COURSE DETAIL

ARCHAEOLOGICAL POST-EXCAVATION

Country
Ireland

Host Institution
University of Galway

Program(s)
University of Galway

UCEAP Course Level
Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)
Archaeology Anthropology

UCEAP Course Number
150

UCEAP Course Suffix

UCEAP Official Title
ARCHAEOLOGICAL POST-EXCAVATION

UCEAP Transcript Title
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UCEAP Quarter Units
5.00

UCEAP Semester Units
3.30

Course Description

This course is designed to train students in the basic skills of archaeological post-excavation, processing, and results dissemination. It explains the varied methods used by archaeologists to analyze and process different types of archaeological material and provide experience in a number of necessary skills. These skills may include washing and numbering of artifacts, basic conservation, artifact illustration and cataloguing, sample washing and sorting, sample sieving, sample flotation, inking-up and digitizing of excavation drawings. This course includes standard lectures, laboratory-based talks, physical demonstrations, and hands-on experience. The course also explores how and where to publish results, and interaction with the media and the public.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

Host Institution Course Number
AR3104

Host Institution Course Title
ARCHAEOLOGICAL POST-EXCAVATION

Host Institution Course Details
https://www.universityofgalway.ie/course-information/module/AR3104

Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department
Archaeology

Course Last Reviewed
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