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The political impact influenced by the Berlin Wall on the architecture of the surrounding buildings

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THE BERLIN WALL

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A1: The Berlin Wall

*Figure 1 Divided Berlin East and West. Nuberlin.
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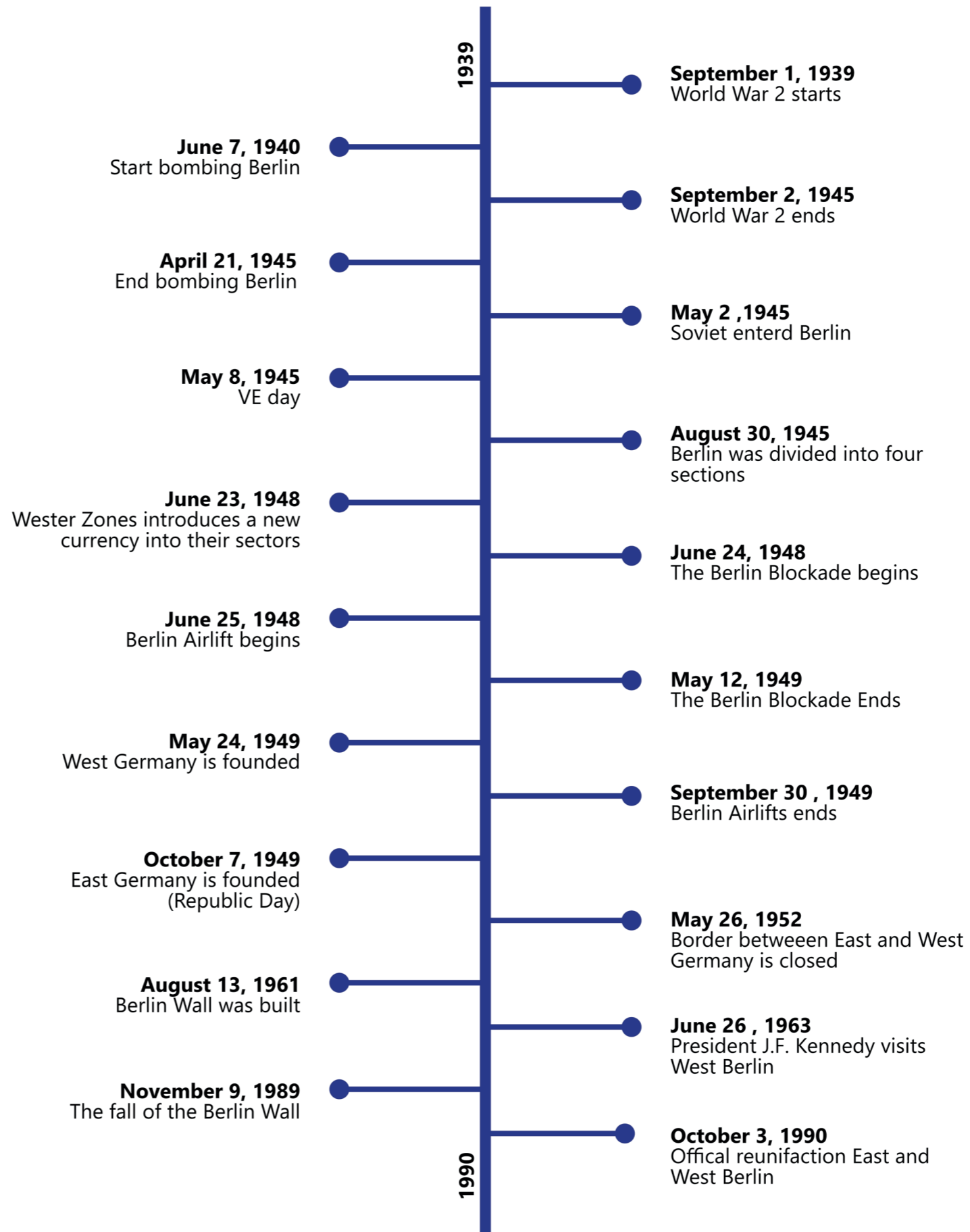
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A2: Timeline Berlin

This timeline is an overview of events that will be discussed in chapter 1.

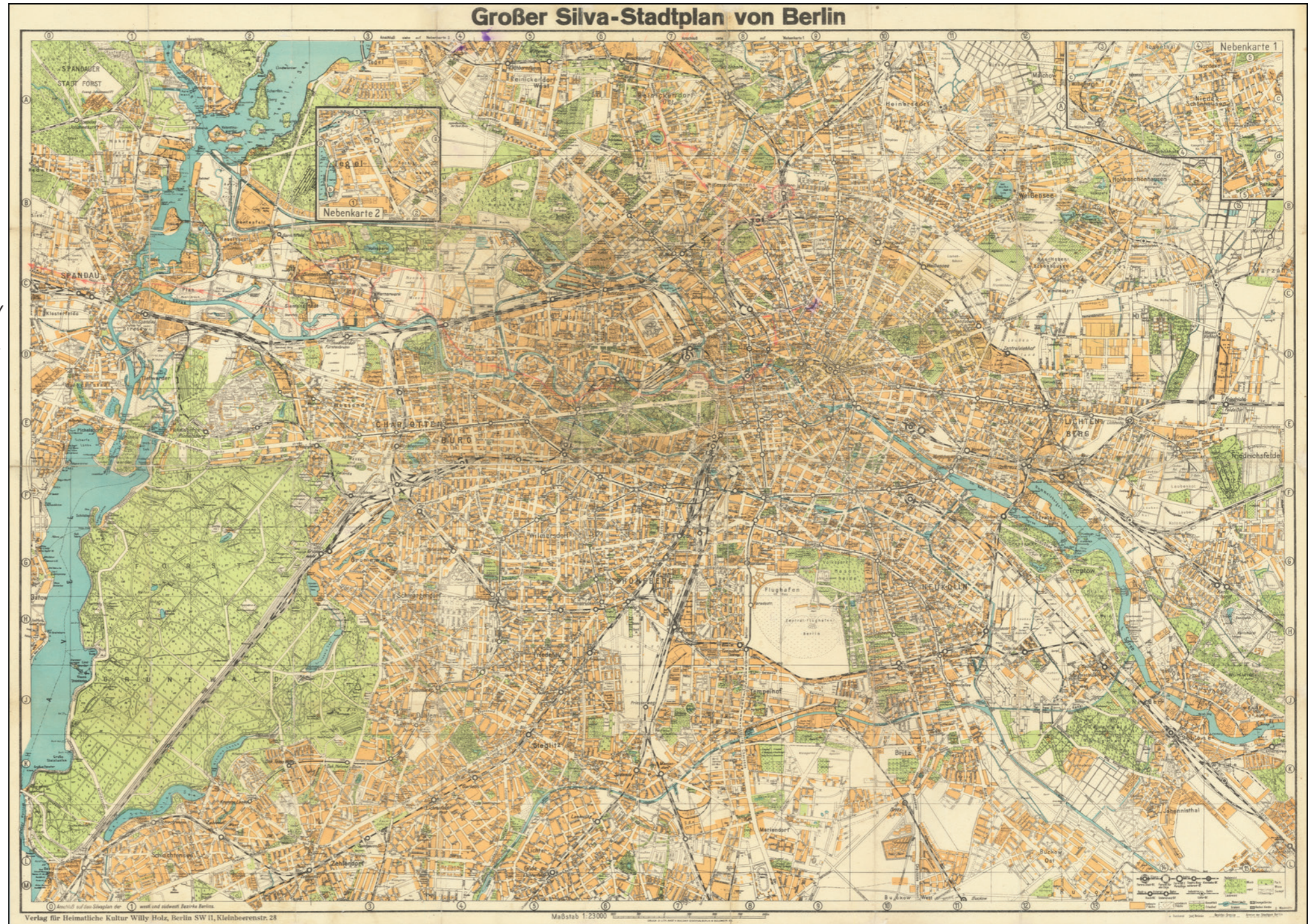
Figure 2: Luca Laponder, LJF (2023). Timeline Berlin.
Own design



