

The Tactical Advantage

Dynamics for Street Engagements and Situational Awareness



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The vast majority of attacks on officers begin with communication: They Tell You it's Coming! To become a Superior Officer, you must be proficient at reading those 'signs' and presenting yourself as aware and tactically sound.

Preparing mentally and tactically for a violent encounter begins with **you** becoming a Master at Controlling Your Environment and an Expert at "Reading People". Understanding Kinesics - *the study of body language, stances, gestures and micro expressions* – can save your life. Developing an instinctive ability to recognize subjects actively exhibiting warning signs **will** give you the advantage you need to excel on the streets.

Reading Body Language, understanding the impact of space and your ability to quickly detect 'signs' of Deceptive Behaviors and Pre-Attack are skills you must have in your arsenal. Old School 'verbal defense' classes train Old School Communication Theory. **The Tactical Advantage** focuses on training officers to Excel at Controlling Every Encounter with the goal of <u>Detecting Violence Before it's Upon You</u> and <u>Prevailing When Faced with Aggressive Encounters</u>.

The Tactical Advantage is a dynamic, cutting edge, interactive seminar utilizing the most current videos of officer involved incidents from emotionally charged subjects to high risk force encounters. We break down each interaction and teach students to analyze what every "body" was saying and doing that attributed to the escalation and prevented a successful outcome.

This Seminar will Teach You to Excel in the Following Skills:

- Situational Awareness: You, The Subject and the Environment
- Preparing Mentally and Tactically for Violent Encounters
- Stay in the Game! Avoiding Stress Induced Blindness
- De-Escalation Tactics: Preventing Aggression BEFORE it happens
- "Reading People": *Knowing* What They Don't Know They're Saying
- Critical "Signs" that indicate Intent, Motivation and Hidden Meanings
- Spotting Lies: Active Listening and Asking the *<u>Right</u>* Questions
- Language and the Use of Force: Communicating clearly During Tactical Situations
- The Importance of Developing Rapport

This course is designed for all ranks and assignments and focuses on presenting students with simple yet realistic and effective techniques to improve verbal and nonverbal interactions skills *immediately*.