

Counter Disinformation Open Source Intelligence (OSINT) Techniques

2 Day Course



This focused course teaches a range of little-known Open Source Techniques that aid verification of information and the identification of malicious content & accounts. Techniques shared in this course are free and work globally.

Audience

Media, Academia, Government, and Research practitioners.

Teaching Style

This course is taught via practical demonstrations and interactive exercises.

In this course you will learn to:

- ✓ Secure your investigations and set up 'active' and 'passive' Social Media profiles
- ✓ Apply established principles and methodologies for content verification
- ✓ Identify fake accounts and automated posting/bots
- ✓ Find accounts by email, name, and username, and map links between accounts
- ✓ Authenticate video and image content by date, originator, and geography
- ✓ Conduct advanced searches across the most popular video and image sharing sites
- ✓ Track text and links across the web to identify occurrences and how they are shared
- ✓ Conduct advanced searches in Facebook, Twitter, Vkontakte & community interest sites
- ✓ Utilise a range of fact checking and fake content checking tools
- ✓ Retrieve hidden/deleted content from caches and from Social Media accounts

