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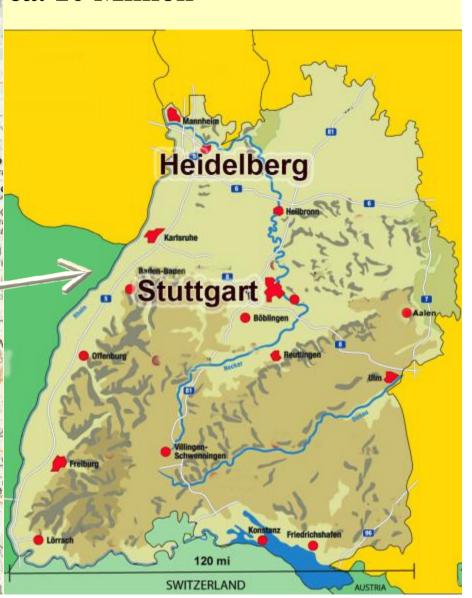


# The Work of Supervisor Forensic Artists in Germany

Captain Rainer Wortmann
Department of Biometrics
State Office of Criminal Investigation
Baden-Württemberg
Germany



# Population Baden-Württemberg: ca. 10 Million





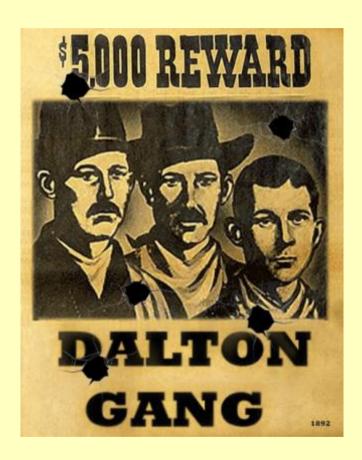
# Scope of Duties

- Educate Forensic Artists
- Software and Hardware for creating composites
- Database with reference material
- Present and promote information about Forensic Artistry
- Committee work
- Organize and present national workshops
- Develop international cooperation
- Create composites in special and difficult cases



# A Short History

- For centuries
- Wanted-posters wild west era





# Composites in Germany

- Artists draw sketches by hand
- Creating composites with IdentiKit (Slides-System) since 1980











Nur werig Werkzhug: Ein Küstele mit 500 Deteifolen, ein Fettsiff für Felnkomkfuren, ein Köta log, in dem die Zaugen nach obareiterisdischen Merkmalen des Tatespasischts suchen, Kurt Kan-artierlei erfolgreich. 20 Prozent der Gesuchten werden gefunden. Bilder: Thomas Höne

Kurt Kern ist Phantombild-Spezialist bei der Polizei

#### Folien verdichten sich zum Konterfei des Verbrechers

Spontane Zeugen sind die wertvollsten Helfer bei der Tüftelei

Punkt, Punkt, Komma, Strich, Fertig ist

Haare Nummer zwilf, Augen Nummer zwei und ein Bart Nummer dreiundzwan-nig. Fertig ist ein Phantomhild der Polizei. Zusammengepusselt aus Gesichtsdetails auf Plastikfolie.

and Plasticfoise.
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seigt sein Bild, wen die Pulksissen spässe bei der Fährdung sathen stützen.
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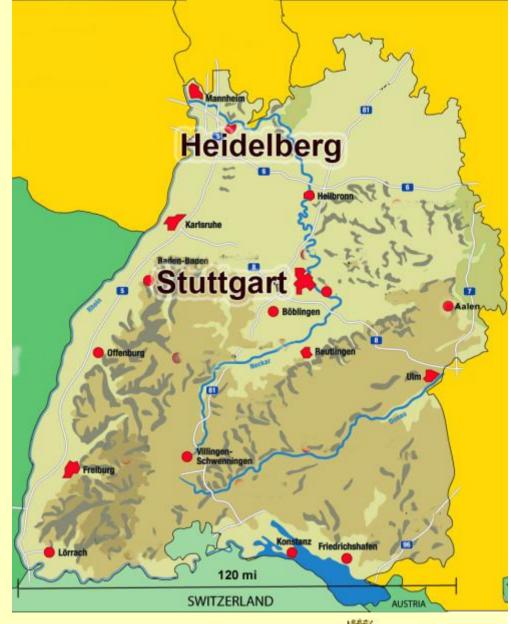
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and Wesson hat das identi-Kin-Verfahren mit den Folien entwijdelt. Es löste eine Phantomhildtechnik mit aus Fotografien geschnittenan Schablenen ab Kurs Kern Bald werden wohl computeranterstützt Bilder zusammengepusselt." Zehn Phantombilder mad er im Monr

