

## 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 Campus

### Host Institution Faculty

School of Law

### Host Institution Degree

### Host Institution Department

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