

Film title

Next Door

Tagline

East Berlin meets West Berlin in the pub. One asks the other...

Short synopsis

In a seemingly chance encounter, the movie star Daniel is being confronted by Bruno, one of reunified and gentrified Berlin's losers. He knows everything about Daniel -and is bent on revenge. Directed by and starring Daniel Brühl in his directional debut.

Long synopsis

Berlin, the Prenzlauer Berg district. Daniel is a movie star accustomed to success. His loft apartment is stylish and so is his wife, and the nanny has the children under control. Everything is tip-top, bilingual and ready for him to jet off to an audition in London where a role in an American superhero film awaits the celebrated German-Spanish actor. Popping into the local bar on the corner, he finds Bruno sitting there. As transpires by the minute, Bruno has been waiting for this moment for a long time. And so this eternally overlooked man - one of reunification's losers and a victim of the gentrification of what was once East Berlin - takes his revenge. With Daniel as his target...

Technical information and credits

Original title: Nebenan
English title: Next Door
Year: 2021
Country: Germany, USA
Language: de, en
Subtitles: cz
Running time: 92 min
Dostupnost: 12+

Genre: Comedy
Directed by: Daniel Brühl
Written by: Daniel Kehlmann
Edited by: Marty Schenk
Cinematography: Jens Harant
Sound by: Moritz Friedrich, Jakob Grunert

Awards

Berlinale IFF - Main competition - 2021
Art Film Festival - Nomination | Best Film - 2021

Actors

Daniel Brühl, Peter Kurth, Aenne Schwarz, Vicky Krieps

Films partners

