

Celtic Quest

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A Research Trip to Dublin, Ireland

14 - 21 October 2018

**\$100 Early-bird discount for
researchers who sign up
by 15 March 2018**

**Space Limited to 10 Researchers
So Register Early!**

Attention Serious Researchers!

Celtic Quest, LLC, has organized a unique research opportunity for *serious and experienced researchers*. It is **required** that you have at least identified the **country of origin of your ancestor**. To devote sufficient time to each researcher in Ireland, the trip is limited to the **first 10 registrants who send the deposit**.

After registration, your trip director will send you a **Research Objective Form** to be completed and returned. It is critical that you be as complete as possible—especially in specifying a **detailed source citation** for each question. *Please take the time to prepare up to 2 research objectives for review by your trip director*. Then, to help make your valuable research time in Ireland more productive, and to help you determine which research facilities will be most beneficial, **you can choose one of two pre-trip options**. (1) Up to 3 hours of pre-trip telephone consultation (can be multiple sessions) with your trip director; **or** (2) your trip director will provide a written assessment of your research objectives.

Arrive Dublin on Sunday, 14 October and get your rest. Monday you hit the ground running. You will be introduced to the major Dublin research repositories, their records, and which facilities best fit your needs. Throughout the week, your trip director will be onsite to assist you.

You may move freely between research sites as your discoveries take you to new records. On some evenings you can optionally consult with your trip director to discuss and reevaluate your research objectives.

We can try to assist you if you wish to share a room with another researcher. Prices are per-person, double occupancy. Limited single rooms are available at a higher cost. Non-researching companions are also welcome. See the registration form for fees.

Registrants should expect to walk between repositories and the hotel (1–8 blocks). Bring comfortable walking shoes and rain gear. If you prefer, taxis are available for hire. Registrants also need to arrange transportation to and from Dublin, and between the airport and the hotel.

Buswell's Hotel

The trip hotel, Buswell's, on Molesworth Street in Dublin, is directly across the street from the National Library in the quiet business section of Dublin.

Trip Inclusions for Researchers

- ✦ Seven nights' hotel accommodation w/ private bath
- ✦ Full Irish breakfast daily
- ✦ Professional program, including orientation/lecture
- ✦ Onsite research assistance at repositories
- ✦ Your option of:
 - Up to 3 hours of pre-trip telephone consultation, **OR**
 - A pre-trip written research objective assessment
- ✦ Free evening consultations
- ✦ Free Back To Our Past (BTOP) admission

(Non-researchers are entitled to lodging & breakfast)

Travel Arrangements

For attendee travel flexibility, participants are responsible for their own air and ground transportation.

Medical and Travel Insurance

Participants will be required to show proof of medical coverage prior to submitting final payment. Travel insurance is optional and is available through AAA, Travelguard.com, and other organizations.

Meet Your Trip Director

Richard M. Doherty is a professional genealogist, author and lecturer with more than 40 years of experience and 37 research trips to Ireland. He has lectured on Irish genealogy since 1982 in the U.S., Canada and Ireland, including two Irish Genealogical Congresses held at Trinity College in Dublin, and Maynooth College in Co. Kildare; and at the Back To Our Past exhibition in Dublin. Dick is a past-president of the Irish Genealogical Society of Michigan, Detroit Society for Genealogical Research, and Oakland County Genealogical Society. He is also an FGS delegate.



