

GERMANY 2: DIVIDED BERLIN & IRON CURTAIN

Discuss Readings

Berlin as Epicenter of Cold War

Removing the rubble from central Berlin, 1945-52
 First reconstruction plans by Hans Scharoun & Team, 1946ff
 Marshall Plan & Nato, 1948-49
 Berlin Blockade & Airlift, 1948 – increasing division of Berlin

DDR

- Soviet embassy, People's Palaces, Soviet Classicism / Realism
- * GDR, "16 Principles for the Restructuring of Cities," 1948 (cf. Ockman reading!)
- * Stalinallee & East Berlin, by Henselmann, Paulick, Ulbricht, et al, Berlin, 1951-3 (cf. Anxious Mod.)
 - Soviet Realism & Master Planning
 - Lomonossov University, Rudnew et al, Moscow, 1947-52
 - Turn to Modernism, City in the Park & "Plattenbau" (panel building) ca. 1954
 - Plattenbau
 - Marzahn, 1970s vs. Gropiusstadt, Gropius, 1962ff

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- Ernst Reuter Platz & Auto-correct City
- Interbau: Hansaviertel & "The City of Tomorrow" exhibits, 1955-7 (Frampton p.202)
 - Hansaviertel Buildings by: Gropius, Aalto, Ruf, Eiermann, Niemeyer, Bakema,
 - Unite Berlin, Le Corbusier, 1957
- * Berlin Hauptstadt Competition (Proj.), A.&P. Smithson, Le Corbusier, et al, 1958 (Frampton p.275)

Wolfsburg - VW Factory & town

Eisenhüttenstadt - Ironworks & Twon

