

COURSE DETAIL

CRIME AND JUSTICE THEORIES, RESPONSES, AND CONTEMPORARY DEBATES

Country

Ireland

Host Institution

Trinity College Dublin

Program(s)

Trinity College Dublin

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Sociology

UCEAP Course Number

169

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

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UCEAP Transcript Title

CRIME & JUSTICE

UCEAP Quarter Units

5.00

UCEAP Semester Units

Course Description

The course explores the influential criminological theories of crime and criminality, it then proceeds to look at how responses to behavior defined as criminal have emerged and changed over time. The course explores the rationalities of punishment including deterrence, retribution, rehabilitation, and incapacitation, as well as the institutions and practices that have been developed to give these rationalities effect. This includes a focus on policing, prison, and wider sites of detention as well as probation and community sanctions. The course also explores the coverage of crime and justice in contemporary culture, and how this influences public perceptions. The course draws on contemporary criminological examples and historical case studies and explores these issues from both an international and Irish perspective.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

SSU44112

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Social Work and Social Policy

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