COURSE DETAIL

WRITING THE ENLIGHTENMENT: CULTURAL CHANGE IN EIGHTEENTH-CENTURY EUROPE

Country
Ireland

Host Institution
Trinity College Dublin

Program(s)
Trinity College Dublin

UCEAP Course Level
Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)
History

UCEAP Course Number
161

UCEAP Course Suffix

UCEAP Official Title
WRITING THE ENLIGHTENMENT: CULTURAL CHANGE IN EIGHTEENTH-CENTURY EUROPE

UCEAP Transcript Title
WRITING: 18C EUROPE

UCEAP Quarter Units
10.00

UCEAP Semester Units
6.70

Course Description

If historians generally agree that Europe experienced far-reaching intellectual and cultural change during the 18th century, they rarely agree about the nature of that change or how to interpret it. This course introduces students to some of the major interpretations of, debates about, and approaches to the history of the Enlightenment in 18th-century Britain, France, Germany, and Italy. It asks students to engage with original sources (in English), alongside the historiography of the Enlightenment, and to come up with their own responses to that still troubling question.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

Host Institution Course Number
HIU34520

Host Institution Course Title
WRITING THE ENLIGHTENMENT: CULTURAL CHANGE IN EIGHTEENTH-CENTURY EUROPE

Host Institution Course Details
https://www.tcd.ie/history/undergraduate/enlightenment.php

Host Institution Campus
Trinity College Dublin

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department
History

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