

The summer semester is now reaching its boiling point. At IPU Berlin, that means exam season for our students. At the same time, many interesting events will also take place this summer on Stromstraße in Berlin-Moabit. Anyone interested in studying at IPU Berlin can apply now.

Apply Now for Winter Semester 2026/2027

In October, IPU Berlin will be offering numerous Master's programs in addition to the Bachelor of Science degree, such as the MA in Clinical Psychology and Psychotherapy and the MA in Psychoanalytic Cultural Studies and Cultural Psychology. You can find all the information about the application process and deadlines [on our website](#).

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New University Management

With the conclusion of Prof. Jan-Hendrik Olbertz's five-year term in June, a transitional phase has begun in the university's management. Prof. Birgit Stürmer is now serving as interim president. Prof. Simone Salzer and Prof. Thomas Kühn are sharing the vice-presidential duties she previously held. Beate Deppe remains Chancellor and Executive Director of IPU. IPU members can find more information [in the InfoCenter](#).

Deutschlandstipendium at IPU: Applications open 8 July

IPU students can apply for a Deutschlandstipendium and also join a topic-based class. The application period will run from July 8 to August 10. You can find all the information about the topic-based classes and the application process [in the InfoCenter](#).

IPU Spotlight

The doctoral thesis by Charlie Kaufhold, a research fellow at IPU Berlin, has been published. In addition, Charlie Kaufhold and Tatiana Kai-Browne have issued a call for papers for the Journal of Right-Wing Studies (JRWS). Find out more [on our Spotlight](#).

Events

26 June 2026 | 7 pm (Reception 6:30 pm)

How can people be so cruel? The central role of trauma in unconscious malignant processes in large groups

Lecture by Bernard Cullen as part of this year's DPV Culture Workshop, moderated by Prof. Joachim Küchenhoff.

More information [on our website](#).

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1 July 2026 | 4 pm | Lecture room 4 (Alt-Moabit 91b, 10557 Berlin)

Reflections on the Development Path of Psychoanalysis in China: Finding the Anchor Amidst the Tension between Fascination and Alienation

Lecture by Jianyin Qiu (Chair of the IPA Study Group of China, among other roles) during the visit of a delegation of Chinese psychotherapists to IPU Berlin.

2 July 2026 | 4:15 pm

»Schau mir in die Augen, Kleines!« – Psychoanalytische Perspektiven subjektiver Filmerfahrung

Conversation between IPU professors Benigna Gerisch and Andreas Hamburger as part of the lecture series *Einführung in psychoanalytische Medientheorien (Introduction to Psychoanalytic Media Theories)* in the Summer Semester 2026.

More information [on our website](#).

2 July 2026 | 8 pm

Radical Hope: Psychoanalysis in Iran

Lecture by Gohar Homayounpour, organized by IPU Fundraisers Association.

More information [on our website](#).

3 July 2026 | 6:15 pm

Wie ist es, psychotherapeutisch zu arbeiten?

IPU info session on site with Prof. Tamara Fischmann in Frankfurt/Main.

Registration [on our website](#).

Are you planning or organizing an IPU Berlin event?

Use our new form in the InfoCenter to register your event. All links and information can be found [here](#).

10 July 2026 | 12 pm

Webinar: Studying Psychology at IPU Berlin

Mini Lectures with Prof. Christian Sell and Dragan Šimičević

More information [on our website](#).

15 July 2026 | 4 pm | Lecture hall 3b-04

Forschungsforum

A platform for IPU researchers and students to present ongoing or completed research projects and engage in academic exchange.

More information [in the InfoCenter](#).

16 July 2026 | 4:15 pm

Freuds Diagrammatik. Zur Verteidigung des Unbewussten und der Psyche

Lecture by Szilvia Gellai (University of Vienna) as part of the lecture series *Einführung in psychoanalytische Medientheorien (Introduction to Psychoanalytic Media Theories)* in the Summer Semester 2026.

More information [on our website](#).

29 August till 5 September 2026 | 5 pm

Unsettled Times: Psychological Diagnostics and Interventions for Societies in Crisis

IPU Alumni Master Class

More information [on IPU Connect](#).

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25 September 2026 | 5 pm

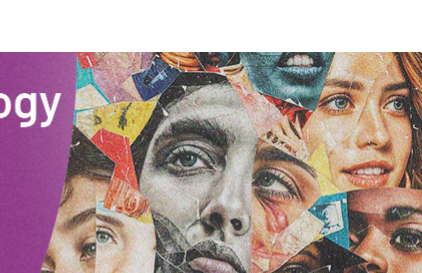
MUTTIER IV

Lecture and participatory performance.

More information coming soon to our website.

Psychoanalysis and Cultural Psychology in Contemporary Societies

New master program in German language.



A Warm Welcome to the IPU Berlin

Seda Sacu joined this month as a research assistant for a project led by Prof. Annette Klein.

Martha Betat began working in the Studies and Teaching Office in June.

Current job openings, including for student assistants, can be found regularly on our website.

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