

COURSE DETAIL

MEDIA LAW

Country

Ireland

Host Institution

Trinity College Dublin

Program(s)

Trinity College Dublin

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Legal Studies

UCEAP Course Number

156

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

MEDIA LAW

UCEAP Transcript Title

MEDIA LAW

UCEAP Quarter Units

10.00

UCEAP Semester Units

6.70

Course Description

This course considers both the theoretical and practical questions which arise in this evolving area of the law. Initially, the course examines the role of the media in a constitutional democracy. The constitutional protection of the media in Ireland is compared with similar regimes in other jurisdictions with particular emphasis on the jurisprudence of the European Convention of Human Rights. The course addresses a number of specific areas of media law. Lectures deal with topics such as privacy, contempt of court, the protection of journalistic sources, obscenity, blasphemy, and the regulatory regimes in Ireland and in the EU. Throughout the course, lectures explore the issues raised by the rise of new media forms like the internet.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

LAU44082

Host Institution Course Title

MEDIA LAW

Host Institution Course Details

<https://www.tcd.ie/law/programmes/undergraduate/modules/#Media>

Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

School of Law

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Course Last Reviewed

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