

STUDY VISIT AND SEMINAR IN BERLIN

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12-16
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PROGRAM



MONDAY, 12/09

- Arrival of participants
- Check-in at the Hotel Altberlin, Potsdamer Str. 67
- Evening free (suggestion: restaurant Joseph-Roth-Diele, Potsdamer Str. 75, serving German food - consider making reservation)



TUESDAY, 13/09

- 10h00 Departure from the hotel for a full-time walking tour with Stefanie Endlich:
 - Memorial for the Victims of the National Socialist "Euthanasia" Killings, Tiergartenstraße 4
 - Walk along the part of the former Berlin Wall, from Potsdamer Platz to Checkpoint Charlie
 - In between: Lunch Break at the "Topography of Terror" Documentary Center and short Meeting with Dr. Thomas Lutz, chief of the Memorial Museum Department of the "Topography of Terror"
 - Going to the starting point of the Berlin Wall Memorial by subway and urban rail
- 16h00 - ca 18h00 Visit of the open air exhibition of the memorial
- Evening: optional visit of the MEFRO local partner Stella Flatten in the Kreuzberg district and dinner in the area (not covered by the organisation)



WEDNESDAY, 14/09

- 9h15 Departure from the hotel (with Stefanie Endlich)
- 10h00 - 13h00 Seminar meeting in the Documentation Center of the Berlin Wall Memorial:
 - Dr. Axel Klausmeier, director of the Berlin Wall Memorial, will talk about his memorial in the context of remembrance politics in Berlin and Germany
 - Stefanie Endlich will give some short remarks about the development of memorials and politics of remembrance in Berlin from 1990 till today
 - Dr. Ulrich Baumann, Vice Director of the Foundation Memorial to the Murdered Jews of Europe, will talk about national and mental borders and "blurrings" in Europe today
 - Discussion

13h00 - 15h00 Lunch break and visit to the documentation exhibition

15h00 - 17h00 Debate and MEFRO Partners Meeting

- Evening: free or optional walking tour offered by Stefanie Endlich:

18h00 - ca 19h30 Visit of the national memorial monuments in the center of Berlin (Memorial to the Murdered Jews of Europe, Memorial to the Homosexuals Persecuted under the NS-Regime, Memorial to the murdered Sinti and Roma), ending at the Memorial Monument for the Sowjet Soldiers who died in the Second World War (near Brandenburg Gate)



THURSDAY, 15/09

- 09h30 Departure from the hotel (with Stefanie Endlich), ride to Karlshorst
- 11h00 Visit to the German-Russian Museum Berlin-Karlshorst
 - Introduction: Stefanie Endlich
 - Guided tour of the documentary exhibition
 - Dr. Jörg Morré, Director of the German-Russian Museum, will welcome the group; short discussion
- 13h30 Lunch break in Karlshorst and return to the Berlin center
- Afternoon and evening: free (suggestion: free visit to Tempelhof Airport Field)



FRIDAY, 16/09

- Departure day

In collaboration with Prof. Dr. Stefanie Endlich,
free-lanced journalist, author and curator