

## Meisterkurs: The Shadow of God. Humboldt-Universität 22-26 July 2024

Dear Colleagues,

We are writing to tell you about a *Meisterkurs* that will take place at the Humboldt-Universität from Monday 22 July till Friday 26 July. It will be led by Michael Rosen (Harvard University and HU, Berlin) and J.-P. Sandmann (Harvard University and FU, Berlin).

The subject-matter of the course will be Rosen's 2022 book *The Shadow of God: Kant, Hegel and the Passage from Heaven to History* (Cambridge, MA: Harvard University Press). The book is a re-interpretation and contextualization of Classical German Philosophy, focusing particularly on the ideas of history and freedom. Here is a link to a page with materials about the book:

<https://scholar.harvard.edu/michaelrosen/shadow>

The broader background to the project is explained in Rosen's interview for 3:16am magazine:

<https://www.3-16am.co.uk/articles/philosophising-under-the-shadow-of-god>

All participants are welcome, both students and visitors to Berlin. Those wishing to take the course for credit, however, must make an active contribution to it in the form of a short discussion contribution.

The course schedule is posted on the course's Moodle site:

<https://hu.berlin/meisterkurs2024>

To access the site, you must have a Humboldt-Universität Moodle account, creatable here – <https://moodle.hu-berlin.de/> – and be logged in.

We would be grateful if all those interested in taking part in the course, whether for credit or not, register in advance with Ms Antonia Augsbach ([antonia.augsbach@student.hu-berlin.de](mailto:antonia.augsbach@student.hu-berlin.de)) who is the course's administrative assistant.

Michael Rosen  
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