

The Department of German & The German Living-Learning Community Present:

GERMAN MOVIE NIGHT



Der Himmel über Berlin *Wings of Desire*

(Wim Wenders, 1987)

Wednesday, Oct. 8, 2014 at 8pm
German House, 172 College Avenue, Room 102

The sky over Wenders' war-scarred Berlin is full of gentle, trenchcoated angels who listen to the tortured thoughts of mortals and try to comfort them. One, Damiel (Bruno Ganz), wishes to become mortal after falling in love with a beautiful trapeze artist, Marion (Solveig Dommartin). Peter Falk, as himself, assists in the transformation by explaining the simple joys of a human experience, such as the sublime combination of coffee and cigarettes. Ultimately, Damiel determines that he must experience humanity in full, and breaks through in to the real world to pursue a life with Marion.

A hugely acclaimed and multi-award winning movie including Best Director for Wenders at Cannes 1987; which was remade in 1998 into *City of Angels* starring Nicolas Cage and Meg Ryan. (OFFICIAL WEBSITE)

Trailer: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=lc8iGldv80o>

All movies shown at the German Movie Night have English subtitles. Admission is free, and the door is open to everyone. Free pizza will be served!

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