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Theses on Irish history completed in Irish universities, 2010

T he following list gives particulars of theses on Irish historical subjects, or on subjects having a distinct bearing on Irish history, for which research was carried out in the history departments of Irish universities and for which higher degrees were awarded in 2010. The information has been supplied by the departments and some attempt has been made to check it for accuracy and completeness.

The list is in chronological order and gives the following particulars: the title of the thesis; the name of the student concerned; the degree obtained and the college or university at which it was awarded; the name of the supervisor.

Any corrigenda or addenda would be welcome, as would information from other departments (such as geography, law, political science, languages, sociology) in which theses of Irish historical interest have been produced.

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Transmission and transformation of iconography and exegetical themes from late antiquity in insular art. By Susan Cremin. Ph.D./U.C.C. (Dr Jennifer O'Reilly)

The origins of town life in Ireland: spatial integration and urbanization in the Kingdom of Déisi, 700–1100. By Rebecca Wall. Ph.D./T.C.D. (Professor Terry Barry)

The place of the child in medieval Irish and Welsh law. By Brónagh Ní Chonaill. Ph.D./T.C.D. (Dr Katharine Simms)

Interactions between the Gaelic-Irish and the Anglo-Normans: the settlement evidence in the Baronies of Iverk, County Kilkenny and Clanmahon, County Cavan in the high and later medieval periods. By Linda Shine. Ph.D./T.C.D. (Professor Terry Barry)

The royal manors of Dublin. By Ann Foley. Ph.D./T.C.D. (Professor Seán Duffy)

The ringwork castles of medieval Leinster and Meath. By Emma Arbuthnot. Ph.D./T.C.D. (Professor Terry Barry)

The establishment and evolution of a village community: Dunlavin, County Wicklow, 1600–1910. By Christopher Lawlor. Ph.D./St. Patrick's College, D.C.U. (Professor James Kelly)

Paving the way to prerogative: the politics of Sir Thomas Wentworth c.1614–1635. By Mark Empey. Ph.D./U.C.D. (Dr John McCafferty)

Paper manufacture in Ireland 1690–1825, with particular reference to the north of Ireland. By Alison Muir. Ph.D./Q.U.B. (Professor David Hayton)

Newspapers and print culture in eighteenth-century Limerick. By Ursula Callaghan. Ph.D./Mary Immaculate College, Limerick, Univ. of Limerick (Dr Liam Chambers)

- Grain mills of County Longford c.1750 c.1950s: a regional survey. By James P. Mimnagh. Ph.D./N.U.I.M. (Mr John Bradley)
- Caroline Wyndham-Quin, countess of Dunraven (1790–1870): an analysis of her discursive and material legacy. By Odette Clarke. Ph.D./Univ. of Limerick (Dr Bernadette Whelan)
- Westmoreland Lock Hospital Dublin and the treatment of syphilis 1792–1900. By Jean Walker. Ph.D./N.U.I.M. (Dr Dympna McLoughlin)
- The Brownes of Westport: the ascendancy and provincial administration, 1798–1845. By Gordon Kennedy. Ph.D./ St. Patrick's College, D.C.U. (Dr Daire Keogh)
- Microfinance institutions in nineteenth-century Ireland. By Eoin McLaughlin. Ph.D./N.U.I.M. (Professor R.V. Comerford)
- The churches and emigration from nineteenth-century Ireland. By Sarah Roddy. Ph.D./Q.U.B. (Professor Peter Gray)
- Urban elites, civil society and governance in early nineteenth-century Belfast. By Claire Allen. Ph.D./Q.U.B. (Professor Peter Gray)
- 'The natural leaders': the Tennent family and the political and intellectual life of Presbyterian Belfast c.1801–1832. By Jonathan Wright. Ph.D./Q.U.B. (Professor Sean Connolly)
- An examination of the life of Edwin Wyndham Quin, third earl of Dunraven, 1812–71. By Theresa Hereward-Ryan. Ph.D./Univ. of Limerick (Dr Bernadette Whelan)
- The formation of the Limerick city middle classes in the 1830s. By Sarah McNamara. Ph.D./ Mary Immaculate College, Limerick, Univ. of Limerick (Dr Maura Cronin)
- Women writers of the Irish newspaper and periodical press, 1833–1870. By Deirdre M. Carr. M.Litt./N.U.I.M. (Professor Jacqueline Hill)
- A society in transit: the Protestant community in Tyrone, 1836–42. By Daragh E. Curran. Ph.D./N.U.I.M. (Professor Raymond Gillespie)
- Land agents and estate management in King's County during the Great Famine, 1838–53. By Ciarán J. Reilly. Ph.D./N.U.I.M. (Dr Terence Dooley)
- Famine evictions. By Ronan Coyle. Ph.D./T.C.D. (Dr William Vaughan)
- Middle-class culture and civic identity in mid-nineteenth century Belfast. By Alice Johnson. Ph.D. /Q.U.B. (Professor Sean Connolly)
- Infanticide and concealment of birth in Ireland, 1850–1900. By Elaine Farrell. Ph.D. /Q.U.B. (Professor Mary O'Dowd)
- The life of William Bulfin, 1863–1910. By Thomas Harris. Ph.D./T.C.D. (Dr William Vaughan)
- Intermediate educational provision for girls in Northern Ireland, 1867–1947. By Claire Rush. Ph.D./Q.U.B. (Professor Mary O'Dowd)
- Violence and political factionalism and their effects on north Louth, 1870–1943. By Donal Hall. Ph.D./N.U.I.M. (Dr Martin Maguire and Dr Ian Speller)
- The Newfoundland-Irish in industrial Cape Breton, 1880–1920. By Peter Ludlow. Ph.D. /Q.U.B. (Professor Peter Gray and Professor Sean Connolly)
- Personal and interpersonal violence and sexual abuse in Ireland, 1880–1935. By Sarah-Anne Buckley. Ph.D./U.C.C. (Dr Donal Ó Drisceoil)
- The Qua Iboe Mission, 1887–1925. By Elaine Doyle. Ph.D./Q.U.B. (Professor Keith Jeffery)

