

Defeat scammers, give them junk.

They will believe anything, they are stupid, and want as many entries as possible. I believe the phone people are paid per fill out form, so give them one!

The world is full of crooks! And the internet is their playground. What can you do to counter their efforts? We my favorite tool using “reverse engineering” on their scam you will soon see it relies on your correct personal information to be effective, so if you can waist their time with bogus personal entries then you can defeat (or reduce) their scams’ effectiveness.

So, when you are sure you have a “scammer” (by phone or website) fill them with previously prepared bogus info (**please be sure to not use anyone’s real identity**). It can be real fun to make up some names, be creative, do it often; there are even several “auto form fill” programs to make this easy. I often make up a name for scammers websites, ethnic sounding, or you name misspelled will get you interesting replies. Seldom does it take more than a week for the junk to start filling the mail boxes. It is very interesting to see who buys this info; you will be surprised, as many legitimate companies will buy into these mailing schemes.

Every time I get some junk mail addressed to one of my made-up name I have to laugh, when I think of the scammer’s waited efforts and cost. Let’s get them back, do it often and help friends set it up!

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Tips;

I setup traps for webots with redirects to abuse@google, yahoo, or whoever so the turn themselves in, but just remembers the more junk they get the less you will.