

## Hostel and Hotel Recommendations

### Hostel Generator Berlin (Prenzlauer Berg)

<http://generatorhostels.com/de/reiseziel/berlin-prenzlauer-berg/#>

Low budget accommodation in Prenzlauer Berg (close to Friedrichshain). Convenient travel to Freie Universität Berlin in about 50 minutes by S-Bahn (circle line) and metro (line U 3). Good starting point for going out at night in Prenzlauer Berg (3 stops to S-Bahn Schönhauser Allee) or in Friedrichshain (3 stops to S-Bahn Ostkreuz). No tourist attractions nearby.

### Low Budget Hotels Motel One (different places)

<http://www.motel-one.com/de/hotels/berlin/>

A little less comfortable than other hotels, but a good option for those who wish to pay a reasonable price. There are nine Motel One houses in or near Berlin, eight of them in tourist areas. We do not recommend to book the “Dreilinden” hotel unless you travel to Berlin by car (it is situated close to Potsdam). All other hotel options should be fine. As they are located in lively areas, you can expect good public transport connections to Freie Universität Berlin (between 30 and 50 minutes).

### Hotel Allegra (Mitte)

<https://www.hotel-allegra.de/>

Nice hotel near Friedrichstraße. We recommended it to the participants of our ERASMUS network meeting a few years ago who were highly satisfied. Quiet street, but lively neighborhood just around the corner. Rather touristic area. Although the S-Bahn going from North to South (lines S 1, S 2, S 25) will not be operating at Friedrichstraße from January to May 2015, there are still good public transport connections on the East-West axis of the S-Bahn and with the U-Bahn. Convenient travel from Friedrichstraße to Freie Universität Berlin by S-Bahn (lines S 5, S 7 or S 75) and U-Bahn (lines U 9 and U 3) in 30 – 40 minutes. Tourist attractions in walking distance: Unter den Linden, Museum Island, Brandenburger Tor, Reichstag.

### Aletto Hotels Berlin (Potsdamer Platz)

<https://www.aletto.de/en/>

This Aletto hotel is located close to the Gleisdreieckpark- a favorite spot for students to party- and close to the subway station with a similar name (line U 1, U 2, U 3). Although it is named after the Potsdamer Platz, it would take around 8 minutes to travel there by public transport (2 stops). It is 30 minutes away from the Law Department. The German Museum of Technology is close by. It features exhibits of various sorts of industrial technology like trains, aircrafts and also replicas of the world's first computers.

### Maritim pro Arte Hotel (Mitte)

<https://www.maritim.com/en/hotels/germany/berlin-proarte-hotel/hotel-overview>

The Maritim pro Arte hotel is a nice hotel in Friedrichstraße and very centrally located in the touristic area. It is a convenient travel from Friedrichstraße to Freie Universität Berlin by S-Bahn (lines S 1, S 2, S 25 S 5, S 7 or S 75) and U-Bahn (lines U 6) in 30 – 40 minutes. Tourist attractions are in walking distance: Unter den Linden, Museum Island, Brandenburger Tor, Reichstag.

### Harnack House Apartments (Dahlem)

<http://www.harnackhaus-berlin.mpg.de/10982/Accommodation>

Three minutes walking distance to the Law Department. Very quiet area, but the metro line just behind the building might cause some noise. Good restaurant in the Harnack House. For a supermarket or other restaurants you have to take the metro (1 stop) or walk for 20 minutes. No tourist attractions nearby. Good if you wish to spend your evening working, studying or reading.

### Seminaris Campus Hotel (Dahlem)

<https://www.seminaris.de/hotels/tagungshotel-berlin-dahlem/>

Close to Freie Universität Berlin, but not close enough to the Law Department in order to walk here (20 – 25 minutes walk). If you wish to use public transport, you have to go by bus (1 - 2 stops) and by metro (one stop on the line U 3). Quiet area, no nightlife, but you can find a supermarket and three restaurants in walking distance.

### Private Apartments

<https://www.airbnb.de/>

<https://www.booking.com>

<https://www.hometogo.de/>

Good option if you wish to share accommodation with fellow Themis students or if you come with a colleague or your spouse. Most apartments are situated in centrally located neighborhoods, but we recommend to check out the public transport connections before you book.

### **Additional helpful websites and information:**

- <https://www.google.de/maps> or [www.stadtplandienst.de](http://www.stadtplandienst.de) (electronic maps)
- <https://www.bvg.de/en> (public transport)
- <https://ber.berlin-airport.de/en.html> (airport)
- <http://www.berlin.de/en/> (official website of the city administration with information on tourist attractions, events, shopping, restaurants and bars, etc.)