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## Practical Info

### “Citizens’ Reflections on the Future of Europe” project

Dear partners,

**Welcome to the FuturEU project in Germany (26-28/11/2019)!**



**The Project will take place in Berlin.**

Berlin is the capital and the largest city of Germany as well as one of its 16 constituent states. With a steadily growing population of approximately 3.7 million, Berlin is the second most populous city proper in the European Union behind London and the seventh most populous urban area in the European Union. Located in northeastern Germany on the banks of the rivers Spree and Havel, it is the centre of the Berlin-Brandenburg Metropolitan Region, which has roughly 6 million residents from more than 180 nations. Due to its location in the European Plain, Berlin is influenced by a temperate seasonal climate. Around one-third of the city's area is composed of forests, parks, gardens, rivers, canals and lakes.



Some interesting facts from the history:

First documented in the 13th century and situated at the crossing of two important historic trade routes, Berlin became the capital of the Margraviate of Brandenburg (1417–1701), the Kingdom of Prussia (1701–1918), the German Empire (1871–1918), the Weimar Republic (1919–1933) and the Third Reich (1933–1945).[12] Berlin in the 1920s was the third largest municipality in the world. After World War II and its subsequent occupation by the victorious countries, the city was divided; East Berlin was declared capital of East Germany, while West Berlin became a de facto West German exclave, surrounded by the Berlin Wall (1961–1989) and East German territory. Following German reunification in 1990, Berlin once again became the capital of all of Germany.



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Berlin is a world city of culture, politics, media and science.

The metropolis is a popular tourist destination. Significant industries also include IT, pharmaceuticals, biomedical engineering, clean tech, biotechnology, construction and electronics.



Modern Berlin is home to world-renowned universities, orchestras, museums, and entertainment



venues.

### **The accommodation**

We will stay in Aletto Hotel Kudamm Berlin.

Hardenbergstr. 21, 10623 Berlin <https://www.aletto.de/de/kudamm/>

### **Top sightseeing in the area**

- Zoologischer Garten underground station 200 m.
- Brandenburg Gate 3.5 km
- Reichstag 3.8 km
- TV Tower Berlin 5.6 km
- Alexanderplatz 5.8 km
  
- Airport Berlin Tegel 8,6 km
- Airport Berlin Schönefeld 23,8 km

**Am 27/11/2019:**

**Seminar will be provided in Europa Direkt Berlin**

**Hardenbergstraße 22-24 10623 Berlin** <https://www.berlin.de/politische-bildung/allgemein/europe-direct-informationszentrum-berlin/>



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**You can see the official site for seitseengs:**

<https://www.visitberlin.de/en/trane-jazz-club>

**If you want something alternative, you can see:**

<http://alternativeberlin.com/tours/free-tour/>

For those who arrive at Tegel Airport:

You have to take **Express Bus X9 towards City West:**

The X9 Bus departs every five to ten minutes at Tegel Airport. You have to take the bus direction towards Zoo Station *to the Station* **Ernst Reuter Platz**, (the journey takes about 20 minutes, 5 Stops). (Fare: 2.80 Euros one way).

And then to the Hotel is about 10 min walking

*Check please googlemap, you can see also other options*

For those who arrive at Schoneffeld Airport

From Bahnhof Flughafen Berlin-Schönefeld (It takes 6 min walk), you have to take **RB14 to Zoo Garten** (the journey takes about 40 minutes, 6 Stops).

And then to the Hotel is about 10 min.walking

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For those who arrive at Berlin Cetral Trainstation

You have to take **RE1 to Zoo Garten** (the journey takes about 5 minutes, 0 Stop).

And then to the Hotel is about 4 min walking

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**Weather in Germany**

[www.wetter.com/deutschland/berlin/](http://www.wetter.com/deutschland/berlin/)

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**Willkommen!**

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