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## The big night is almost upon us... the Long Night of Museums kicks off next week! Everything you need to know for the night

Go on an odyssey through Berlin at night and experience in 75 museums a multifaceted programme on the theme of love – all information on routes, late-night special events and how to get there.

During the Long Night, museums, exhibition venues and planetariums throughout the city will open their doors from 18:00, inviting everyone to experience speedy tours, workshops, concerts, readings, performances and DJ sets. At the Long Night's <u>central meeting point</u> on the Museum Island, all the museums will be open, accompanied by live music performances together with a wide variety of regional street food and refreshments. In addition, Long Night staff will be on hand throughout the event to give guests tips and advice on the extensive programme.

<u>Shuttle buses on four designated routes</u>, as well as Berlin's public transport, will be ferrying visitors to museums all over the city. The Yellow Line in the north, for instance, which is particularly suitable for families, will again be serviced by vintage BVG buses.

From 23:00, visitors can experience extraordinary late-night special events: at the Jewish Museum, a masked ball with the theme "Creative Love" involving self-designed masks and electro beats promises an exhilarating party; at the Natural History Museum, podcasters will be imparting curious facts about the love between birds in their talk on "Bird Love: Among Lovebirds and Starlings"; and at the Werkbundarchiv – Museum of Things, art historian Dr Heide Rezepa-Zabel, known from the ZDF TV show "Bares für Rares" ("Cash or Trash"), will be putting a value on some of the favourite objects brought along by visitors. The interdisciplinary performance by Olympia Bukkakis at the Museum of Communication – equally inspired by Bach's "Cello Suites" and Britney Spears's "Toxic" – will be a wild dance experience, using drag, dance and music to open up new perspectives on gender (and intercourse) and its cultural significance.

On the website <a href="https://langenachtdermuseen.berlin/en/">https://langenachtdermuseen.berlin/en/</a>, visitors can explore the complete Long Night programme in advance and plan individual routes — an interactive map together with extensive filter functions will help them put together the perfect programme from the roughly 750 events. There are special suggestions for routes on the theme of love — such as the "Route about and against Lovesickness" or the routes "Lovestruck through Berlin" and "The Sound of Love". Those who find it difficult to make up their minds might want to try out the <a href="Museo-Mat">Museo-Mat</a> to discover what type of museum visitor they are and get some appropriate recommendations.





## **Tickets**

The early-bird phase is over: tickets now cost 23 euros – with a reduced price of 17 euros. There's free entrance for children up to the age of 12, but they need to get hold of a free children's ticket. The ticket is valid for admission to all participating museums and use of the Long Night shuttle buses. Tickets are available in the <u>online shop</u>, at the Berlin Tourist Info Centres in the Humboldt Forum, at Berlin Central Station, at the Brandenburg Gate and at Berlin-Brandenburg BER Airport; during the Long Night, tickets are also available at all participating museums.

Visual material, helpful overview lists, special routes, tips and other information are available in the <u>press</u> <u>section</u>.

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