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### Professional experience

- 2020 – present   **Professor** speciality Forensic Genetics, John Jay College of Criminal Justice, Dept. of Sciences and Director of the Master of Science in Forensic Science Program at John Jay College of Criminal Justice, Dept. of Sciences
- 2013 – 2020   **Associate Professor** speciality Forensic Genetics, John Jay College of Criminal Justice, Dept. of Sciences  
Serving as the **Director of the Master of Science in Forensic Science Program**. Member of the Doctoral Faculty of the John Jay and CUNY Graduate Center PhD program in Criminal Justice. Teaching and research on topics relevant to forensic science, and forensic genetics. Research mentor for undergraduate and graduate students. Directing the MS in Forensic Science program, which includes student advisement, recruiting, curriculum review and assessment.
- 2006 – 2013   **Director**, Office of the Chief Medical Examiner, Dept. of Forensic Biology  
Responsible for overall laboratory administration and compliance with all applicable accreditation and quality assurance standards. Actively directed casework, training, validation, and research aspects of DNA testing on evidence in criminal casework, for body identifications, and genetic predisposition for sudden unexplained death syndromes.
- 1999 - 2006   **Assistant Director**, Office of the Chief Medical Examiner, Department of Forensic Biology  
Managed and reviewed DNA case work in connection with homicides, rape cases, body identifications and other criminal cases processed using a variety of methods including mitochondrial DNA and low template DNA testing. Research coordinator responsible for validation and implementation of new technologies, including methods used in the disaster victim identification of the 9/11 World Trade Center attack and American Airline flight 587.
- 1995 - 1999   **Forensic Scientist (Criminalist IV)**, Office of the Chief Medical Examiner, Department of Forensic Biology  
Supervised and performed DNA case work in connection with homicide and rape cases; served as expert witness in court. In charge of the validation and implementation of various STR multiplexes including establishment and testing of relevant allele frequency databases for all autosomal and Y-chromosomal polymorphisms.
- 1994 - 1995   **Postdoctoral Research Fellow** at the Office of Chief Medical Examiner, Department of Forensic Biology  
Research projects involved direct sequencing of autosomal microsatellite alleles and Y chromosome specific STRs.

1987 - 1994	<b>Research Scientist</b> at the Institute of Legal Medicine, University of Cologne; Head of the DNA laboratory; Established and managed a laboratory for forensic DNA analysis (paternity and identity testing) using RFLP and PCR techniques.
1986	<b>Research Assistant</b> at the Institute of Legal Medicine, University of Cologne; Assisted with a research project on prescription drugs and traffic safety
1985	<b>Consultant</b> for the Office for Environmental Protection, City of Cologne
1984	<b>Teaching Assistant</b> at the Botanical Institute, University of Cologne
<b>Education</b>	
1987-1991	<b>University of Ulm, Germany</b> , Department of Anthropology, PhD in Human Biology
1977-1985	<b>University of Cologne, Germany</b> , M. Sc. in Biology

#### **Professional Affiliations**

International Society for Forensic Genetics (ISFG) - Member  
 American Association of Forensic Scientists (AAFS) - Fellow  
 American Society of Crime Laboratory Directors (ASCLD) - Academic Member  
 North Eastern Association of Forensic Scientists (NEAFS) - Member

#### **Editorial Boards**

Journal of Forensic Sciences  
 Forensic Science International Genetics  
 International Journal of Legal Medicine  
 (Guest peer reviewer for e.g. Electrophoresis, Nature Scientific Reports, PlosONE, Science and Justice, Rapid Communications in Mass Spectrometry)

#### **Training Received**

Workshop on: Probabilistic Genotyping and Mixture Statistics using the Open Source Software LRmix Studio and EuroForMix, 27<sup>th</sup> Congress of the International Society for Forensic Genetics. Seoul, Republic of Korea, August 2017  
 Workshop on: DNA Activity Level Interpretation. Nederland's Forensic Institute. Den Haag, The Netherlands, November 2016  
 Workshop on: Beyond DNA-profiling: RNA-profiling, transfer and persistence – what is it and how did it get there? 26<sup>th</sup> Congress of the International Society for Forensic Genetics. Krakow, Poland, September 2015  
 DNA Laboratory Compliance with the FBI Quality Assurance Standard Auditor Training. FBI Academy Quantico, VA, USA, 2002 and 2004, Refresher in New York, NY, USA, 2009  
 Forensic Management Academy, Crime Laboratory Leadership Training, West Virginia University Center for Executive Education. Morgantown, WV, April 2009  
 ASCLD/LAB Laboratory Accreditation Inspector Training and ASCLD/LAB ISO preparation class. St. Paul, MN, 1998 and Queens, NY, USA, 2008  
 Workshop on: DNA Mixture Statistics, 22<sup>nd</sup> Congress of the International Society for Forensic Genetics. Copenhagen, Denmark, September 2007  
 Workshop on: Mitochondrial DNA typing, 10<sup>th</sup> International Symposium on Human Identification. Orlando, FL, USA, September 1999  
 Workshop on: Bloodstain Pattern Interpretation, NYPD Laboratory. Queens, NY, May 1998  
 Statistics training for DNA Scientists, Division of Criminal Justice Services. Albany, NY, November 1997

## Publications

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2. S.A. Sterling, K.E. Mason, D.S. Anex, G.J. Parker, B. Hart, **M. Prinz**. Combined DNA typing and protein identification from unfired brass cartridges. *J. Forensic Sci.* 64 (2019) 1475-1481.
3. V. Mushailov, S. Rodriguez, Z. M. Budimlija, **M. Prinz**, E. Wurmbach, Assay development and validation of an 8-SNP multiplex test to predict eye and skin coloration. *J. Forensic Sci.* 60 (2015) 990-1000.
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5. V. Bourdon, C. Ng, J. Harris, **M. Prinz**, E. Shapiro, Optimization of human mtDNA control region sequencing for forensic applications. *J. Forensic Sci.* 59 (2014) 1057-1063.
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7. K.L. Hart, S.L. Kimura, V. Mushailov, Z.M. Budimlija, **M. Prinz**, E. Wurmbach, Improved eye-and skin-color prediction based on 8 SNPs. *Croat. Med. J.* 54 (2013) 248-256.
8. H. Yang, B. Zhou, H. Deng, **M. Prinz**, D. Siegel, Body fluid identification by mass spectrometry. *Int. J. Legal Med.* 127 (2013) 1065-1077.
9. A.A. Mitchell, J. Tamariz, K. O'Connell, N. Ducasse, Z. Budimlija, **M. Prinz**, T. Caragine, Validation of a DNA mixture statistics tool incorporating allelic drop-out and drop-in. *Forensic Sci Int Genet* 6 (2012) 749-761.
10. A. Pneuman, Z.M. Budimlija, T. Caragine, **M. Prinz**, E. Wurmbach, Verification of eye and skin color predictors in various populations. *Leg Med (Tokyo)* 14 (2012) 78-83.
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14. Z. Budimlija, C. Lu, G. Axler-DiPerte, J. Seifarth, D. Popolek, F. Fogt, **M. Prinz**, Malignant tumors and forensics--dilemmas and proposals. *Croat. Med. J.* 50 (2009) 218-227.
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20. L.A. Schiffner, E.J. Bajda, **M. Prinz**, J. Sebestyen, R. Shaler, T.A. Caragine, Optimization of a simple, automatable extraction method to recover sufficient DNA from low copy number DNA samples for generation of short tandem repeat profiles. *Croat. Med. J.* 46 (2005) 578-586.
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22. B.E. Krenke, L. Viculis, M.L. Richard, **M. Prinz**, S.C. Milne, C. Ladd, A.M. Gross, T. Gornall, J.R. Frappier, A.J. Eisenberg, C. Barna, X.G. Aranda, M.S. Adamowicz, B. Budowle, Validation of a male-specific, 12-locus fluorescent short tandem repeat (STR) multiplex. *Forensic Sci. Int.* 148 (2005) 1-14.
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33. **M. Prinz**, M. Sansone, Y chromosome-specific short tandem repeats in forensic casework. *Croat. Med. J.* 42 (2001) 288-291.
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## Recommendations and Review Articles

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