A3: Grosser Stadtplan Berlin

Before the Second World War started in 1939, Berlin was growing. This map shows the latest developments in Berlin before the War started. Around this time Berlin was at its peak of growth. The city expanded and the infrastructure improved over time

Figure 3: Silva, (1939). Grosser Stadtplan Berlin. Photograph. Berliner- stadtplansammlung. <https://berliner-stadtplansammlung.de/index.php/karten/einzelblaetter/item/4849-1938-grosser-silva-stadtplan-von-berlin>



A4: Berlin Bombings

This is after the bombing had stopped in 1945. The map is made in black and white to highlight which buildings were destroyed. All black buildings are the remains of the standing buildings in this area. Tiergarten is the center of this map and it shows that it was totally destroyed.

Figure 4: Australian War Memorial, (1944). Berlin Germany 1944. Photograph. Awm. <https://www.awm.gov.au/collection/C225581>



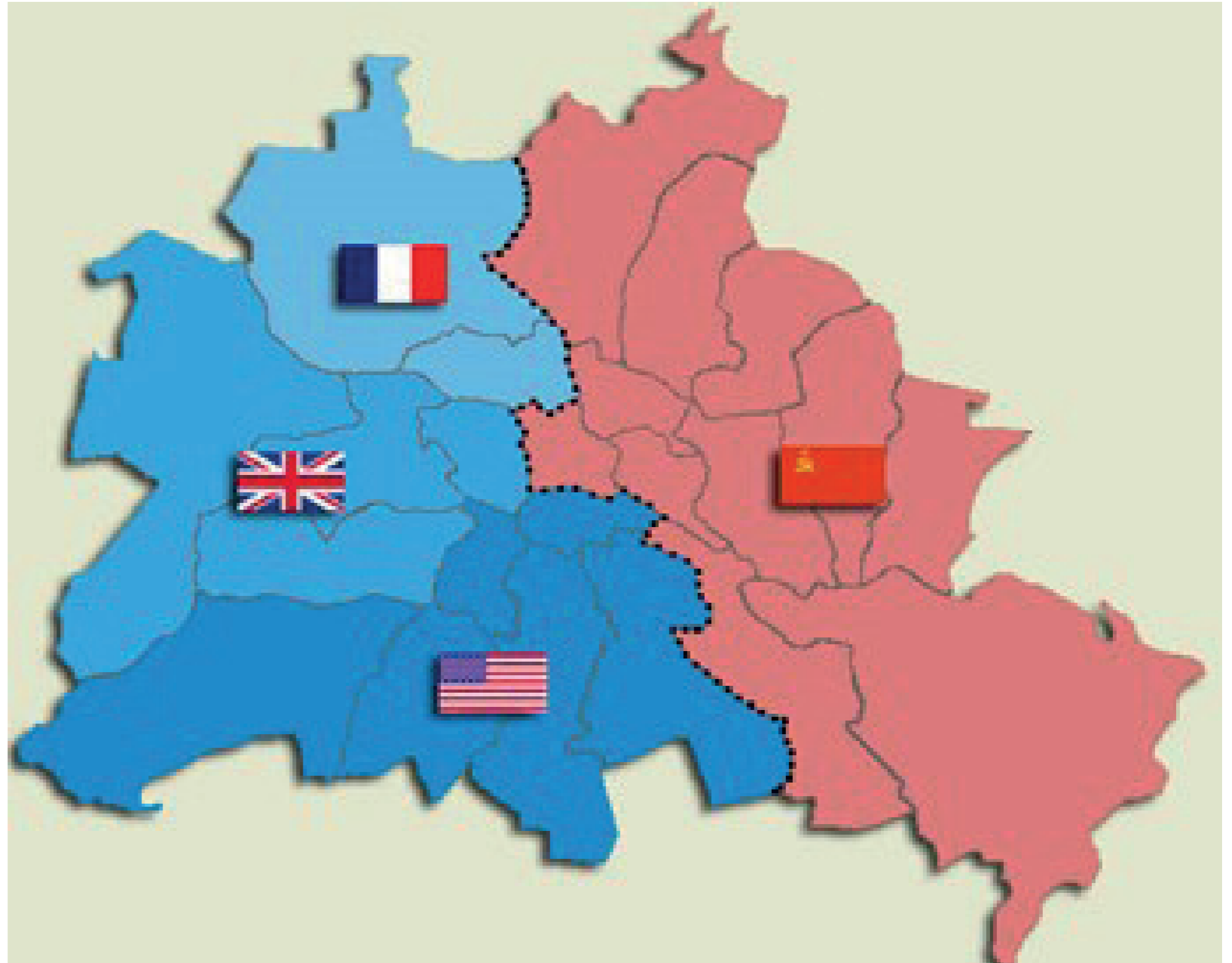
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A5: Allies Sectors Berlin

