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Daniel J. Zehnder is the President of Principis Group Inc., a training and consulting service provider for public safety agencies, local and state governments, and technology companies. Principis Group Inc. focuses on assisting organizations navigate the complex issues related to implementing, managing, sustaining and supporting an effective body-worn camera program.

Dan is also a retired captain from the Las Vegas Metropolitan Police Department where he served in various assignments for 22 years. In 2014, he was appointed as the department's Body-Worn Camera Program Manager. During his two and a half years in that position he was responsible for all aspects of planning, operations, and management of the department's BWC program.

He has been a Subject Matter Expert for the Bureau of Justice Assistance Body-Worn Camera Training and Technical Assistance Team managed by CNA Corporation since its inception in 2015. He has been involved with the body-worn camera discussion at the national level having been privileged to serve as a subject matter expert for the Bureau of Justice Assistance as they developed an on-line Body-Worn Camera "Toolkit" which provides extensive guidelines and recommendations to police agencies for implementing an effective program. He also serves as a body-worn camera grant peer reviewer for the Office of Justice Programs and is a member of the Bureau of Justice Assistance National Training and Technical Assistance Center's Body-Worn Camera Speakers Bureau.

Dan has provided training and consultation to hundreds of police agencies, local government entities and numerous technology companies as they manage the challenges associated with a body-worn camera program. He has given numerous presentations to audiences nationwide on a variety of body-worn camera topics.

Dan is a graduate of the University of Louisville where he earned a Bachelor of Science degree in Occupational Education. He is also a graduate of George Washington University where he earned a Master of Arts degree in Human Resources Management.

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