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A
Research
Trip to
Dublin,
Ireland

11 - 17 October 2020 Sunday thru Saturday (7 Nights)

\$100 Early-bird discount for researchers who sign up by 31 March 2020

Space Limited to 15 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 county of origin of your ancestor. To devote sufficient time to each researcher in Ireland, the trip is limited to the first 15 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 will receive** up to 3 hours of pre-trip telephone consultation (can be multiple sessions) with your trip director.

Arrive Dublin on Sunday, 11 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
- ♦ Up to 3 hours of pre-trip telephone consultation
- ♦ 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 Directors

**Richard M. Doherty** is a professional genealogist, author and lecturer with more than 45 years of experi-



ence and 39 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.

**William T. Ruddock** describes his love of genealogy as an avocation. He is a lecturer, and author with over 35



years of experience. He is past editor of the *Detroit Society for Genealogical Research Magazine* and is currently a contributing editor to the *New York Genealogical and Biographical Record*. His paternal grandfather was 100% Irish and this led Mr. Ruddock to become a serious

researcher in Irish Genealogy.

# Tentative Schedule

Saturday, 10 Oct	Evening	Depart U.S. or Canada
Sunday, 11 Oct	Morning	Arrive Dublin/Check-in to Hotel/Rest/Free time
	7:30 <sub>pm</sub>	Informal Meet & Greet (for those not sleeping)
Monday, 12 Oct	All day	Open for Research with trip director's assistance*
Tuesday, 13 Oct	All day	Open for Research with trip directors' assistance*
	6:30 pm-7:45 pm	Individual consultations/National Library research
Wednesday, 14 Oct	All day	Open for Research with trip directors' assistance*
	6:30 pm-7:45 pm	Individual consultations/National Library research
Thursday, 15 Oct	All day	Open for Research with trip directors' assistance*
	Evening	Free evening (No Consultations)
Friday, 16 Oct	All day	Open for Research with trip directors' assistance*
	11 am-6:00 pm	Optional BTOP attendance
Saturday, 17 Oct	All day	Open for Research with trip directors' assistance*
	11 am-6:00 pm	Optional BTOP attendance
Sunday, 18 Oct	<b>11</b> am	Checkout of hotel

You may move freely between repository sites based on your specific research needs.

\*See hours of specific repositories in descriptions on next page

#### **General Register Office**

Werburgh Street, Dublin 2.

<a href="http://www.welfare.ie/en/Pages/GRO">http://www.welfare.ie/en/Pages/GRO</a> 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** 

<a href="http://www.nationalarchives.ie/">http://www.nationalarchives.ie/</a>

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 10 am-5 pm, Monday-Friday, except holidays. 7 Blocks.

#### **National Library of Ireland**

Kildare Street <a href="http://www.nli.ie/">http://www.nli.ie/</a>

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, Monday—Wednesday, 9:30am—4:45pm Thursday—Friday, and 9:30am—12:45pm Saturday. 1/2 Block.

#### **Registry of Deeds**

King's Inns, Henrietta Street <a href="https://www.prai.ie/registry-of-deeds-services/#records">https://www.prai.ie/registry-of-deeds-services/#records</a>



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 <a href="https://www.ireland.anglican.org/about/genealogy">https://www.ireland.anglican.org/about/genealogy</a>



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-Thursday. 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 <a href="http://www.valoff.ie/en/archive-research/genealogy">http://www.valoff.ie/en/archive-research/genealogy</a>>

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.



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Dates to Remember

31 March 2020
5 Early-bird deposit deadline
30 April 2020
5 Initial \$500 deposit due
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#### Mail to: Celtic Quest 2020 Dublin Registration— 11-17 October (7 nights) Celtic Quest, LLC Roommate name or 4004 Vendome Drive \_\_\_\_\_ Assign me one: \_\_\_ Your Name: \_\_\_ Auburn Hills, MI 48326-1866 Street Address or P.O. Box: City, State, Postal Code, Country: Sign up online at: http://www.celticquest.net Telephone No.: For more information: E-mail (necessary for communication): dick.celticquest@gmail.com TRIP COSTS FOR RESEARCHERS First payment of \$500 is Researcher (per person/double occupancy) US\$ 1,950 Researcher (per person/single occupancy) US\$ 2,450 due upon registration. If Early-Bird Discount ap-TRIP COSTS FOR NON-RESEARCHING COMPANIONS plies, the \$100 comes off Companion (per person/double occupancy) US\$ 1,200 the balance, not the deposit. For additional **Additional Nights at Buswells** payment dates, see pay-Request Dates ASAP if needed, limited availability ment schedule. Per person/double occupancy/night) Qty \_\_\_ nts X US\$ TBD = Circle Dates Sun. 18 Oct \_\_\_\_ Per person/single occupancy/night) Qty \_\_\_\_ nts X US\$ TBD = Circle Dates: Sun. 18 Oct **REGISTRATION DEPOSIT (\$500 PER PERSON REQUIRED) EARLY-BIRD DISCOUNT (for Researchers Only)** Registrations must be postmarked by 31 March 2020) US\$ 100 discount **BALANCE DUE** Please Check if applicable: Method of Payment [] I have a visual, hearing, or Check / Money Order—Preferred (Canada: Payable in U.S. Dollars on U.S. Bank to Celtic Quest, LLC) other physical impairment. Credit Card via PayPal (online only through www.celticquest.net) If you cancel your trip on or before 30 June 2020, all monies paid will be refunded that exceed \$500. After 30 Jun and before 1 September 2020, all monies paid will be refunded that exceed 1/2 of the cost. On or after 1 September 2020, no monies will be refunded. A MINIMUM OF 8 RESEARCHERS is needed or the trip will be cancelled and all monies will be refunded. ONLY THE FIRST 15 RESEARCHERS (WITH PAID DEPOSIT) WILL BE ACCEPTED! WAIVER AND ASSUMPTION OF RISK The undersigned, and grants this Waiver and Assumption of Risk in favor of Celtic Quest, LLC, its principals and officers (collectively "Celtic Quest, LLC"), as partial consideration for the opportunity to engage in certain activities, events, and/or gatherings sponsored by Celtic Quest, LLC. I do hereby waive and release any and all claims whether in contract or of personal injury, bodily injury, property damage, damages, losses and/or death that may arise from the aforemen-I understand and recognize that there are certain risks, dangers, and perils connected with such activity, which I hereby acknowledge. I fully understand, and which I nevertheless accept, assume, and undertake. I further agree to use my best judgment in undertaking these activities and to faithfully adhere to all safety instructions and recommendations, whether oral or written. I hereby certify that I am a competent adult assuming these risks of my own free will, being under no compulsion or duress. This Waiver and Assumption of Risk is effective from 11 October to 17 October 2020, inclusive, and may not be revoked, altered, amended, rescinded, or voided without the express prior written consent of Celtic Quest, LLC. Signature Date Emergency Contact: