

## DURING THIS COURSE YOU WILL:

- ✦ Realise the role and power of Frames.
- ✦ Identify the structure of Meaning and its implications.
- ✦ Refresh your skills at Content/Meaning and Context reframing.
- ✦ Identify your own optimal frame of mind to easily play with words.
- ✦ Integrate the presuppositions which support effective languaging.
- ✦ Develop your personal verbal dexterity.
- ✦ Explore the underlying structure of reframing.
- ✦ Connect Mind-Lines to Meta-States patterns.
- ✦ Familiarise yourself with the dimensions and directions of Mind-Lining.
- ✦ Progress in these dimensions and directions in a manner structured to make your learning easy.
- ✦ Apply them in a systematic fashion on issues of your choice.
- ✦ Learn how to apply the model with elegance.
- ✦ Enhance your verbal leverage by semantically packing your expressions.
- ✦ Realise how this model operates in other disciplines, perhaps even unbeknownst to the practitioners of these disciplines.
- ✦ Structure your own knowledge of NLP with the framework the Mind-Lines model offers.
- ✦ Have fun playing with words in literally dozens of different ways, safe in the trust that you know what you're doing and where you're going.



**DENIS** was born in France, where he studied Linguistics and English.

Living in the UK since 1979, he operates as a therapist, coach and NLP trainer.

Eclectic at heart, and trained among others by Tad James, John Grinder and Robert Dilts, Denis did his NLP Trainer's Training with Richard Bandler and John LaValle in 1995. He is one of the few trainers worldwide to have received permission from Richard to run *Design Human Engineering*<sup>®</sup> training.

For over 10 years Denis has been working in depth with Michael Hall, the developer of the Meta-States<sup>®</sup> model which integrates at the highest level NLP and General Semantics. He was recently made *Honorary Fellow of the Institute of Neuro-Semantics*<sup>®</sup> for his contributions to the field.

His breadth of culture has enabled him to build bridges between very diverse disciplines and to enrich NLP even more as a result.

Unique in Europe, his Master Practitioner training was recently labelled *"undeniably the most interesting currently available in the UK."*

Marrying humour, intellectual rigour and flexibility to enable his participants to learn easily and effortlessly, his enthusiasm for the subjects he presents is contagious.

His findings on the Mind-Lines model were incorporated in the 4<sup>th</sup> Edition of Michael Hall's Mind-Lines book.

His book on Mentoring and Coaching has received universal praise worldwide.

He has been a member of the Tolkien Society since 1975.

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### FROM SLEIGHT-OF-MOUTH TO MIND-LINES AND BEYOND

*“That Which Is Made With Words, With Words Can Be Unmade”*

**Ancient Fravashi Saying**

In the early 80s Robert Dilts charted out Richard Bandler's patterns of verbal reframing.

He identified 18 of these and labelled them “*Sleight-of-Mouth*” patterns, after the way stage magicians use their skills of “*sleight of hand*”.

Despite their effectiveness, many people have, over the years, expressed having difficulties in learning these patterns, as no overall structure appeared to be to be detectable behind them.

In the mid-90s **Michael Hall** and **Bobby Bodenhamer** restructured these patterns, sorting them in easier to learn categories and renaming them “*Mind-Lines*”, for their ability to ‘string along’ the mind of the listener in accordance with their purpose.

**Denis Bridoux**, who has been collaborating with Michael Hall since 1997, has since expanded and further clarified this model.

As was the case with Mendeleev's Periodic Table, which allowed physicists to deduce the existence of new elements, his approach of the new model enabled him to identify many new patterns within it that, if anything, made it even simpler and even more versatile.

It has also enabled him to identify the operating structure underlying other therapeutic disciplines, such as *Cognitive-Behavioural Therapy* and *Social Constructionism*, and to realise how all the NLP patterns we know, and more, easily fit in the structure of the Mind-Lines model.

So, by realising the structure of your interaction, enjoy learning to apply conversational elegance to change others, just by talking with them.

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