Tentative Schedule

Saturday, 13 Oct	Evening	Depart U.S. or Canada
Sunday, 14 Oct	Morning 7:30 _{pm}	Arrive Dublin/Check-in to Hotel/Rest/Free time Informal Meet & Greet (for those not sleeping)
Monday, 15 Oct	All day	Open for Research with trip director's assistance*
Tuesday, 16 Oct	All day 6:30 _{pm} -7:45 _{pm}	Open for Research with trip directors' assistance* Individual consultations/National Library research
Wednesday, 17 Oct	All day 6:30 _{pm} -7:45 _{pm}	Open for Research with trip directors' assistance* Individual consultations/National Library research
Thursday, 18 Oct	All day Evening	Open for Research with trip directors' assistance* Free evening (No Consultations)
Friday, 19 Oct	All day 11 _{am} -6:00 _{pm}	Open for Research with trip directors' assistance* Optional BTOP attendance
Saturday, 20 Oct	9:30 _{am} -12:45 _{pm} 11 _{am} -6:00 _{pm}	National Library open for Research Optional BTOP attendance
Sunday, 21 Oct	11 _{am} 11 _{am} -6:00 _{pm}	Checkout of hotel (unless you added an extra night) Optional BTOP attendance

*See hours of specific repositories in descriptions on next page

General Register Office

Werburgh Street, Dublin 2.

<http://www.welfare.ie/en/Pages/GRO_Research.aspx >

The GRO includes registrations for births, marriages, and deaths beginning on 1 January 1864 (non-Catholic marriages were recorded beginning 1 January 1845). Certificates are available at the GRO. Indexes can be searched 9:00 am–4:30 pm Monday–Friday. There are fees for both searching and obtaining photocopies and certificates. The GRO holds post-1922 vital records for the 26 counties of the Republic of Ireland. 8 Blocks.

National Archives of Ireland

Bishop Street

<<http://www.nationalarchives.ie/>>

In June 1988, the Public Record Office of Ireland and the State Paper Office were joined to form the National Archives.

The reading room at the headquarters is open to holders of a current Reader's Ticket. The reading room is open 9:15am–5 pm, Monday–Friday, except holidays. 7 Blocks.

National Library of Ireland

Kildare Street

<<http://www.nli.ie/>>

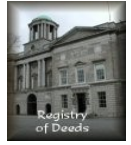
The National Library of Ireland was established in 1877. The Genealogical Office, which originated in 1552 as the Office of Arms, has been part of the National Library since 1943. There are close to a million books and extensive collections of newspapers, manuscripts, photographs, maps, and prints in the library. The collections are accessible free of charge to holders of a current Library Reader's ticket. The main reading room is open 9:30 am–7:45pm, Tuesday–Wednesday, 9:30am–4:45pm Thursday–Friday, and 9:30am–12:45pm Saturday. 1/2 Block.



Registry of Deeds

King's Inns, Henrietta Street

<<http://www.prai.ie/registry-of-deeds-services#records>>



The function of the Registry of Deeds is to provide a system for recording the existence of deeds and conveyances affecting "unregistered" land, i.e. land and property, the title to which is not registered in the Land Registry. The indexes and many of the records are on microfilm. The Registry is open 10 am–4:30 pm Monday–Friday. Records of interest to genealogists include registered deeds from 1708 and wills 1708–1832. Taxi Ride.

Representative Church Body Library

Braemor Park, Churchtown

<<https://www.ireland.anglican.org/about/genealogy>>



The Representative Church Body Library is the Church of Ireland's principal repository for its archives and manuscripts. The reading room is open 9:30 am–1 pm and 2 pm to 5 pm Monday-Friday. The Library holds records from more than 800 parishes in the Republic of Ireland. Bus or Taxi Ride.

Valuation Office of Ireland

Irish Life Center, Abbey Street Lower

<http://www.valoff.ie/en/Archives_Genealogy_Public_Office/>

The Valuation Office is a favorite research facility of Celtic Quest registrants. This office is open 9:15 am–4:30 pm Monday–Friday. The Revision (or Cancelled) Books are invaluable. A scanned copy of the original series of Valuation maps that correspond to Griffith's Primary Valuation are available for Republic of Ireland research, and copies can be purchased. 8 Blocks.

Dates to Remember

15 March 2018

Early-bird deposit deadline

30 April 2018

Initial \$500 deposit due

15 June 2018

1/2 Remaining balance due

31 July 2018

Final balance due