- 'The commencement of a new era?' Rural district councils in Ireland, 1899–1925. By Feichin T. McDermott. Ph.D./N.U.I.M. (Professor R.V. Comerford)
- The state and the sea fisheries of the south and west coasts of Ireland, 1900–1967. By Sylvester Murray. M.Litt./T.C.D. (Professor David Dickson)
- Irish socialist republicanism, 1909–36. By Adrian Grant. Ph.D./Univ. of Ulster (Dr Emmet O'Connor)
- Donegal and partition, 1912–1926. By Kelly Thompson. M.Litt./T.C.D. (Professor David Fitzpatrick)
- Tipperary and the First World War. By John Dennehy. Ph.D./U.C.C. (Mr Gabriel Doherty)
- The threat of conscription and its impact on Irish politics during the Great War. By Fiona Devoy. Ph.D./U.C.C. (Dr Donal Ó Drisceoil)
- Cork city 1917–1921: a study of the city during the Irish War of Independence. By John Borgonovo. Ph.D./U.C.C. (Mr Gabriel Doherty)
- The effect of the 1918–19 influenza pandemic in Ulster. By Patricia Marsh. Ph.D./Q.U.B. (Dr Marie Coleman)
- The 1918–19 influenza pandemic in Ireland: a Leinster perspective. By Ida Milne. Ph.D./T.C.D. (Professor David Dickson)
- Irish physical-force Republicanism in Britain, 1919–23. By Gerard Noonan. Ph.D./T.C.D. (Professor Eunan O'Halpin)
- The Naval Forces of the Irish State, 1922–77. By Pádhraic Ó Confhaola. Ph.D./N.U.I.M. (Dr Ian Speller)
- Archaeology, nationalism and identity in Ireland, 1922–1949. By Mairead Carew. Ph.D./U.C.D. (Professor Mary E. Daly)
- Sexual crime and the formulation of the Criminal Law Amendment Act 1935: a quantitative, historical and legislative analysis. By David Matthew Doyle. PhD./N.U.I.G. (Dr Caitriona Clear)
- Cold War, partition and convergence: Irish communism 1945–70. By Patrick Smylie. Ph.D./Q.U.B. (Dr Fearghal McGarry)
- Every generation has its task: attitudes to Irish youth in the Sixties. By Carole Holohan. Ph.D./U.C.D. (Professor Mary E. Daly)
- Irish republicanism and the Cold War: Western geo-political state perspectives on crises in Ireland, 1962–1976. By John Mulqueen. Ph.D./T.C.D. (Professor Eunan O'Halpin)
- New nationalism? The origins of the SDLP, 1969–1974. By Sarah Campbell. Ph.D./U.C.D. (Professor Mary E. Daly)