Fall 2022 TuTh 1:00-2:15pm CL 339
German 1104/Soc. Scie. I:

*Test the West: Germany after World War II*

This course explores the rebuilding of West Germany’s democracy and collective identity after World War II through historiographic texts and current audio-visual media.

Topics include:
- weight of the past (failure of Weimar Republic, Holocaust
- influence of US popular culture and German-American relations
- significance of the economy and peace for Germany today
- theories of identity formation in the field of history.

All materials and language of instruction **GERMAN**!

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