interresche und die Australierung von der interresche und interresche vie gut int getroffen mind." So sehr die Folionitechnik ihre dalet hills, siene mit kinntlerisches Auge gehrt nicht. Kurt. Krem ist Habbyhünstler. Zu Hause malt es Landschaften in Ci., weit Portrett doch zum Schwerttern gehören."
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Perfekte Ebenbider sellen seine Fahr-dungsfeton denn auch gar nicht sein. Wenn se zu ersäch auszeben, dann fessell den die Phantiano. Der Betrachber versient sich suf diese eine Erscheinung und vergilt, das ein Gesicht viele Nusanen hat. Zu veile, um alle zu treffen. Und deshalb sellen seine Bilden nur Anergung geber.

- 1996 began drawing composits using computer software
- 2001 regional support system created for Baden-Württemberg
  - 12 departments
  - 40 police artists





# Today we have...

- Trained Forensic Artists
- Special interview techniques (CI)
- The visualization of memory
- Visual interviewing with reference materials



# A picture is worth a thousand words

→ Example: Male, European, age 55-60 years, big nose



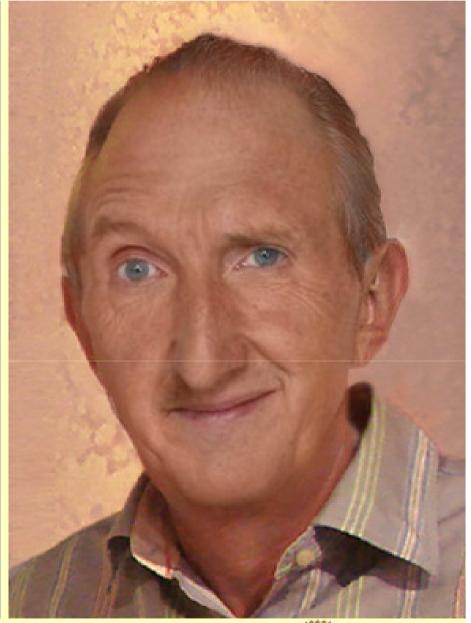
#### Forensic Artist

who?









Actor Mike Krüger

Baden-Württemberg

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# Education for Forensic Artists



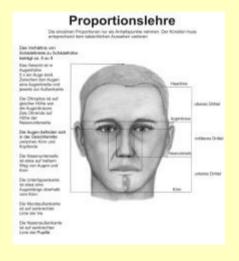


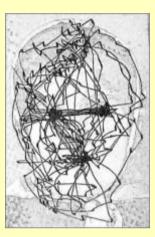
- Three weeks
  - one week basic course
  - one week digital software
  - one week advanced course
- One week worshop for creating reference materials
- Two weeks per year
- Police College Wertheim, Baden-Württemberg, Germany



## **Education Content**

- Using digital software
- Drawing by hand
- Psychology (brain resarch)
  - Cognitive Interview
  - Work with different victims (traumatized, children etc)
- Laws of proportion
- Role of races
- Further support
  - Aging
  - Whole body and groups, objects
  - facial reconstruction

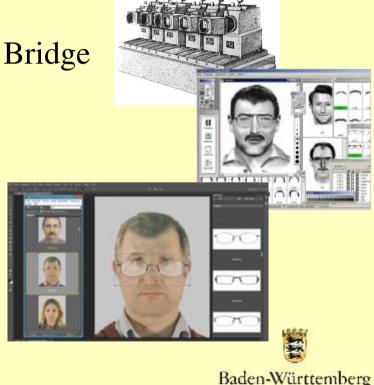






# Soft- and Hardware Always searching for best system

- Drawing by hand versus using computer and software
- Continuous market observation
- Currently Adobe Photoshop and Bridge
- Prerelease tester
- PC / Notebook / Drawboard

