

### **Who is behind the Jüdische Kunstschule Berlin (JKB, Jewish Art School Berlin)?**

The JKB is a project by the Institut für Neue Soziale Plastik in cooperation with the University of the Arts (UdK) and the Jewish Student Union Germany (JSUD). It is funded by the Berlin Senate Department for Culture and Social Cohesion.

### **Why do we need a Jewish Art School?**

After October 7, 2023, it became evident that there is a problem with antisemitism in parts of the art sector. The Jewish Art School is an artistic response to this. The Jewish Art School Berlin aims to promote artistic exchange and develop new perspectives on the art and cultural sector.

### **How much does it cost?**

The program is free of charge for you. The JKB is financially supported by the Senate Department for Culture and Social Cohesion.

### **Do I need to be Jewish to apply to the Jewish Art School Berlin?**

No, you do not need to be Jewish or an expert on antisemitism to apply to the JKB. An interest in Jewish topics is sufficient.

### **Is there an age limit?**

If you are up to 39 years old, you are considered a young adult with us.

### **I'm no longer a student. Can I still participate?**

Yes, absolutely. Alumni and professionals with relevant artistic experience are also welcome.

### **Do I have to work on a specific topic?**

No, you can choose your own topics. You do not have to work on antisemitism.

### **Can I participate in just one event?**

Yes, you can register for only one workshop/masterclass. However, you should attend all the specified days and be present at the final event on February 2, 2025, in Berlin.

### **Can I participate in offers from different genres?**

Yes, that is possible and encouraged. We love cross-genre crossover.

**I cannot be there on February 2 for the final event. Can I still apply?**

That's very unfortunate. However, you can still attend one of the workshops that do not include a performance or similar activity at the end, where your presence would be required.

**Can I apply without a project idea?**

Simple answer: Yes. The project idea can also develop from within the workshop.

**Where do the individual events take place?**

The workshops take place at different locations in Berlin, depending on the genres. After successful registration, you will receive the exact location for your classes.

**Do I have to live in Berlin to participate in the Jewish Art School Berlin?**

No, interested people from outside of Berlin are also welcome.

**I don't live in Berlin. What about travel and accommodation costs?**

We are happy to assist you in finding accommodation. We also have a limited budget to financially support accommodations for students from outside Berlin. Please contact us about this.

**Will I receive a certificate at the end?**

All participants will receive a certificate of participation after presenting their work at the final event.

**Can I earn credits/points for my regular studies?**

No, we are not yet recognized for that. However, you will receive a certificate of completion from the JKB after successful participation.