COURSE DETAIL

PLACE AND TIME IN CHILDREN'S LITERATURE

Country

Ireland

Host Institution

Trinity College Dublin

Program(s)

Trinity College Dublin

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

English

UCEAP Course Number

128

UCEAP Course Suffix

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UCEAP Official Title

PLACE AND TIME IN CHILDREN'S LITERATURE

UCEAP Transcript Title

CHILDRENS LIT

UCEAP Quarter Units

8.00

UCEAP Semester Units

Course Description

Dylan Trigg argues that time and place are the twin pillars of identity, and that selfhood is constructed in the space in between them (A Phenomenology of the Uncanny, xiii). This course is concerned with that space in between, with the ways in which time and place interact to create or facilitate experience in children's literature. Across a literary chronology that moves from 1954 to 2016, the course provides access points into diverse and complex representations of place and interpretations of time in books written for children and young people. Students engage with a broad range of texts, exploring how the central concepts have developed in the latter part of the 20th century, across a variety of modes and genres, using the core texts as touchstones for discussion and analysis.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

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ENU34111

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