## Curriculum Vitae Thomas Prinz, PhD

Since April 2015	Ambassador to Bangladesh, German Embassy Dhaka
2012 – 2015	Director Foreign Trade Promotion, Federal Foreign Office, Berlin
2011 - 2012	Senior Political Advisor, Directorate General for Strategy and
	Missions, Ministry of Defense, Berlin
2010 - 2011	German Embassy Canberra, Deputy Head of Mission
2010 - 2010	German Consulate General Shanghai, Head of the Economic
	Department
2008 - 2010	German Embassy Tokyo, Political Counselor
2007- 2008	International Security Assistance Force (ISAF), Kabul, Political Advisor
	to COMISAF
2005 - 2007	Dep. Director, Public Diplomacy of the German EU-Presidency -
	Division, Federal Foreign Office, Berlin
2000 - 2005	EU-Division, Federal Foreign Office, Berlin, Counselor
1997-2000	German Embassy Jakarta, 1 <sup>st</sup> Secretary, Cultural Affairs
1993-1997	German Embassy, Bucarest, 1st Secretary, Political
1992-1993	Federal Foreign Office, Bonn, 2 <sup>nd</sup> Secretary, Cultural Department
1990-1992	Federal Foreign Office, Bonn, Attaché
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