

## The speaking individual – Research in the forensic phonetics context

In this contribution, I will briefly explain the specifics of the forensic phonetic environment. This includes the various tasks encountered in this context as well as some observations on the legal framework which sets the stage for the forensic scientist. As a second step, some differences between "ordinary research" and forensically driven research will be discussed. Finally, I will give some examples of what could be called "applied research". This will focus on nonverbal phenomena and include projects with regard to indirect speech, hesitations and breathing.

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