COURSE DETAIL

BERLIN: CITY OF WATER
Country Germany
Host Institution Free University of Berlin
Program(s) Free University Berlin
UCEAP Course Level Upper Division
UCEAP Subject Area(s) Urban Studies German
UCEAP Course Number 117
UCEAP Course Suffix Q
UCEAP Official Title BERLIN: CITY OF WATER
UCEAP Transcript Title BERLIN: CITY WATER
UCEAP Quarter Units 4.50
UCEAP Semester Units

3.00

Course Description

The city's relationship to water will be considered in a number of different contexts from hydrogeology, engineering, and urban planning to cultural production. Water has been the subject of many films, paintings, and literary texts. We will explore this angle extensively, looking for concrete as well as symbolic and mythological meaning. Through student presentations, we will explore individual bodies of water, discover water infrastructure and research the city's current water management. Swimmers are encouraged to "sample" various bathing sites and report on their experience. The instructor will offer one or two city excursions outside the regular course times. Can I take this course? Yes, if you are interested in history, literature, and culture, and willing to explore the city in ways that go beyond the usual tourist experience.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

Host Institution Course Number
16916

Host Institution Course Title
BERLIN CITY OF WATER

Host Institution Course Details
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Host Institution Campus
Free University of Berlin

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department
Institute of German and Dutch Languages and Literatures

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