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Berlin, 2nd October 2019

"30th Anniversary of the Peaceful Revolution – Fall of the Berlin Wall" – Media accreditation for 9 November and information on reporting for the festival week

Ladies and Gentlemen,

We cordially invite you to report on a week of festivities to mark the 30th anniversary of Germany's Peaceful Revolution and the fall of the Berlin Wall. From 4 to 10 November, Berlin will mark this pivotal historic moment at seven locations associated with the Peaceful Revolution of 1989 – the Gethsemane Church, Alexanderplatz, the Brandenburg Gate, Kurfürstendamm, the former Stasi headquarters, Schlossplatz and the East Side Gallery. Open-air exhibitions, large-scale 3D video projections, an art installation at the Brandenburg Gate, and over two hundred public events will take place throughout the city.

The festivities will culminate in a large stage show at the Brandenburg Gate on the evening of 9 November. The **Staatskapelle Berlin**, under the baton of **Daniel Barenboim**, will open the show, which will also feature numerous protagonists of the Peaceful Revolution, contemporary witnesses, musicians (including DJ WestBam), performers and various people who inspire others through their courage in standing up for justice.

You will find more detailed information about media accreditation for the stage show on 9 November below:

The **stage show at the Brandenburg Gate** from 5:30 pm to 10 pm on Saturday, 9 November will be free of charge and open to the public. The public television channel ZDF will broadcast from 6 pm to 8:15 pm live from the Brandenburg Gate.

Please note that, for safety reasons, no objects larger than DIN A4 (29.7 cm x 21 cm) may be carried into the festival grounds!

If, for the purposes of reporting, you wish to take cameras, photographic equipment or other equipment into the festival grounds or to enter the designated media areas (TV commentary podiums, parking spaces for OB/SNG vehicles, media work stations, stage pits), you must fulfil the following accreditation form till 15 Oct 2019:

<https://kulturprojekteberlin.typeform.com/to/kYAspD>

Please note that charges apply for OB/SNG vehicles using electricity and internet. Details can be found in the online media accreditation form.

Below you will find further information on media accreditation for the entire festival week:

The festival programme, encompassing all seven days and locations as well as the stage show, is open and free of charge to the public. Attendance of these events does not require further accreditation. However, we want to support you, our media partners, in reporting on this event, and the information you provide in the accreditation form about your needs and planning will be useful in this regard.

Please note that, should you require a power connection before or after 9 November, you must inform of this by 15 October. The same costs will apply as for 9 November. We will not be able to provide an internet connection, so you must either provide this on your own initiative or through us.

Parking spaces for OB/SNG vehicles are limited at all venues. Please inform us by 15 October should you require a parking space.

Different conditions apply to the concert with Patti Smith and Tony Shanahan in the Gethsemane Church on 5 November. Please contact us directly to receive media accreditation for this event.

The complete programme of the festival week can be found at www.mauerfall30.berlin.
The programme for 9 November will be published during the week of 7–11 October.

For enquiries related to media accreditation: Press contact at Kulturprojekte Berlin:
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Media Partner: ZDF and rbb

Further information:

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Everything you need to know – Fact sheet on media accreditation

All deadlines at a glance:

Tues., 15 October: Register to broadcast (OB vehicles/live reports etc.) from the Brandenburg Gate
Tues., 15 October: Apply for power connection at all venues and dates
Tues., 15. October: Apply for internet connection at all venues and dates

The full programme for festival week can be found online and the programme for 9 November will be published during the week beginning 7 October at www.mauerfall30.berlin.

Required accreditation for 9 November:

Accreditation for reporters who require access to designated media areas (OB/SNG vehicle parking spaces, TV commentary podium, media split, stage pits, press work stations)
(deadline: 15 October 2019): kulturprojekteberlin.typeform.com/to/nU5zUUU

Pool material from stage show:

ZDF will broadcast from 6 pm to 8:15 pm live at the Brandenburg Gate, providing pool material in German free of charge, provided that the user acknowledges copyright. The pool signal will be provided solely as a satellite signal in HD 1080i.

To order and for further details, please contact:
Norbert Tannenberg, Tannenberg.N@zdf.de

Technical requirements for all locations:

Please note that charges apply for the use of electrical power from 4–10 November:

Deadline to apply for a power connection at the Brandenburg Gate: 15 October

Deadline to apply for a power connection at other festival venues: 15 October

A TV commentary podium will be available at the Brandenburg Gate on the evening of 9 November.

16CEE connection: 180€ (net) at the vehicle parking space
16CEE connection: 180€ (net) at the TV commentary podium
32CEE connection: 280€ (net) at the vehicle parking space
32CEE connection: 280€ (net) at the TV commentary podium
63CEE connection: 420€ (net) at the vehicle parking space
63CEE connection: 420€ (net) at the TV commentary podium

Please note that internet/data line/WLAN will not be provided by the event organizer:

(Except at the press work stations at the Brandenburg Gate on 9 November, where an internet connection for laptop computers will be provided.)

If you need an event telephone/iNetwork connection, please indicate this in the accreditation form accordingly. This will incur costs.

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