

# COURSE DETAIL

## MODERN EASTERN EUROPE, 1890-1990

**Country**

Ireland

**Host Institution**

Trinity College Dublin

**Program(s)**

Trinity College Dublin

**UCEAP Course Level**

Upper Division

**UCEAP Subject Area(s)**

Slavic Studies History

**UCEAP Course Number**

184

**UCEAP Course Suffix****UCEAP Official Title**

MODERN EASTERN EUROPE, 1890-1990

**UCEAP Transcript Title**

MOD E EUR 1890-1990

**UCEAP Quarter Units**

5.00

**UCEAP Semester Units**

3.30

## **Course Description**

This course offers an introduction to the history of modern Eastern Europe, with a focus on the region's politics, society, and culture, from the late 19th century to the present. It traces the collapse of the Ottoman, Habsburg, and Russian empires; the rise of nationalism and creation of nation-states; the impact of the world wars; the establishment and evolution of communist regimes; and the region's transition to democracy after the fall of communism in 1989. Through engagement with primary sources, memoirs, literature, artistic works, and major historiographical debates, the course explores how the countries of the region continue to grapple with the questions of identity, memory, power, and belonging raised during Europe's tumultuous twentieth century.

### **Language(s) of Instruction**

English

### **Host Institution Course Number**

HIU12048

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[https://www.tcd.ie/history/assets/pdf/ug/25-26/SF/Modern\\_Eastern\\_Europe.pdf](https://www.tcd.ie/history/assets/pdf/ug/25-26/SF/Modern_Eastern_Europe.pdf)

### **Host Institution Campus**

### **Host Institution Faculty**

History

### **Host Institution Degree**

### **Host Institution Department**

### **Course Last Reviewed**

2025-2026

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