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Axel Radlach Pries studied medicine at the University of Cologne. He worked as postdoctoral fellow in Cologne, at the Institute of Anaesthesiology of the German Heart Center Berlin and at the Free University Berlin where he became full professor for Physiology (1998), and head of the Charité Institute for Physiology

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