This map gives a quick overview how the different districts in Berlin were divided under the four allies. The allies consisted out of United States, Britain, France, and the Soviet Union.

Figure 5: Allied Sectors Berlin. Photograph. Western-allies-berlin.<http://western-allies-berlin.com/maps/sectors/sectors>



A6: East and West Berlin

West Berlin is a piece of land that is surrounded by the other party. We can also spot the different airports on the West Side. There are three different airports in West Berlin. This is because West Berlin consisted of a French, British, and American sector. Also is East Berlin visible in this map. This maps shows that Berlin is a city on its own compared with its surroundings.

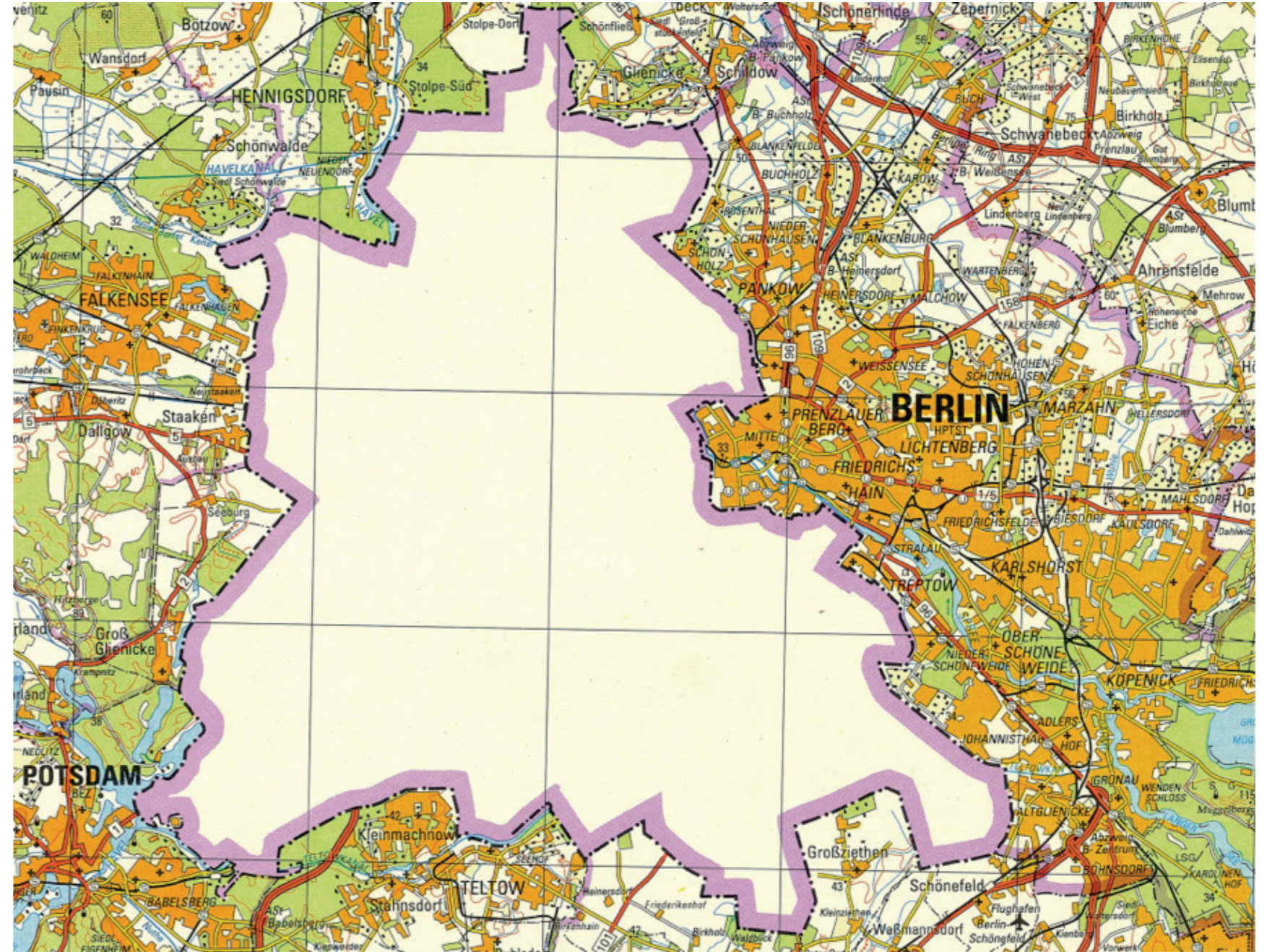
Figure 6: Berlin. Photograph. Berlijnsemuur. <https://www.berlijnsemuur.info/ontstaan-van-de-tweedeling/>



