



## Clearing, Operations and IT Quiz - IDX 2013

PLEASE BRING YOUR COMPLETED QUESTIONNAIRE TO STAND 50 IN THE LOWER SUGAR ROOM FOR A CHANCE TO WIN A MAGNUM OF CHAMPAGNE!

### Just to warm up...

1. Name the company that supplied back office software to Baring Futures in Singapore at the time of its collapse in 1995 \_\_\_\_\_
2. What does GMI stand for? \_\_\_\_\_
3. What was the brand name of Rolfe & Nolan's late 90s attempt to diversify from futures and options processing into treasury trading and risk management systems? Which company acquired it from them? \_\_\_\_\_
4. Aside from the eponymous Messrs Rolfe and Nolan, name a third founding director of the back office software firm \_\_\_\_\_
5. Name the firms who use or used the following names for their client facing platforms  
Barx \_\_\_\_\_ Morcom \_\_\_\_\_  
Clear \_\_\_\_\_ Swisskey \_\_\_\_\_  
Gator \_\_\_\_\_
6. Which of the following are/were the names of back office systems for futures? Please circle as appropriate  
ATIS Cadre C-ATS Classic Futrak First Futures  
Futursource Infinity IFFACS Octagon  
Panorama Renaissance RISC Sendero TRACS



**Who owns what?**

7. Name the company that currently owns each of these brand names. Some may still be in use while others may have been retired or subsumed into new software systems. Expect the same ownership for several of the brand names!

Cortex\_\_\_\_\_

Lisa\_\_\_\_\_

Devon\_\_\_\_\_

Logiscope\_\_\_\_\_

Eclipse\_\_\_\_\_

Marginclick\_\_\_\_\_

Emos\_\_\_\_\_

Risk Informer\_\_\_\_\_

Forte\_\_\_\_\_

Roll Cage\_\_\_\_\_

Front\_\_\_\_\_

Sierra\_\_\_\_\_

Gloss\_\_\_\_\_

Summit\_\_\_\_\_

Ubitrade\_\_\_\_\_

**Not many people know this but....**

8. Which long time futures market operations and IT executive represented Great Britain at Athletics? In which discipline?\_\_\_\_\_

9. Which CEO of an IT vendor supplying single dealer platforms connects John Wayne with a 1980s 'New Wave' band? What was the name of the band?

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10. Which boy soprano, subsequently active in ETD operations and Fx markets, sang 'Every sperm is sacred' in Monty Python's The Meaning of Life only to be replaced in the film by a little girl with pig-tails? \_\_\_\_\_

11. Which of these well-known clearing, operations and IT executives in the business have had previous careers in the military? Please circle as appropriate.

Doug Bergeron Gerry Corkery Chip Dempsey Peter Fenner Anthony Fraser

John Gammer Belinda Gooderham Alun Green Kevin Green Steve Grob

Richard Heyman Marc Huglin David Martin Chris Meens Paul Miller

Bill Templer Patrick Thornton-Smith Declan Ward Gavin Wells

**Over 200 years of derivatives market experience but you've got to start somewhere, right?**

12. Which Contango Markets executive from the list below...

- started out in commodities as a fish broker? \_\_\_\_\_
- regularly donned a sou'wester in an early career as an aircraft toilet technician? \_\_\_\_\_
- started his/her career cutting vanilla pods for the manufacture of essences and found he/she was allergic to them? \_\_\_\_\_
- stacked shelves in Bejam's? \_\_\_\_\_
- helped kids to cross the road as a lollipop man/lady? \_\_\_\_\_
- sold classified ads in the Evening Standard? \_\_\_\_\_
- rubbed shoulders with Prince Charles in a previous position with the Princes Youth Business Trust? \_\_\_\_\_
- was mechanic & co-driver for the Steele Nissan Rally Team? \_\_\_\_\_

Clare Black Jonathan Cowan Neil Davison Clive Furness

Steve Morris Sav Kanagasundaram David Setters Richard Wilkinson

*At Contango Operations we believe we have most of the answers!*