



**Course:**  
**ML/TPF and Sanction Evasion Typologies  
and FIU Red Flags (PART II)**

**DELIVERED BY:**

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**OBJECTIVES:**

- Understand common ML/TPF typologies, including layering, smurfing, trade-based money laundering, and cryptocurrency misuse, and how they manifest in financial activity.
- Identify sanctions evasion techniques involving false documentation, shell companies, front persons, and complex ownership structures.
- Recognize key red flag indicators highlighted by Financial Intelligence Units (FIUs) and international standard setters.
- Develop practical approaches to transaction review, alert handling, escalation, and case investigation.
- Explore how criminal schemes evolve in response to regulatory controls, technological developments, and market changes.
- Strengthen the application of risk-based monitoring, customer due diligence, and ongoing customer risk assessment.
- Enhance analytical thinking when assessing unusual customer behaviour and transaction patterns.
- Improve the quality of documentation and decision-making in financial crime investigations.



**SKILLS DELIVERED:**

- Detect and interpret key typologies used in ML, TPF, and sanctions evasion.
- Recognize structural and behavioral red flags related to customer and transaction activity.
- Enhance compliance frameworks with targeted controls and escalation logic.
- Apply FIU red flags and risk indicators in daily monitoring processes.
- Evaluate complex transaction chains and their risk components.
- Practical Case Studies.



**DESIGNED FOR:**

- AML/CFT compliance officers and MLROs
- Financial crime and fraud prevention specialists
- Risk management professionals
- Internal auditors and investigators
- Law enforcement and financial intelligence unit (FIU) analysts
- Senior management with oversight of AML/CTF framework
- FinTech, EMI, and virtual asset service provider (VASP) compliance staff

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TOPIC	DURATION
<p><b>1. Overview of the course</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Lector</li> <li>• Objectives</li> <li>• Skills delivered</li> <li>• Programme Modules</li> </ul>	5 min.
<p><b>2. Trade-based Money Laundering – car parts business</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Introduction to Trade-based Money Laundering – Car Parts Business;</li> <li>• Legitimate Uses and Illicit Exploits;</li> <li>• Risks and Compliance Challenges.</li> </ul>	20 min.
<p><b>3. Layering Through Licensed Investment Funds</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Introduction to Layering Through Licensed Investment Funds;</li> <li>• Legitimate Uses and Illicit Exploits;</li> <li>• Risks and Compliance Challenges.</li> </ul>	40 min.
<p><b>4. Straw-men Facilitated Money Laundering</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Introduction to Straw-men Facilitated Money Laundering;</li> <li>• Legitimate Uses and Illicit Exploits;</li> <li>• Risks and Compliance Challenges</li> </ul>	20 min.
<p><b>5. Real Estate Laundering – The Renovation Ruse</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Introduction to Real Estate Laundering – The Renovation Ruse;</li> <li>• Legitimate Uses and Illicit Exploits;</li> <li>• Risks and Compliance Challenges</li> </ul>	15 min.
<p><b>6. Money Laundering Typology – The Marketing Mix Scheme</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Introduction to The Marketing Mix Scheme;</li> <li>• Legitimate Uses and Illicit Exploits;</li> <li>• Risks and Compliance Challenges.</li> </ul>	25 min.

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<b>7. The Money Laundering Transaction Chain</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Introduction to the Money Laundering Transaction Chain;</li><li>• Practical Red Flags;</li><li>• Case study.</li></ul>	25 min.
<b>8. Conclusions and frequently asked questions</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• In this sections the conclusion of the course are presented and answered to FQAs.</li></ul>	30 min.
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>3 hours</b>

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