective. The course looks at the formation of voluntary organizations, the construction of a state apparatus for environmental protection, and the key changes in environmental concern up to the 1980s. The course focuses specifically on recent developments in social theory regarding the relationship between culture and nature. In particular, the course explores the basis of environmental controversy in Ireland, in the context of broader changes in attitudes towards nature.

**Language(s) of Instruction**

English

**Host Institution Course Number**

SC3029

**Host Institution Course Title**

SOCIOLOGY OF THE ENVIRONMENT

**Host Institution Campus****Host Institution Faculty****Host Institution Degree****Host Institution Department**

Sociology and Criminology

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