A7: Map East Berlin

West Berlin is a blank part in this map. The government chooses to not show it to its people on the East side. They live separately and in private.

Figure 7: (1988). East German Map of West Berlin. Photograph. Brilliantmaps. <https://brilliantmaps.com/east-german-west-berlin/>



A8: View of the Kulturforum

This picture is taken in 1966, we see that the St. Matthew Church is still standing after the bombings and we see the newly built Philharmonic building. It shows that the surroundings of this area are still empty because of the bombings. It also shows that they are working hard to create a new cultural heart.

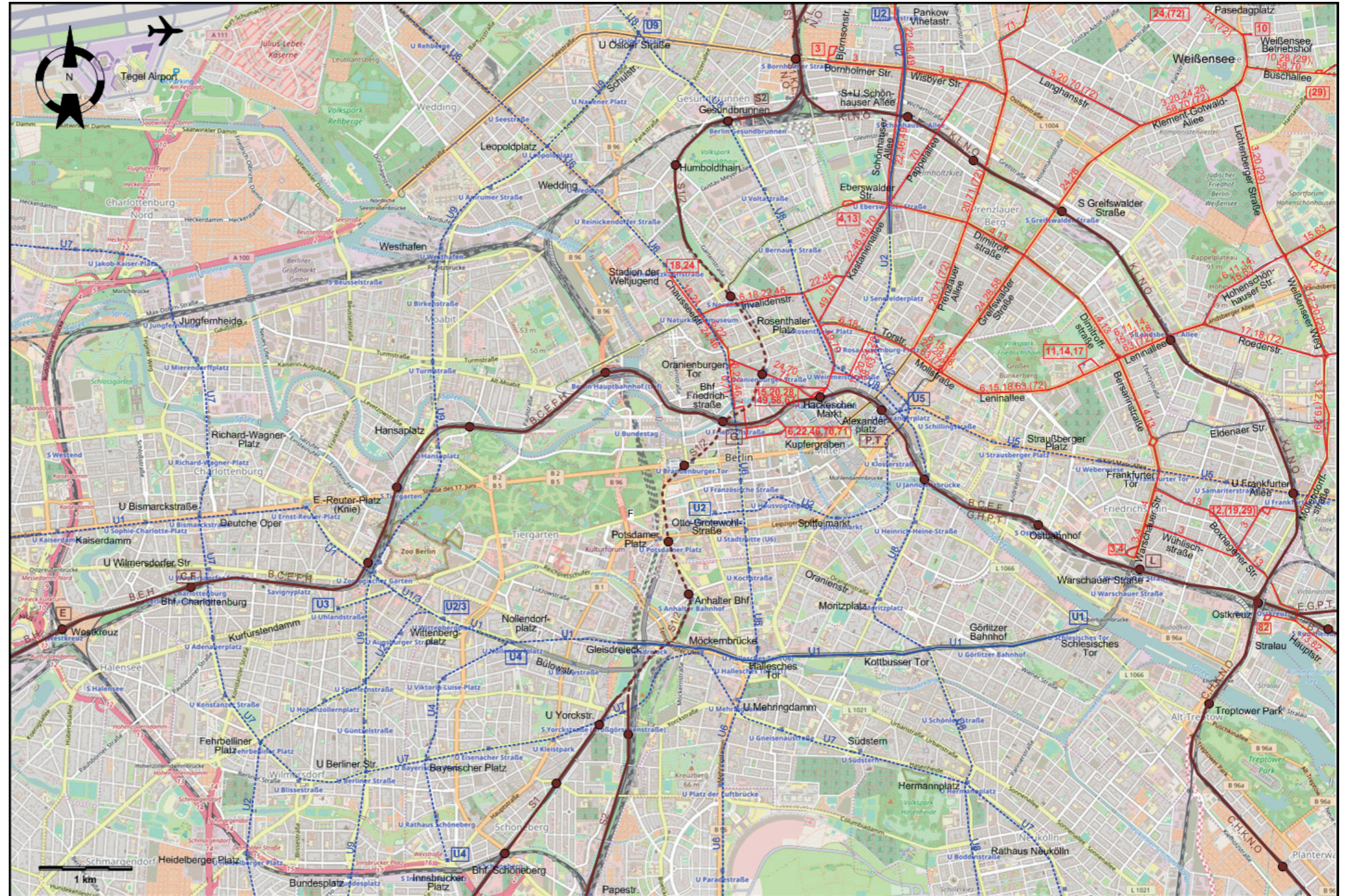
Figure 8: Koehler, (1966). View of the Kulturforum. Photograph. Nationalgalerie20. <https://www.nationalgalerie20.de/en/kulturforum/geschichte-des-kulturforums>



A9: Berlin metro lines after the wall

This map shows the connected metro system of Berlin. The metro is now connected on both sides of the city. It shows that the city is healing from the wall.

Figure 9: (1990). General Berlin Map. Photograph. Tundria. <http://www.tundria.com/trams/DEU/Berlin-1990.shtml#Sources>

