

LANGUAGE AND SHORT COURSES

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Seduction and Terror: Hitler's Germany

Freie Universität Berlin • Berlin

Overview

| Course location | Berlin |
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| Teaching language | • English |
| Language level of course | • English: B2 |
| Date(s) | • 26 July - 23 August 2025 (Registration deadline of course provider: 28 June 2025) |
| 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 | We welcome students from all disciplines who are interested in gaining insight into the operations and dynamics of Nazi rule in Germany and its attempt to annihilate the Jews and dominate the continent. |
| Description/content | Please visit our website (www.fubis.org) for an overview of all courses offered and for possible updates to the course programme. About this course The "thousand-year Reich" that Hitler promised when he became Chancellor of Germany in January 1933 lasted but 12 years. During this time, Hitler and his Nazi Party attempted to dominate Europe, terrorised vast numbers of Germans, launched a devastating war and orchestrated the murder of more than five million Jews. In spite of the terror and vast destruction, Hitler and the Nazi Party gained the active support and involvement of most Germans. How was this possible? What roles did seduction and terror play? This class focuses on Hitler's Germany, and it begins with the 19th century background. Central to this session will be a discussion of the broad political currents, the agitators and petty demagogues who fuelled the dissatisfaction and spread it widely. We will also examine the popular literature that Hitler and many of his supporters read and absorbed. We will visit local museums, historical sites and locations that illuminate the workings of Nazi rule. These visits are a key element of the class and the experience of studying in Berlin. |

Course details

| Other degrees / qualifications awarded | Certificate of participation |
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| ECTS points (max.) | 6 |
| Average number of hours per week | 12 |
| Average number of participants per group/course | 18 |

Costs / Funding

| Dates and costs | 26 July - 23 August 2025 (Registration deadline of course provider: 28 June 2025), costs: EUR 1,300 |
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| This price includes | Course fees |
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Requirements / Registration

| Teaching language | • English |
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| 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

| Is accommodation organised? | Accommodation is arranged by the organiser. |
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| 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 550 EUR and 1,350 EUR. |
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| Is a social and leisure programme offered? | Yes |
| Description of social and leisure programme | FUBiS offers a variety of extracurricular activities that 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 (for an 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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