



MPhil in MODERN IRISH HISTORY

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Course Overview

The M.Phil. in Modern Irish History introduces well-qualified Humanities or Social Sciences graduates to research in modern Irish history, to the problems currently addressed by historians and to the methods they apply to study of the subject.

Drawing on the current interests of staff, the course is based on the rich resources of Trinity College Dublin's library and of the adjacent Dublin libraries and archives. The course provides opportunities for in-depth study of selected issues in modern Irish history.

Key Features

- Taught modules focus on research skills and on special subject modules that reflect the expertise of the department.
- Staff members actively researching in the field will assist you in navigating historiographical and methodological issues as you prepare your dissertation.
- At Trinity you will have access to the rich resources of the library and archives, and will be within walking distance of repositories such as the National Archives of Ireland, the National Library of Ireland and Marsh's Library.
- Weekly seminar series allow you to connect with historians, PhD students and other postgrads at the cutting edge of your field.

Preferred Applicant Experience

Applicants should have at least an upper second class (2.1) honors Bachelor degree or equivalent (for example, GPA of 3.3) in a relevant area. They should indicate the nature of their interest and experience of Irish history in their application. Since places on the course are limited, applicants may be interviewed or asked to submit a writing sample for assessment.

Career Opportunities

Some M.Phil. graduates have gone on to doctoral studies and research careers in Ireland, Europe or North America, others have embarked on further professional training as lawyers, teachers, librarians, counsellors and archivists, some are now public servants, and some work in business and service industries.

Course Places	15
Course Structure	Full Time 1 Year Part Time 2 Years
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