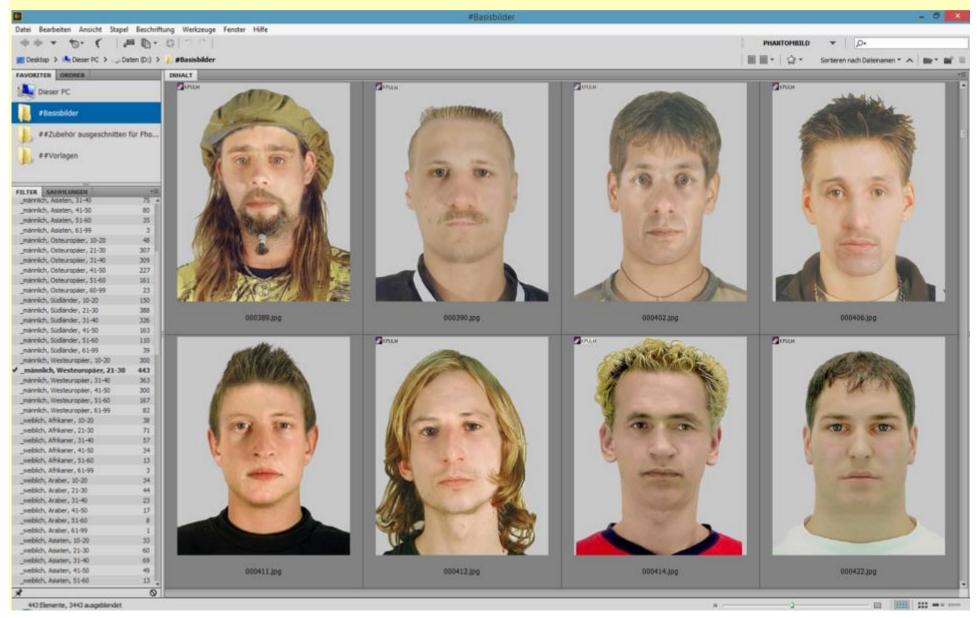


## Reference Material

- 4000 faces different people, male and female
  - Different age
  - Different race
- Accessoires
  - Glasses
  - Caps/Hats
  - Jewelery
  - Masks
  - Clothing
  - Weapons
  - Vehicles

