Since the fall of the Wall, Berlin is once again the capital of a unified Germany. Little of the Wall remains, but it is primarily in Berlin that Germany’s history and future are vigorously debated, commemorated, and imagined. This course focuses on the period from post-war to post-Wall Berlin. In Berlin students will visit key landmarks and museums, and learn from local experts and residents about life in the divided city, the fall of the Wall and the reconstruction of Berlin after 1989.

Note: The class is taught entirely in English. Some knowledge of German is helpful but not required for day to day activities and transactions in Berlin.