

# BOLZANO CRIMES

*Amid the breathtaking mountains of northern Italy, commissioner Sonja must solve brutal crimes while holding her fractured family together.*

# Information

**Original title:** Der Bozen Krimi

**Genre:** Crime

**Format:** 24 x 90'

**Year of production:** since 2014

**Country of origin:** Germany



# Why it Works...



## Strong Audience

Alpine crime, a decade on air: up to **7.2 million viewers**,



and a **rejuvenating audience profile**.



## Established Crime Brand

22 full-length episodes and continuous growth.

**Built for scalable, long-term scheduling.**

## Picturesque Scenery



Breathtaking **Alpine scenery**...

...where idyll meets crime, creating cinematic contrast.

## Long-running Hit



*"Director and screenwriter Thorsten Näter understands how to 'continue the series at a consistently high level [...], while also offering new viewers the opportunity to easily jump in'."*

*Frank Jürgens (Press Review)*

# Comparables



ZDF



Netflix



ARD



Médiamétrie



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# Series Synopsis

Detective Sonja Schwarz has left her top job in Frankfurt to follow her husband Thomas to Bolzano.

But life in their patchwork family, which also includes her stepdaughter and her husband's sharp-tongued former mother-in-law, is anything but peaceful. Additionally, there's little time to settle in professionally. The detective soon finds herself facing one murder case after another.



# Sonja Schwarz

## Commissario.

*Fearless, however torn between justice and family.*

After leaving her high-profile position in Frankfurt, Sonja returns to her roots to start a new life with her husband on his vineyard.

But the peace of the Alps quickly fades as she faces murder cases, mafia ties, and moral dilemmas that blur the line between her duty and her heart.



# Jonas Kerschbaumer

## Commissario.

*Young, driven, loyal and the heart of the Team.*

As the youngest investigator, Jonas brings fresh energy and instinct to the force.

His bond with Sonja goes beyond teamwork, and his growing relationship with colleague Sofia challenges his sense of loyalty when the shadow of organized crime looms over Bolzano.



# Matteo Zanchetti

**Commissario Capo.**

*Sonja's love interest.*

Appearance  
**FIRST  
ELEVEN  
EPISODES**

Matteo is a former undercover cop with a dangerous past and a guarded heart. Beneath his controlled exterior lies a man carrying guilt, vulnerability and a deep, unspoken love for Sonja.

Torn between his feelings and the risks that surround him, he ultimately chooses sacrifice over happiness: walking away from the woman he loves to protect her from the shadows of his world.



# Peter Kerschbaumer

## Police Officer.

*Seasoned, grounded, and the quiet anchor of the team.*

As a veteran on the force and father of Jonas, Peter brings calm and experience to every investigation.

Loyal to his colleagues and rooted in his community, he often finds himself mediating between generations, both in the precinct and at home, when duty and family collide.





Impressions...



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