

Summary: In this issue of Enlightened Futures Trading Vol. 2, 2106 three articles that examine worse and the best. We should know that futures has a strong criminal presence, including the most prevalent forms of fraudulence and deception that saturate the futures industry, addressed in two back to back papers.



5 Biggest Futures Trade Room Fraud Cases in 2016. The 5 most prominent fraud legal suits this year by the CFTC give us an excellent perspective on how the CFTC view fraud, deception and misrepresentation. These are futures rooms I am sure you know - I observed and attended as a room member for all of them. I have read the composite information from the federal suits and distilled it down to a no-nonsense understanding and edification on what fraud looks like and examples of what to avoid. Remember fraud is perpetrated to generate wealth and it is designed to conceal its existence, so it is also fraud to conceal fraud.



5 Most Common Deceptive Trades That Are Not Trades. I illustrate how sales rooms that want to appear as trade rooms hoodwink, bamboozle and deceive us with "trades" that are not real, authentic or valid but are presented to appear as real and valid. Over the years I have identified and named 5 different types of "trade-less" trades that rooms have developed and how they succinctly hide the fact that they are not trading at all. This paper will drag out into the light of day the shenanigans and illusions used by many sales rooms to appear like they are trading when in fact only tradeless trades they are presenting.



Global Trade Titans the Gross >\$100,000 per year. The best are Global Trade Titans that grossed over \$100,000 in simulated live trading. I evaluated the track records of all 10 Titans and present those that have achieved >\$100,000 gross profits in simulated live trading. Here you will see those rooms that offer the highest achievements in truthful, transparent and profitable.

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Enlightened Futures Trading. EFT is a futures journal established to bring truth and understanding to the world of human trade rooms. Retail traders are bombarded with advisements of trade rooms that achieve great wealth, financial success and spectacular profits. Furthermore, over 200 new rooms formed every year since 2012, so the number of choices is overwhelming. ETF evaluates trade rooms by

three criteria: posting of a truthful track record, achieving a net profit of \$50K per year and trading transparently in real time. EFT has directly evaluated all known trade rooms (now 1226) to help the retail trader select those that meet the selected criteria. ETF also evaluates track records, methods, strategies and other aspects of trading. Publication will be on a quarterly basis.

Dean A Handley, PhD, MBA, JD. Editor-In-Chief. Dr. Dean is first author on nearly 120 peer-reviewed papers in prestigious medical, scientific and business journals. In the past many years of futures trading Dr. Dean has been openly critically of futures trade rooms that sell products and services that are not in the best interests of traders. This confrontation has gone on for 5 years, in over 50 publications and over 200 formal documented complaints to the CFTC and other agencies. His publications include papers and videos in the field of futures trading, trade ethics and law, mathematical evaluations of trade profits and effective selection of best trade rooms and trade rooms to avoid. Previously an Associate Editor for MarketClips, Dr. Dean has established truthful, transparent and profitable the mantra for trade room evaluation. All his publications, presentations and videos are located at: globaltradetitans.com.

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Individual Contributions: Individual retail traders may submit articles that establish room value, integrity and truthfulness or the direct lack of these qualities and attributes. Guidelines for submission are in final review but will involve submission according to an established format, required content and specific analysis.