

**Course title:** Germany after 1945: The Constitutional and Political System

**Course code:** MGE0934

**Type of course:** compulsory

**Level of course:** MA

**Year of study:** 2<sup>nd</sup>

**Semester:** 3<sup>rd</sup>

**Number of ECTS credits allocated:** 6

**Name of the lecturer:** Tanja Sanden

**Course objective:** The course, held in German, focuses on analyzing in detail the development of the Federal Republic of Germany in the period after 1945 up to the present days.

**Course contents:** The main focus is on aspects of culture and literature as well as of economy and civilisation. Contents will be presented through appropriate text material. The students are encouraged to prepare a presentation on one of the course subjects and write an essay to demonstrate their capacity of writing a scientific work as well as of processing complex information. The lecturer intends to observe an interactive methodology.

For tests, students shall make use of information acquired during lectures.

**Recommended reading:** will be provided at the beginning of the term

**Teaching methods:** lectures

**Assessment methods:** home assignments; final (written) test and paper

**Language of instruction:** German