

Two New History Courses – Fall 2015

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2015 Peter O'Brien Visiting Scholar

Irish Social History

IRST 398 – Section D

Monday & Wednesday
11:45 – 1:00 pm

This course will examine twentieth-century Ireland from the perspectives of women's, gender, and labour history. Specific topics to be explored will include the suffragette movement, the development of trade unions, the Magdalene Laundries, food and trade in the Emergency, successive waves of emigration, contentious referendums, the women's liberation movement, the gay rights movement, and the current marriage equality referendum.



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EQUALITY.**

Commemorating Irish History

IRST 398 – Section AA

Tuesday 6:00 – 8:15 pm

Ireland is currently in the middle of a decade of centenary commemorations marking the revolutionary events that profoundly shaped twentieth-century Irish history. This course will explore the history and legacies of Ireland's revolutionary decade with emphasis on 'the politics of commemoration' surrounding the critical events and movements that defined the 1913-23 period. Along with offering necessary historical context, the course will focus on the subsequent legacies and commemorations of the following critical events: the Third Home Rule Crisis, the 1913 Dublin Lockout, the Great War, the 1916 Easter Rising, the 1918 Conscription Crisis, the Anglo-Irish War, the Civil War, Partition and the establishment of the Irish Free State.



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