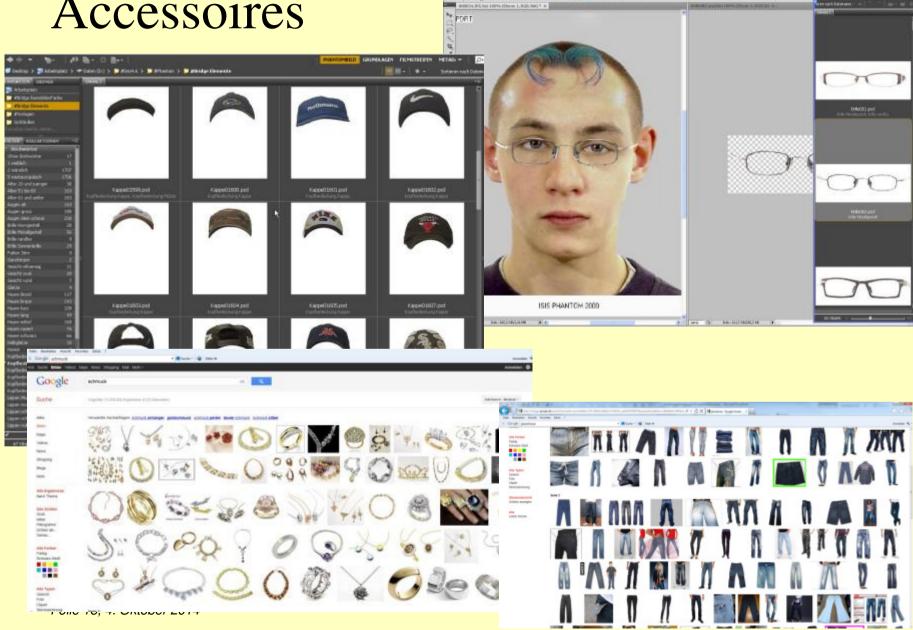


## Reference Material Portraits



#### **Forensic Artist**

Accessoires



#### **Keywords**

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# Committee Work







# 8. (Inter)National Conference Forensic Artists 2015

Next Event: May 11th-13th

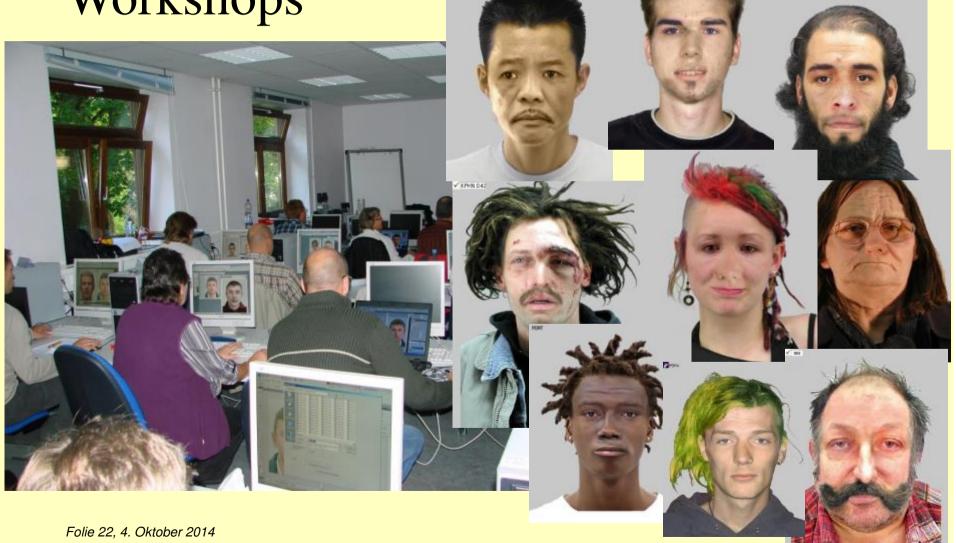
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**Forensic Artist** 

Reference Material Fake Pictures

Workshops



# International Cooperation and Support

**Forensic Artist** 





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Creating Composites in Special and

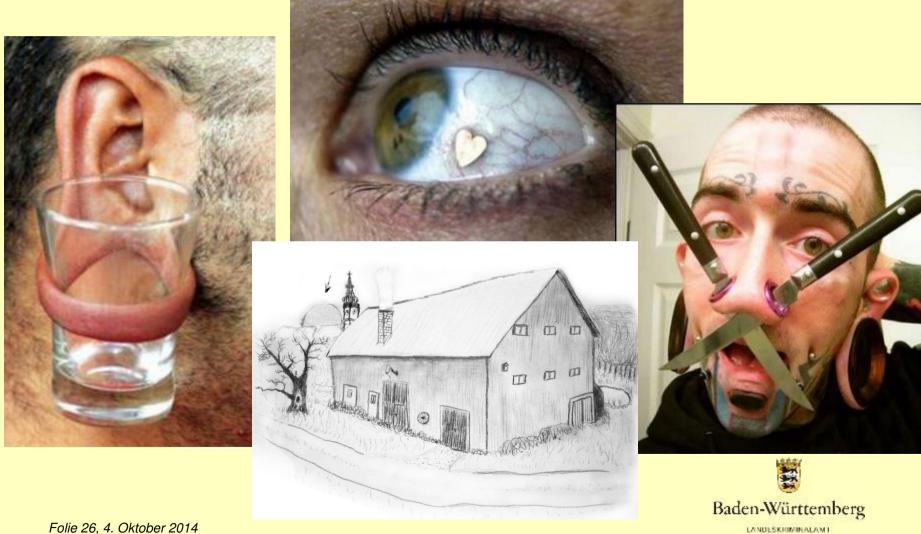
Difficult Cases







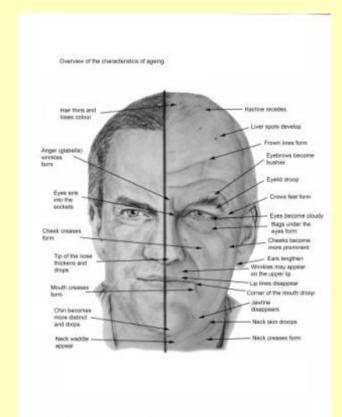
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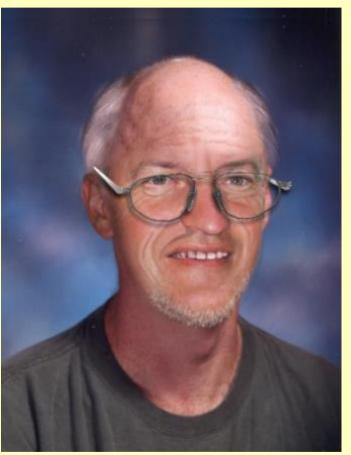


# Aging

- NCMEC
- ICMEC







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- Facial Reconstruction — no pictures
Thanatopraxy (e.g. drowned or burned body)

- Portrait Construction

ReprocessingDigital Images









The Secret Of
Composite Sketches

Rainer Wortmann

Dr. Heike Schmidt

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"And what kind of eyes did your attacker have?"



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