

Dear Germanist and language colleague,

Today we bring you news of:

1. the winners of the Oxford German Olympiad, and
2. a fantastic free CPD Berlin trip for History teachers - so please do pass this one on to your colleagues!

1. Oxford German Olympiad - winners collect prizes!

This year, the Oxford German Olympiad explored German peoples, language and culture beyond the borders of Germany. We asked students across the UK to think about where German is spoken throughout the world in all its variants and how it got to all those places, as well as modern German-speaking migrants and the texts and opinions they take with them.

We were amazed by all the wonderfully creative submissions we have received, and we thank every one of you, and your students, for taking part. We're delighted to announce all the winners - and while you're here, why not take a look at some of their work as well?

Round 1:

<https://oxfordgermannetwork.wordpress.com/2017/06/21/deutsche-jenseits-von-deutschland-the-winners/>

Round 2:

<https://oxfordgermannetwork.wordpress.com/2017/06/22/wiener-library-camden-house-kafkaesque-hc-artmann-round-2-winners/>

2. Free CPD trip for British History teachers to Berlin

Now for an exciting opportunity for History teachers!

The German Embassy London together with the German Foreign Office organises a professional development tour for British teachers of history to Berlin, Germany from 15 - 21 October 2017.

Deadline for applications: 8th September 2017.

The purpose of the trip is to give participants a wide-ranging

impression of present-day Germany, and Berlin in particular, as a background for teaching German history.

The trip will include highlights of contemporary Berlin, talks with history teachers and teachers' associations, a visit to the Federal Foreign Ministry, the Jewish Museum, the German Historical Museum, a tour of the Reichstag, and more. The tour will be conducted in English. All costs relating to the trip (incl. flight and accommodation) will be covered by the German Federal Foreign Office.

For more information and an application form click here:

[http://www.uk.diplo.de/History teacher tour](http://www.uk.diplo.de/History_teacher_tour)

Please feel free to forward this email to your colleagues. The direct link to join our networking database and subscribe to occasional emails with updates from the world of German learning and teaching is:

<http://www.ogn.ox.ac.uk/german-survey>

As ever, we're always pleased to hear your feedback and comments. Please email ogn@mod-langs.ox.ac.uk, and also check out our website and Facebook page (links below).

Mit vielen lieben Grüßen

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