

<b>DEFENSIVE AND COMPETITIVE BIDDING</b>
<b>OVERCALLS (Style: Responses: 1 / 2 Level; Reopening)</b>
6-17 5+ cards
after 1 level overall and pass, xfers from opener's suit to out suit
after 1 level overcall and double, xfers from 1NT to our suit
after 1 level overcall and non jump bid, snapdragon x
<b>1NT OVERCALL (2<sup>nd</sup>/4<sup>th</sup> Live; Responses; Reopening)</b>
15-18/11-14 system on
<b>JUMP OVERCALLS (Style; Responses; Unusual NT)</b>
weak, except 2M when vulnerable which is intermediate
Reopen:
<b>DIRECT &amp; JUMP CUE BIDS (Style; Response; Reopen)</b>
over 1♣, if showing 3+, 2♣ michael's, 3♣ 5+♠/5+♦, if short 2♦ michael's and 2♣ natural,

over 1♦, 2♦ michael's
over 1♥, 2♥ michael's
over 1♠, 2♠ shows 5+♥/5+♣ and 3♠ shows 5+♥/5+♦
<b>VS. NT (vs. Strong/Weak; Reopening; PH)</b>
Multi Landy vs weak NT, x for PEN
vs strong NT: x shows 4♠ and a longer suit or 6+♠
2♣ shows 4♥ and a longer suit or 6+♥
2♦ shows 4+♦ and a longer major
2M shows 5M and 4+♣
<b>VS. PREEMPTS (Doubles; Cue-bids; Jumps; NT Bids)</b>
<b>VS. ARTIFICIAL STRONG OPENINGS- i.e. 1♣ or 2♣</b>
x majors 44+, 1NT minors 44+, 1♦ shows 44+ reds or 44+ blacks
1♥ shows 44+ round suits or 44+ pointed suits
<b>OVER OPPONENTS' TAKEOUT DOUBLE</b>
1M-X transfers from 1NT and XX shows 54 unbid suits or limit raise
with 3 cards
1♦-X XX shows both majors or neither majors

<b>LEADS AND SIGNALS</b>			
<b>OPENING LEADS STYLE</b>			
	Lead	In Partner's Suit	
Suit	reverse count trick 1	reverse count trick 1	
NT	attitude leads	attitude	
Subseq	attitude		
Other: reverse smith vs NT, reverse count, reverse attitude			
<b>LEADS</b>			
Lead	Vs. Suit	Vs. NT	
Ace	AKx	AKx+	
King	AKxx+ KQx+ Kx	KQTx+ KQJ+	
Queen	QJx+ Qx	KQx+ QJx+	
Jack	J10x+ Jx	J10+	
10	10x	10x H109+	
9	109x 109xxx	109x+	
Hi-X	odd	discourage	
Lo-X	even	encourage	
<b>SIGNALS IN ORDER OF PRIORITY</b>			
	Partner's Lead	Declarer's Lead	Discarding
	1 attitude	count	attitude
	Suit 2 suit preference	suit preference	suit preference

	3 count	attitude	count
	1 attitude	count	attitude
	2 suit preference	suit preference	suit preference
	3 count	attitude	count

Signals (including Trumps):

suit preference

**DOUBLES**

**TAKEOUT DOUBLES (Style; Responses; Reopening)**

t/o up to 4♣

support doubles

**SPECIAL, ARTIFICIAL & COMPETITIVE DBLS/RDLS**

**W B F CONVENTION CARD**

**CATEGORY:** i.e. Green / Blue / Red / HUM / Brown  
**Sticker:** NCBO:  
**PLAYERS:** Ali Ahmed, Liam Sanderson  
**EVENT** (Open/Women/Senior/Transnational)

**SYSTEM SUMMARY**

**GENERAL APPROACH AND STYLE**

2/1 GF

5 card majors

5 card diamond

All balanced hands open 1c

1NT shows 5 clubs 11-14 or 18+

2c shows 5 clubs 15-17

**SPECIAL BIDS THAT MAY REQUIRE DEFENSE**

2NT weak minor pre-empt or strong major preempt

2♦ weak both majors

3N Ace ask

**SPECIAL FORCING PASS SEQUENCES**

**IMPORTANT NOTES**

**PSYCHICS: deviations at most**

OPENING	ARTIFICIAL TICKET IF	MIN. NO. OF CARDS	NEG.D BL THRU			
				RESPONSES	SUBSEQUENT ACTION	COMPETITIVE & PASSED HAND BIDDING
1♣	art	2+		1♦ hearts 1♥ spades 1♠ no major 1NT 7-9		
1♦						
		5+		1♥ no 5M 1♠ 5♠ 1NT 5♥		
1♥		5+		1♠ denied 5♠ 1NT 5+♠		
1♠		5+				
INT	art	5+♣		2♦ stayman 2NT puppet to 3♣		
2♣	art	5+♣		2♦ stayman 2NT puppet to 3♣		
2♦	art	Both majors			after 2♦-2NT 3♣ min 54(3♦ asks for longer major) 3♦ min 55, 3M max with 5OM4M, 3NT max 55	
2♥						
2♠				3♦ 5+♥ invite+, 3♥ 5+♦ GF		
2NT	art	Weak minor pre-empt or strong major pre-empt		3♣ p/c 3♦ asks		
3♣				4♣ KC ask		
3♦				4♣ KC ask		
3♥				4♣ KC ask		

3♠				4♣ short ask, 4♦ asks for major		
3NT	art			Ace ask		
					<b>HIGH LEVEL BIDDING</b>	
					3014 response to RKC	
					4♣ is kickback for ♥s	
					4m is usually minorwood, afterwhich 4NT is to play	