COURSE DETAIL

CONTEMPORARY THEATRE & PERFORMANCE

Country Ireland

Host Institution University College Dublin

Program(s) University College Dublin

UCEAP Course Level Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s) Dramatic Arts

UCEAP Course Number 159

UCEAP Course Suffix

UCEAP Official Title CONTEMPORARY THEATRE & PERFORMANCE

UCEAP Transcript Title CONTEMP THEATR&PERF

UCEAP Quarter Units 5.00

UCEAP Semester Units

3.30

Course Description

This course explores contemporary theatre and performance in English, staged primarily in western contexts, including, Ireland, the UK, the U.S., and Europe. The course connects performance practices with their contemporaneous and historical contexts: political, aesthetic, theoretical, social, and cultural. By doing so, it acquaints students with historical trends in theatre and performance, paying particular attention to the ways in which aesthetics and politics have been investigated through diverse practices of theatre-making. Watching live and mediated performances, students conduct analyses of theatrical works and develop arguments about their meanings.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number DRAM30100

Host Institution Course Title CONTEMPORARY THEATRE & PERFORMANCE

Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty School of English, Drama and Film

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

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