Kidnap & Ransom and Hostage Negotiations

Law Enforcement / Defense Sector Services

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Knowledge Powered by Intelligence™

From spontaneous acts of violence to planned and carefully executed operations, the Internet, and live-streamed geographic social platforms, can provide early-warning indicators, background knowledge, risk assessment, and even a communication channel, in relation to personal threat management and negotiation scenarios.

Kidnappings are not always linked to organized crime and do not always occur for criminal or financial gain. Inter-family abduction of children is a large-scale global issue, along with children forcibly removed from their parents for the purposes of forced labour, sexual abuse or re-adoption.

According to the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime, over 57,200 kidnappings were reported globally in 2011, while figures released in December 2012 show that the number of parental child abduction cases dealt with by the Foreign Office has risen by 88% in just under a decade.

The quantity of readily available research information online, along with live-streamed personal and geographic data, makes the Internet an essential tool in any K&R or hostage negotiation situation. Continual situation reports (SITREPs), digital communication and live local chatter are all key components in high-stress, critical incidents, where non-traditional sources of data are often overlooked.

COURSE OPTIONS

Victim and Incident Profiling (VIP) 1 Day

- **Basic and Advanced Internet Research**
- **Information Gathering, Organization and Dissemination**
- **Exploring and Monitoring Social Networks**
- **Conducting Basic Risk Analyses and Threat Assessments**
- **Virtual and Physical Privacy and Security**

Contact and Retrieval 2 Days

- **Advanced De-Anonymization Techniques**
- **Geo-Location Identification of People, Places and Things**
- **Analysis of Information, Confirmation Bias and Group Dynamics**
- **Documenting and Preserving Evidence**
- **Facial Recognition and Biometrics**
- **Reverse Image Search and Detecting Photo-Shopped Images**

Advanced Contact and Retrieval 5 Days

Our Alternate Reality Training (ART) group can assist your organization in effectively devising, planning and managing a virtual "on the ground" training program that will enhance the level of preparedness of critical personnel involved in these types of incidents. Our highly trained and experienced professionals provide hands-on instruction during controlled digital simulations.

About TII:

With a global client base ranging from government agencies to members of the Fortune 500, **Toddington International Inc. ("TII")** has been enabling its customers to find and use online information more effectively since 1997.

Backed by over a decade and a half of experience providing advanced Internet intelligence services to a range of law enforcement agencies, in addition to private sector clients in the financial services, petrochemical, pharmaceutical and manufacturing industries, TII develops and delivers comprehensive, highly acclaimed class-room-based and e-learning programs that enable frontline investigative and research professionals to **find better online information, in less time, at less cost, with less risk™**.

Our team of trusted associates includes highly qualified investigators, intelligence analysts, psychologists, educators, legal practitioners and other professionals, all of whom maintain the highest standards of integrity.

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