

## CUNY INSTITUTE FOR IRISH-AMERICAN STUDIES FALL 2005 PUBLIC EVENTS SCHEDULE

### Lectures

Lectures are free and open to the public. You will also find event updates at our website, [www.lehman.edu/cunyas](http://www.lehman.edu/cunyas). Reservations are appreciated, but not required. Picture identification is needed for entry into all events.

### ■ The Irish Road to South America: Nineteenth-Century Travel Patterns from Ireland to the River Plate

Wednesday, September 7, 2005 – 7PM  
Speaker: Mr. Edmundo Murray,  
University of Geneva  
Campus: Lehman College  
Faculty Dining Room, Music Building

### ■ George William Russell-AE & The American Farmer Lecture Tour

Monday, September 19, 2005 – 7PM  
Speaker: Mr. Declan Foley,  
Australian Yeats Society  
Campus: CUNY Graduate Center  
Rooms C202 & C203

### ■ Preserving Irish-America: The Holdings of the John J. Burns Library

Wednesday, September 21, 2005 – 7PM  
Speaker: Dr. Robert O'Neill,  
Boston College  
Campus: CUNY Graduate Center  
Room C201

### ■ Saints and Patriots: Catholicism in the Bronx 1920-1940

Wednesday, October 19, 2005 – 7PM  
Speaker: Dr. Jane Hammon,  
Fordham Preparatory School  
Campus: Lehman College  
Faculty Dining Room, Music Building

### ■ Ethnic Patriotism: Strategies of Identity Formation in Boston's Irish and Jewish Communities, 1898-1929

Wednesday, November 2, 2005 – 7PM  
Speaker: Ms. Meaghan Dwyer,  
Boston College & Temple Israel  
Campus: CUNY Graduate Center  
Room C201

### ■ Reading

Wednesday, November 9, 2005 – 7PM  
Author: Mr. Colum McCann  
Campus: Queens College  
President's Conference Room #1,  
Rosenthal Library

### ■ Film Series: The New Irish – Part III

Monday, November 21, 2005 – 7PM  
Film: "In America." Discussion afterwards  
with Prof. Mary McGlynn.  
Campus: Baruch College  
The Engelman Recital Hall

### ■ Serving the Needs of the Irish Immigrant Population

Wednesday, December 7, 2005 – 7PM  
Speaker: Fr. Colin Campbell  
Campus: Lehman College  
Faculty Dining Room, Music Building

### Conversation Circle Ciorcal Comhrá

The IAS invites CUNY students attending Irish language classes this semester and the greater public to participate in a conversation circle at The Rambling House, corner of East 236th Street & Katonah Avenue in Woodlawn, 7PM-8:30PM. Beginners to fluent speakers are welcome. Please phone 718-960-6722 to be sure we save you a seat, or just show up. August 31, September 28, November 16, December 14.

IABC The Institute for Irish-American Studies has established an **Irish-American Book Club**. It will be held at

**7PM in the CUNY Graduate Center, Room C201, Wednesday, September 14 -**



Reading Assignment: First Half of Thomas Lynch's *Booking Passage: We Irish and Americans*. Wed., **October 26** - Reading Assignment: Second half of *Booking Passage: We Irish and Americans*. Special guest will be author Thomas Lynch. **November 30** - Reading Assignment: *This Side of Brightness: A Novel* by Colum McCann.

On Sunday, October 30, 2005,

at 2pm the IAS will host **"Ireland & NYC: A vibrant musical connection"**

organized by Earl Hitchner (music critic for the *Wall St. Journal & The Irish Echo*) It will be held in the Lovinger Theater, Lehman College. Tickets are \$25 and \$15 and can be obtained by phoning (718) 960-6722.



**Documentaries of the Sesquicentennial Commemoration of the Great Irish Famine Symposium**—Friday,

November 18, 2005 from 9:30AM to 3:30PM. Venue: Room 141, Information Technology Center, Lehman College. Visit our website for documentary titles...



## CAMPUS DIRECTIONS

### Baruch College:

Baruch College is located at 551 Lexington Avenue (at 25th Street) in Manhattan and is accessible via the 6 train to 23rd Street & Park Avenue South or the N, R, or W trains to 23rd Street & Broadway.

### CUNY Grad. Center:

The CUNY Graduate Center is located on Fifth Avenue between 34th and 35th Streets. It is easily accessed via the B, D, F, N, R, & Q trains at Avenue of the Americas and 34th Street or the 6 train at Park Avenue South and 33rd Street. Graduate Center is two blocks east of Penn Station.

### Lehman College:

Lehman College is located at 250 Bedford Park Boulevard West and is accessible via the 4 or D train to Bedford Park Boulevard. By car, the Van Cortlandt Park South exit off the Major Deegan Expressway (I-87) or the Mosholu Parkway exit off the Bronx River Parkway or the Saw Mill (Henry Hudson) are recommended.

### Queens College:

Queens College is located at 65-30 Kissena Boulevard and is accessible via the E or F train to Forest Hills/71st Ave Station, followed by the Q65A bus. By car, take Exit 24 (Kissena Blvd.) off the Long Island Expressway.

### Woodlawn:

The Rambling House is located at 4292 Katonah Avenue in the Woodlawn section of the Bronx. It is accessible via the 4 train to Woodlawn and then the BK44 bus to the corner of 236th Street and Katonah Avenue. Alternatively, one can take Metro North to Woodlawn and walk 7 blocks to the Rambling House. For driving directions see <http://www.ramblinghouse.com/directions.html>.

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## CUNY FALL 2005 COURSES

### Education

ESC590 Teaching about the Great Irish Famine  
(see box on next page)

### History

HIS230: Ireland from the Earliest Times to 1690  
Campus: Queens College  
Section: E6M3; Code: 0283  
Time: M 6:30-9:20PM

### Language

IRI103: Elementary Irish I (On-line)  
Campus: Lehman College  
Section: ONA01; Code: 2769

IRI105: Elementary Irish III (On-line)  
Campus: Lehman College  
Section: ONA01; Code: 0742

### Literature

ENG4410 Modern Irish Writers  
Campus: Baruch College  
Section: KM24A; Code: 1122  
Time: T/TH 11:10-12:25 PM

ENG324: Twentieth-Century English and Irish Literature  
Campus: Lehman College

Section: ZB81; Code: 2513  
Time: T/TH 6:15-7:30PM

ENG368W: Irish Writers: Yeats (Co-listed with Comp. Lit. 215W)  
Campus: Queens College

Section: E6TBA; Code: 1691  
Time: T/TH 6:30-7:45 PM

The CUNY Institute for Irish-American Studies at Lehman College presents a course entitled, *Teaching about the Great Irish Famine*. The on-line component will take place from August 29-December 23, 2005. The on-location component will be held October 8-10, 2005 (Columbus Day Weekend). The course can be taken for 3 graduate credits or continuing education. It was especially designed for Social Studies Teachers in New York State schools. Prof. Maureen Murphy, the primary developer of the NY State *Great Irish Famine Curriculum* will lead the group. The participation fee includes, tuition, two nights at the Fitzpatrick Hotel, one dinner, daily excursions to famine memorial sites in NYC, and a copy of the curriculum. The cost is \$1,100. Phone the CUNY IIAS at 718-960-6722 for more information or visit [www.lehman.edu/cunyias](http://www.lehman.edu/cunyias).

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