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**Your Monthly News & Updates**[Visit the ICJE Website](#)**"Manipulation in Plain View"**

An old Turkish proverb captures the environment in which we are living today:

"If you speak the truth, have a foot in the stirrup."

The truth is so hard to find today! And for those who dare to speak it, they have to be ready to run to the mountaintop, as the mobs manipulating the truth are quick to pounce.

Like termites, whose work is done in the shadows until the moment the house can no longer be supported by the hollowed out timbers, the destruction of fundamental principles within our society are destroying us from within.

The "termites" are destroying our trust in law enforcement, in our military, in our churches, in our doctors, our parents and our freedom. And these termites are on both sides of the political aisle. The destruction of the American way of life is not unique to one political party or the other. It is a dangerous accumulation of control in the hands of a very few.

With every story, the media has tremendous influence, by choosing to cover or not cover the event, and how to report it. Just a couple of examples shown below provide insight into the subtle, but constant drip of manipulation by the press.

As a result, it is much more difficult to get to the truth. Professional skepticism and intellectual curiosity are tools that must be employed in every situation in which you are

evaluating statements and pronouncements.

As Henry David Thoreau said:

"Rather than love, than money, than fame, give me truth."

I have highlighted just a few examples below, but we could all fill newsletter after newsletter with examples.

Have a great month,

Jim Rechel,
ICJE Newsletter Editor



Same Incidents...Different Agendas?

Man fatally shot by police on crowded Southern California beach

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Police shoot, kill armed man at crowded California beach after U.S. Open of Surfing

Nelson Oliveira · 2 hrs ago

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Police shot and killed a man who pointed a gun at them at a crowded California beach where people had gathered for the U.S. Open of Surfing just moments earlier, authorities said Sunday.

Washington Post - Sept 27, 2021

This headline fits the narrative that the police are shooting people without cause without reporting all of the facts to the reader.

New York Daily News - Sept 27, 2021

This headline fits the expectation of honest journalism in which all of the facts known are provided to the reader by including "Armed Man".

‘Horrible to watch,’ White House says about video of agent whipping at Haitian migrant

Seattle Times - Sept 20, 2021

The original headlines were tweaked from "Border Agents Whip Haitian Migrants" to "**whipping at**". Another headline to promote narrative that "law enforcement is bad" in the constant effort to destabilize the country by eroding trust in law enforcement..

'I never saw them whipping anyone!' Photographer who took pictures of mounted border agents confronting illegal migrants says his pictures have been misconstrued

By Keith Griffith For Dailymail.com

Daily Mail - Sept 24, 2021

It would be interesting to follow the original flow of the Border Agents "Whipping" narrative, as it was created without seeking to find the facts. Even an AP reporter, an organization that has never been accused of being a law enforcement apologist, said she was present at the scene of the infamous photos and her video of the incident tells a completely different story.

Her twitter link has the video. [Border Agents at Del Rio Video](#)

So why would politicians and the mainstream media create the false story, other than to manipulate popular opinion with outright lies?

It's Not Only the Media: Do FBI Actions Erode Trust?

While the media has a significant role in the dissemination of "propaganda" rather than "reporting", the intelligence agencies within the US have apparently abandoned their role of objectivity and are using their unique position to gather intelligence to target certain individuals or groups.

Sharyl Attkinsson, the former CBS reporter whose laptop was infiltrated by government agents as part of a snooping campaign ostensibly related to her coverage of the Benghazi tragedy, compiled a short 10 minute video that encapsulates the evolution of the current corruption within the FBI and other agencies.

For those of all political walks of life, it is a frightening corrosion of trust, and as a former FBI Agent, a corrosion I hate to see taking place.

Link: [FBI and News Media Corruption - Sharyl Attkinsson Report - DEC 2020](#)

Speaking of the Truth.... COVID Treatments

For those interested in an in-depth article about Ivermectin, a very interesting read:

[The Lies Told About Ivermectin - How it Erodes Trust in Medicine](#)

Keeping Safe.....

Chinese Espionage Tool Exploits Vulnerabilities in 58 Widely Used Websites

A security researcher has discovered a web attack framework developed by a suspected Chinese government hacking group and used to exploit vulnerabilities in 58 popular

websites to collect data on possible Chinese dissidents.

Fifty-seven of the sites are popular Chinese portals, while the last is the site for US newspaper, the New York Times.

Catalin Cimpanu August 17, 2021 The Record

Link to Article: [Is Chinese Government Hacking Increasing?](#)

For those who have active Chinese dissidents in their communities, it appears that the China Communist Party is increasing their crackdown on dissidents worldwide.

Links to Articles on Keeping Safe With Your Technology

[Hackers Using "Lightning Cable" to Steal Information](#)

[One Time Password Bots Exploiting Mobile Passwords](#)

[SIM Card Swapping Fraud - FTC Working to Stop](#)

ICJE Training Opportunities

ICJE Training Schedule

While the Fall calendar was full of dates, we cannot publish our end of year training schedule as we are still awaiting word from ADECA and AUM regarding the necessary grant approvals in order for ICJE to post training classes moving forward. We have plenty in the stable, and will post them as soon as we get the go ahead!

We'll keep you posted!

November 9, 2021 - Today in Law Enforcement - Montgomery, Alabama

For more information and registration links go to: [ICJE - Institute for Criminal Justice Education, Inc.](#)



Thoughts of the Month

Get your popcorn ready! - Lane Kiffin 1975 -

When the well's dry, we know the value of water. - Ben Franklin 1706-1790

The world is ruled by force, not by opinion; but opinion uses force. - Pascal 1623-1662

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