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Language course/short course



Architecture in Berlin

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Overview

Course location	Berlin
Teaching language	• English
Language level of course	• English: B2
Date(s)	• 20 July - 17 August 2024 (Registration deadline of course provider: 22 June 2024)
Information on dates, prices and mode of study	A non-refundable programme fee, in addition to the tuition fee, is applicable. The programme fee, which includes the social programme, is to be paid within one week after registration at the latest, along with the tuition fee.
Target group	The course addresses students of any subject, especially art history, architecture, and related subjects (such as history, design, or fine arts). An elementary knowledge of architecture and architectural history is welcome but not necessary. More advanced students or those interested in a particular field can – upon request – be given special assistance and further material for self-study.
Description/content	Please also visit the FUBiS *free* digital lecture series which offers a broad overview of the programme's academic course offerings: http://www.fubis.org/2_prog/online/index.html! About this course This course provides an overview of the development of public and private architecture in Berlin during the 19th, 20th, and 21st centuries. Following an introduction to the urban development and architectural history of the Modern era, the Neo-Classical period will be surveyed with special

reference to the works of Schinkel. This will be followed by classes on the architecture of the German Reich after 1871. This period was characterised by both modern and conservative tendencies, as well as the manifold activities during the time of the Weimar Republic in the 1920s, including the Modernist Avantgarde and the Housing Revolution. The architecture of the Nazi period will be examined, followed by the developments in the divided city in East and West Berlin after the Second World War. The course concludes with a detailed review of the city's more recent and current architectural profiles, including a critical analysis of the conflicts concerning the redesign of Berlin after the Cold War and the German reunification and contemporary planning issues. Seven walking tours to historically significant buildings and sites are included (Unter den Linden, Gendarmenmarkt, New Housing Estates, Chancellery, Potsdamer Platz, Holocaust

Memorial, etc.). The course aims to offer a deeper understanding of the interdependence of Berlin's architecture and the city's social, economic, and political structures. It considers Berlin as a model

for the highways and byways of a European capital in modern times.

Course details

Recognised language exams offered (e.g. DSH, TestDaF, TOEFL)	No
Other degrees / qualifications awarded	Certificate of participation
ECTS points (max.)	5
Average number of hours per week	12
Average number of participants per group/course	18

Costs / Funding

Dates and costs	 20 July - 17 August 2024 (Registration deadline of course provider: 22 June 2024), costs: EUR 1,300
This price includes	• Course fees
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Requirements / Registration

Teaching language	• English
Language level of course	• English: B2
Language requirements	Students must be able to speak, read and write English at an advanced intermediate level.
Submit application to	http://www.fubis.org/5_geb/anmeldung/index.html

Services

Type of accommodation	FUBiS arranges appropriate off-campus accommodation for the duration of the programme as an optional service on request. Accommodation options can be chosen during the registration process. Accommodation is subject to availability. Prices range between 490 EUR and 1,300 EUR.
Is a social and leisure programme offered?	Yes
Description of social and leisure programme	 FUBiS offers a variety of extracurricular activities which are included in the programme fee: guided tour of the Reichstag building and the Federal Parliament river boat tour through the centre of Berlin In addition, FUBiS offers optional excursions at extra cost within Berlin as well as to other popular German cities.
Free internet access	Yes
Support in visa matters	No
Pick-up service from train station/airport	No

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