

Enrollment/Credit

Participants need to enroll for 6 credits. Choose two from the following courses:

HIS 3450; HIS 4400; HIS 4775; HIS 5997;
FLG 3200; FLG 4400; FLG 4405; FLE 3986;
EIU 4114G.

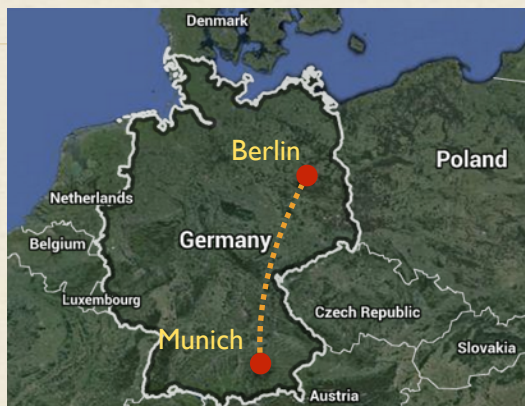
Another option: Take STA 4000G (1 cr) at EIU to fulfill senior seminar requirement.

Required: 4 pre-departure meetings in April 2018.

Costs

Program Fee	\$2,655
Includes accommodations in triple rooms in centrally located youth hotels (for budget-minded travelers of all ages--picture below), breakfast, seminar room Berlin, one group meal at Hofbräuhaus in Munich, admission fees, tours, transportation within Germany; health insurance.	
Tuition and Fees (6 credits)	\$2,154
Textbook Rental Fee	\$58.50
Other Costs (estimate):	
*Roundtrip Chicago-Berlin; Munich-Chicago	\$1,200
Meals (lunch/dinner est. \$30/day)	\$690
Passport	\$145
Spending Money (est. \$100/week)	\$300
Laundromats	\$20
Est. Grand Total	\$7,222.50
(subject to exchange rate)	

*Students make their own flight arrangement. Leaders will meet students at Tegel Airport in Berlin.



From Berlin's Reichstag...



...to Munich's Hofbräuhaus.



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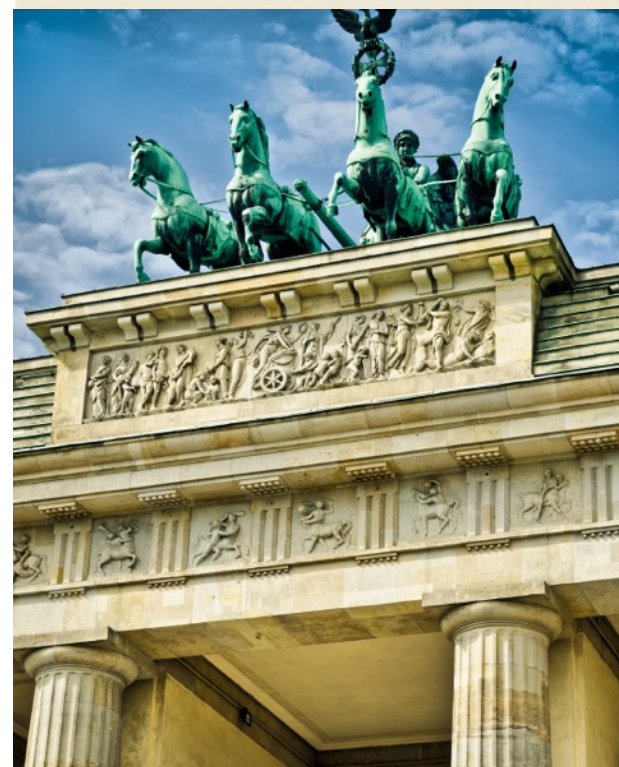
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STUDY ABROAD GERMANY

10 MAY - 1 JUNE, 2018

HISTORY AND MEMORY IN THE NEW GERMANY

- 3 weeks - 6 credits (HIS-FLG-FLE-Senior Sem)
- Berlin (11 days) and Munich (10 days)
- Leaders: Dr. Sace Elder (History) and Dr. Christiane Eydt-Beebe (Foreign Languages)
- Taught in English; no German skills required (students receiving German language credits complete assignments in German)





We will...

