COURSE DETAIL

LANDSCAPES REMADE: PEOPLE AND PLACE IN IRELAND 1500-1800

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

162

UCEAP Course Suffix

UCEAP Official Title

LANDSCAPES REMADE: PEOPLE AND PLACE IN IRELAND 1500-1800

UCEAP Transcript Title

IRELAND 1500-1800

UCEAP Quarter Units

4.00

UCEAP Semester Units

2.70

Course Description

In Ireland, as internationally, the period from 1500 to 1800 was characterized by major political, economic, and social change. Recently, historians have placed increasing emphasis on the impact of early modern environmental and demographic transformation at a time of sustained political upheaval and social reorganization. In the three centuries between 1500 and 1800, Ireland was subject to a complex process of evolution from an essentially rural island controlled by diverse Gaelic and Anglo-Norman lordships to an island dominated politically by a colonial elite who effectively differed from the native population in terms of ethnicity, language, religion, and financial status. This course examines the transformation of Ireland in the period 1500 to 1800 from the perspective of migration and environmental change. In particular, the course considers how changes in demography, land ownership, land management, climate change, urbanization, and commerce significantly reconfigured Ireland's landscape and environment.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

HIS21180

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