

DEFENSIVE AND COMPETITIVE BIDDING
OVERCALLS (Style: Responses: 1 / 2 Level; Reopening)
Normal overcalls, jump overcall weak
(1♣)-2♣ natural, (1♠)-2♦ majors
(1x)-1y-1z and 2z non-forcing
(1x)-2y non jump-2z forcing
INT OVERCALL (2nd/4th Live; Responses; Reopening)
Systems on after direct seat NT overcall
Range Stayman after balancing seat NT overcall (systems on)
JUMP OVERCALLS (Style; Responses; Unusual NT)
Jump overcalls weak, style vul dependent (usually more sound vul)
Unusual NT overcall shows 5-5 in the two lowest, wide ranging-ish
Reopen: 2N in balancing seat by UPH 19-21 bal
DIRECT & JUMP CUE BIDS (Style; Response; Reopen)
(1M)-2M = 5m, 5oM then 2N= bid minor good, 3m=p/c, 3D=gt M
(1♦)-2♦ = 55M
VS. NT (vs. Strong/Weak; Reopening;PH)
2C = majors, 2D = 1 major, 2H = 5+H 4+m, 2S = 5+S, 4+m
X of strong = 4M 5+m, X of weak = values
Weak is a NT range that includes all 13's
VS.PREEMTS (Doubles; Cue-bids; Jumps; NT Bids)
X=takeout through 4H, X=values above 4S
NT bids nat except 4N, 2M-4m = 5m5oM gf
VS. ARTIFICIAL STRONG OPENINGS- i.e. 1♣ or 2♣
Vs 1c x = majors, 1N = majors better, 2N = minors
Vs 2c x = majors, 2N = minors
OVER OPPONENTS' TAKEOUT DOUBLE
Transfers over 1M-x
xx = values oriented around penalizing opponents
1M-x-2N raise

LEADS AND SIGNALS			
OPENING LEADS STYLE			
	Lead	In Partner's Suit	
Suit	3/low	3/low	
NT	2 from bad, 4th	2 from bad, 4th	
Subseq			
Other:			
LEADS			
	Lead	Vs. Suit	Vs. NT
Ace	AKx(+) <5L, Ax		AK(+), Ax
King	KQ(+), AK, AKx >5L, Kx		Asks for count/unblock
Queen	QJ(+), Qx		KQx(+) or Qx
Jack	JT(+), Jx		QJx(+) or Jx
10	T9(+), Tx		JTx(+) or Tx
9	9x, maybe 98x		T9x(+) or 9x
Hi-X	xx, maybe xxx		xXxx(+) Xx Xxxx(+) Xxx
Lo-X	xxX xxXx xxxX xxXxxx		HxX HxxX(+) xxxXx
SIGNALS IN ORDER OF PRIORITY			
	Partner's Lead	Declarer's Lead	Discarding
1	Attitude		
Suit 2	Count	Count	Attitude
3	SP	SP	Count
1	Attitude	SP if trick 2	Attitude
NT 2	Count	Count	Count
3	Suit pref	SP	SP
Signals (including Trumps): UDCA, trump suit preference			
DOUBLES			
TAKEOUT DOUBLES (Style; Responses; Reopening)			
Slightly on the lighter side			
Nothing special			
SPECIAL, ARTIFICIAL & COMPETITIVE DBLS/RDLS			
Support doubles through 2H, (1x)-1y-(x)-xx = 2 card support for partner w unbid suit			

W B F CONVENTION CARD
CATEGORY: i.e. Green / Blue / Red / HUM / Brown Sticker:
NCBO: USA
PLAYERS: Michael Xu and Olivia Schireson
EVENT (Open/Women/Senior/Transnational)
U21 World Championships, European Mixed Junior Pairs, European U21 Pairs
SYSTEM SUMMARY
GENERAL APPROACH AND STYLE
2/1 game forcing, 14+-17 NT, 5 card majors, better minor
Slightly sound opening style on balanced hands
SPECIAL BIDS THAT MAY REQUIRE DEFENSE
SPECIAL FORCING PASS SEQUENCES
IMPORTANT NOTES
PSYCHICS: sometimes, especially 3rd seat favorable opening

OPENING	TICK IF ARTIFICIAL	MIN. NO. OF CARDS	NEG. DBL THRU				
				DESCRIPTION	RESPONSES	SUBSEQUENT ACTION	COMPETITIVE & PASSED HAND BIDDING
1♣		3			2m gf, 2D weak, 2H art. balanced inv, 2S art. m inv, 2N 13-15 bal or 18-19 bal, 3m mixed raise, 3M splinter, 3N 16-17 bal	4th suit forcing, 1N rebid 11-bad 14, 2 way new minor forcing, 2N rebid 11-bad 14	Support doubles, transfers in some competition, 1m-2m LR by Ph
1♦		3 (4)		Only 3 if 4432			
1♥		5		Can be 4 sometimes in 3/4 seat	1N forcing, 2C 2+ gf, 2M constructive 3 cards, 2S/1H 6 spades less than inv, 2N 4M gf, 3C 6C inv, 3D 4M inv, 3M mixed raise, 3S/1H mini splinter, 3N/1H spade splinter, 4m splinter	1H-1S-2x-2S artificial, 4th suit forcing most of the time, 1n rebid 11-bad 14, 2N rebid 18-19, 2c rebid natural	2c by ph good raise, 1n sf, Transfers over 1M-x
1♠		5					
INT				14+-17, can be 54, can be 6m	2s=c or inv, 2n=asks 5M, 3c=6d, 3d=55m 3M=1M 3oM 45m, 4c asks aces, 4d=6h, 4h=6s	2s-2n=min 3c=max, 3c-3d-3M=shortness	
2♣	X	0		22+ hcp if balanced or gf	2d artificial waiting, 2/3x natural positive	Kokish (3c hearts), 2n rebid 20-21	
2♦		5/6		Preempt	2M natural forcing, 2N ask, 3C nat nf, 4C kc	After 2N 3C bad suit bad hand, 3d good bad, 3h bad good, 3s good good	
2♥		5/6		Preempt	2M natural forcing, 2N ask, 3m nat nf, 4C kc	(Same as 2d after 2n)	
2♠		5/6		Preempt	2M natural forcing, 2N ask, 3m nat nf, 4C kc	(Same as 2d after 2n)	
2NT				Good 19-21	3C asks majors, 3D/H transfer, 3S minor suit slam try, 4D/H transfer + slam try	3C-3D-3M = 5oM 4M GF	
3♣		6/7		Preempt	4D kc		
3♦		6/7		Preempt			
3♥		6/7		Preempt			
3♠		6/7		Preempt			
3NT				Long running minor suit, no side A/K first or second seat	4+m p/c, 4M to play		
4♣		7					
4♦		7					
4♥		7					
4♠		7					
4NT							
5♣						HIGH LEVEL BIDDING	
5♦							
5♥							
5♠							