- Fly from Chicago to Berlin
- Visit the Memorial to the Murdered Jews of Europe; the Topography of Terror at the Gestapo Headquarters; the German Museum; the Jewish Museum; Sachsenhausen concentration camp, and more.
- Take a day trip to Dresden, the "Florence on the Elbe River," destroyed by Allied firebombs in 1945.
- Visit Frederick the Great's Sanssouci Palace in Potsdam (optional excursion).
- Travel by high-speed ICE to Munich. Visit Marienplatz Square, Frauenkirche Cathedral, Hofbräuhaus, and the English Garden.
- Trace the rise of the Nazi party in Munich. Walk by the former Gestapo headquarters. Find out what the City Museum's permanent exhibition says about Munich's Nazi past--and what it doesn't say. Discover how the city memorializes the anti-Nazi resistance (White Rose).
- Visit Dachau Concentration Camp Memorial.
- Take a day trip to Nuremberg, site of the Nazi party rallies. Tour the Documentation Center and the grounds. Find out how Nuremberg remembers its Nazi past.
- Take a day trip to Berchtesgaden, site of Hitler's Eagle's Nest (Kehlsteinhaus) in Obersalzberg.
- Take a day trip to Neuschwanstein, "Mad King Ludwig's" fairytale castle in the Alps. Find out more about the role and influence of German myths and legends.
- Fly from Munich back to Chicago (or extend your trip).

HISTORY AND MEMORY IN THE NEW GERMANY

Spend three weeks in Germany and fall under the spell of two German cities--**Berlin and Munich**. Like no other place in Germany, Berlin and Munich visibly represent the ghosts of German history and the dynamic spirit of the New Germany.

THE PROGRAM

Through our reading and extensive travels through these cities and their surroundings, we will set out to answer the intriguing question: How did Germany transform itself within half a century from a racial, genocidal state under Nazism into the largest liberal democratic state in Europe? We will examine Germans' struggle to build a civil society by "coming to terms" with their Nazi past (*Vergangenheitsbewältigung*).



Brandenburg Gate 1945



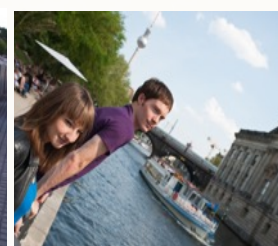
Brandenburg Gate today

BERLIN AND MUNICH

The program is based in Berlin (11 days) and Munich (10 days), capitals of the Nazi movement and the Nazi regime. Much more than just "city hopping," this program will give you a unique chance to experience life in what are Germany's most populous, pulsing, and culturally vibrant cities (besides Hamburg). Time to find your favorite hip district, beer garden, market, or night spot.



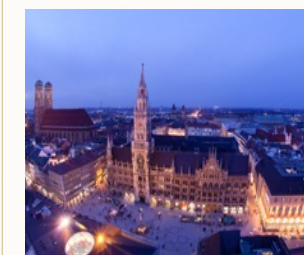
Memorial to the Murdered Jews of Europe



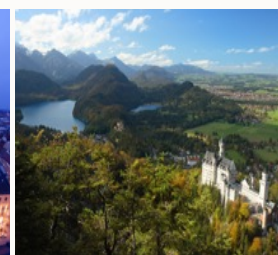
Walking along the Spree River in Berlin

TRIPS AND ACTIVITIES

We will explore Germany's landscape of collective memory around Berlin, Munich, Dresden, Nuremberg, and Berchtesgaden. We will examine the conflicts and controversies over what sites would be preserved, over who would be remembered as victims and who would be remembered as perpetrators of the regime. Day trips take us to the sites of Sachsenhausen and Dachau concentration camps and also Hitler's Eagle's Nest near the Austrian border.



Munich



Neuschwanstein Castle in the Allgäu