

COURSE DETAIL

THE SEVEN BASIC PLOTS

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

179

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

THE SEVEN BASIC PLOTS

UCEAP Transcript Title

SEVEN BASIC PLOTS

UCEAP Quarter Units

10.00

UCEAP Semester Units

6.70

Course Description

This course is an introduction to the history, theory, and practice of narrative, storytelling, and plots. Students examine plots, plotting, patterns, and shapes in fiction, nonfiction, video, art, graphic narratives, and digital/online media. This is a hybrid critical/creative course intended for students who wish to experiment with their critical and creative writing. The course is exploratory and practical, using structured exercises, published texts, handouts, class discussion, and homework to stimulate the production of new work. Each week students study one text in particular in relation to an aspect of plot. All students are expected to produce work for discussion every week.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

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ENU33034

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