

# COURSE DETAIL

## BRITISH EMPIRE, 1495-1945

### Country

Ireland

### Host Institution

University College Dublin

### Program(s)

University College Dublin

### UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

### UCEAP Subject Area(s)

History

### UCEAP Course Number

108

### UCEAP Course Suffix

### UCEAP Official Title

BRITISH EMPIRE, 1495-1945

### UCEAP Transcript Title

BRITISH EMPIRE

### UCEAP Quarter Units

4.00

### UCEAP Semester Units

2.70

## **Course Description**

This course investigates the origins and evolution of the British empire, from the early adventurers' journeys of exploration in the 15th and 16th centuries to the zenith of British dominion over large areas of the globe in the early 20th century. Throughout the course, emphasis is placed on themes such as exploration, trade, slavery, war, humanitarianism, and culture and cultural exchange in relation to the emergence and expansion of the empire. Issues regarding the relationship between the colonizer and the colonized and the center and periphery are explored, along with examination of the various ways in which the empire was represented through media such as print, art, cartography, and music.

## **Language(s) of Instruction**

English

## **Host Institution Course Number**

HIS21080

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## **Host Institution Campus**

UC Dublin

## **Host Institution Faculty**

## **Host Institution Degree**

## **Host Institution Department**

History

## **Course Last Reviewed**

2018-2019

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