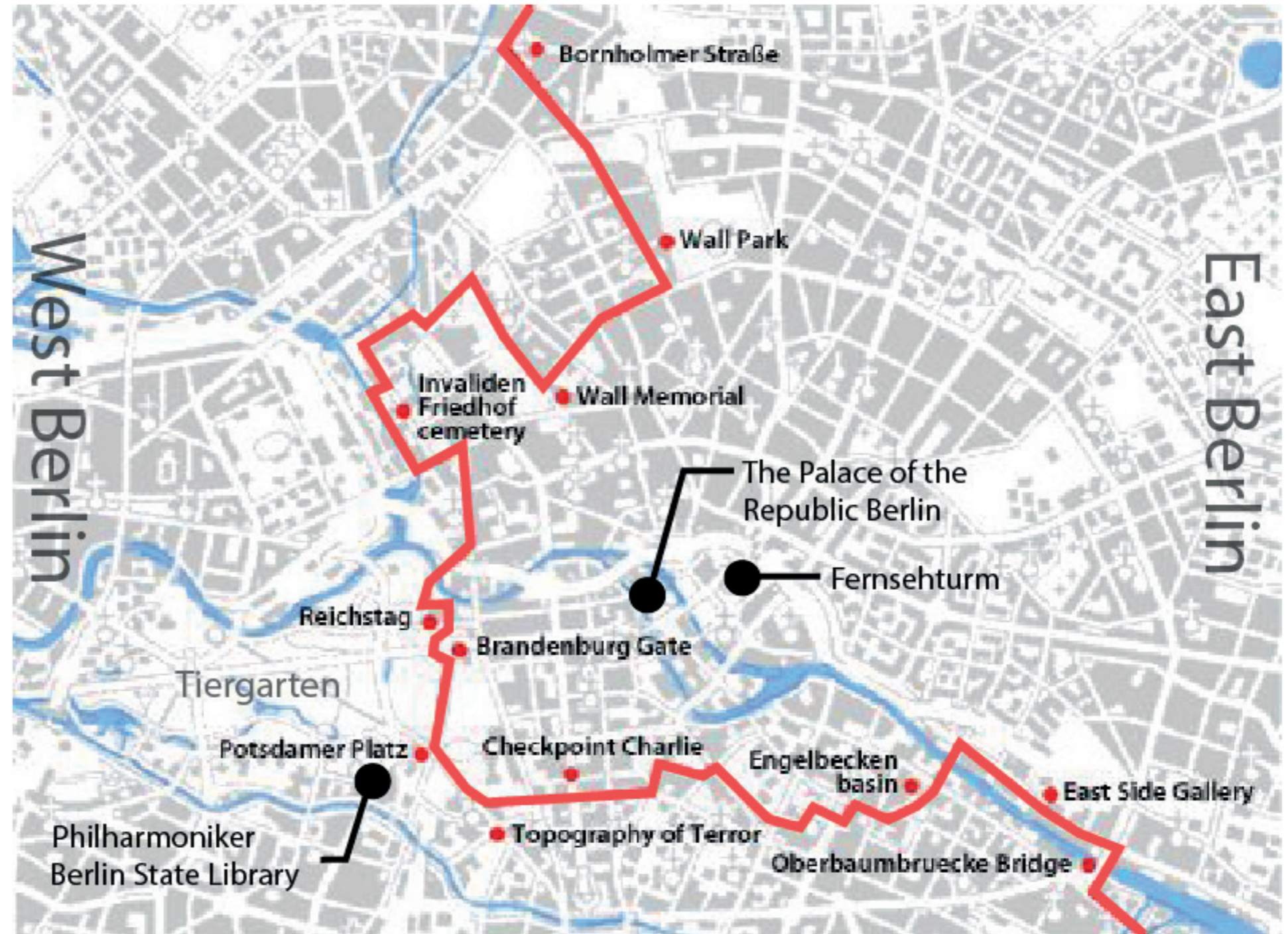


A10: Case study locations

The existing map of the important buildings has been changed to show where the Berlin wall is located combined with the used case studies. This gives a good perspective how close the projects are to each other.

Figure 10: Lponder, LJF. (2023). Case study locations. Own design

Underlayer used is: Photograph. Pinterest. <https://nl.pinterest.com/pin/680958406127643303/>



A11: Districts

This map shows which districts were part of East Germany. What is not visible is that the district Mitte is divided between the both sides. Some of the boarder districts were split in half because of the wall.

Figure 11: Districts East Berlin 1986-1
Photograph. Wikipedia. <https://nl.wikipedia/wiki/Oost-Berlijn>



A12: Kulturforum

Highlighted map of the Kulturforum in Berlin.

Figure 12: Laponder, L.J.F. (2023). Kulturforum. Own Design

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