COURSE DETAIL

MINORITY AND ENDANGERED LANGUAGES

Country

Ireland

Host Institution

University College Dublin

Program(s)

University College Dublin

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Linguistics

UCEAP Course Number

114

UCEAP Course Suffix

UCEAP Official Title

MINORITY AND ENDANGERED LANGUAGES

UCEAP Transcript Title

ENDANGERD LANGUAGES

UCEAP Quarter Units

4.00

UCEAP Semester Units

2.70

Course Description

It is widely accepted that more than half of the 6,900 or so languages that exist are in danger of dying within a few generations. Topics examined in this course include the assessment of the vitality or level of endangerment of language; the factors that contribute to language endangerment and to language shift; language revitalization; language rights and policies; language attitudes; language loss and death; and parallels between language endangerment and global species endangerment.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

LING20070

Host Institution Course Title

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Host Institution Campus

UC Dublin

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Linguistics

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