

Press Kit

Falk Karrasch – „Lost in Berlin. Berlin nightlife between freedom, intoxication and displacement“

PROFILE

Falk Karrasch – author, bartender, Berlin. Focus areas: nightlife, freedom, exclusion, bodyshaming, loss, self-worth, drugs and intoxication, queer realities. Publication date „Lost in Berlin“: 1 December 2026.

SHORT BIO

Short bio (approx. 60 words)

I was born on 25 March 1989 in Weissenfels and live and work in Berlin. After two vocational trainings and roughly ten years in Leipzig – including work as a model, among others for Chanel – I moved to Berlin, where I work as a bartender. I write about Berlin nightlife not as an observer but from inside the scene.

LONG BIO

I was born on 25 March 1989 in Weissenfels, Saxony-Anhalt. After leaving school I completed two vocational trainings – as a restaurant specialist and as a retail salesman. At 18 I moved to Leipzig, where I came into close contact with nightlife, music, fashion and diverse scenes. For a time I worked internationally as a model, including for Chanel. After roughly ten years in Leipzig I moved to Berlin. As a bartender I experience club culture from the inside – at bars, on dance floors, behind the scenes and in countless encounters. I began writing out of a need to process my experiences and to make visible topics that society often keeps silent about.

ABOUT THE BOOK

„Lost in Berlin“ is a non-fiction book about Berlin nightlife between freedom, intoxication and displacement. It asks how free a night can be when even intoxication becomes a commodity – and what a city loses when its subculture turns into an international product. Tourism, commerce and rising costs threaten exactly the free spaces for which Berlin is famous worldwide.

INTERVIEW TOPICS

Door policy between protection and exclusion
Awareness as responsibility, not marketing
Drugs, intoxication and responsibility at night
Queer safer spaces and their displacement
Commercialisation and club closures in Berlin

QUOTES

Free to use

„Freedom is not recklessness.“ „Berlin showed me how free a person can be – and how quickly freedom can be lost.“

OTHER BOOKS

„Bodyshaming in the LGBTQ+ Community“ – a non-fiction book on beauty ideals, discrimination, social pressure, self-worth and self-acceptance within the queer community.

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