DEFENSIVE AND COMPETITIVE BIDDING

OVERCALLS (Style; Responses; 1/2 Level; Reopening)

Usually 5cards with 8-16HCP, maybe light in favorable situation

Responses: New suit =NF; Cue bid=F1; Raises= Preempts

1NT OVERCALL (2nd/4th Live; Responses; Reopening)

1NT Overcall(2nd):Nat 15-17HCP; Responses: Nat

1NTOvercall(4th):11-15HCP;Responses: 2♣ = range, then 3♣= Stayman

JUMP OVERCALLS (Style; Responses; Unusual NT)

Jump Overcall=WJS; Responses: Cue =FG; New suit=F1

Unusual NT : 1M-2NT=2m; 1m-2NT=♠ and other m

DIRECT AND JUMP CUE BIDS (Style; Responses; Reopen)

Direct Cue: 1♣-2♣=Nat; 1♦-2♦= Majors; 1M-2M=other M + m

Jump Cue bids: asks for stopper

VS. NT (Vs. Strong/ Weak; Reopening; PH)

VUL :2ND seat=Capp; 4th seat = Landy and natural

NONVUL:2ND seat :2♣= ♣+M; 2♦=♦+M; 2♥=majors, DBL=one suit

VS. PREEMPTS (Doubles; Cue-bids; Jumps; NT bids)

DBL=T/O; Nat

NT bids: 2NT=15-17; 3NT=To play

Vs 2: Cue bid =asks for stopper; Jumps=Constructive

Vs 3: 3m-4m=Ms;3m-4om=om +M; 3M-4M=Om+m

VS. ARTIFICIAL STRONG OPENINGS

Nat O/C

OVER OPPONENTS TAKEOUT DOUBLE

1M-X-1NT/2C/2D/2♥=Trf; 1M-X-2M=Weak; 1M-X-2NT=Truscott

LEADS AND SIGNALS

OPENING LEADS STYLE

	LEAD	In Partner's Suit
Suit	4th	4th
NT	4th	4th
Subseq	Present Count	Present Count

Smith signals in NT

LEADS

Lead	Vs. Suit	Vs. NT
Ace	AKx(+)	AKx(+)
King	KQx(+)	AKJx(+); KQ10x(+)
Queen	QJx(+)	KQx(+);QJx(+)
Jack	J10x(+);KJ10x(+)	J10x(+);AJ10x(+);KJ10x(+)
10	109x(+)	H109x(+); 109x(+)
9	9x(+)	9x(+)
Hi-x		
Lo-x		

SIGNALS IN ORDER OF PRIORITY

		Partner's Lead	Declarer's Lead	Discarding
Suit	**1**	Hi=Encg + Even	Hi= Even	Hi=Encg
	2	Lo=Discg + Odd	Lo= Odd	Lo=Discg
	3	Suit Preference	Suit Preference	
NT	**1**	Hi=Encg + Even		
	2	Lo=Discg + Odd		
	3	Suit Preference		

Smith signals in NT

DOUBLES

TAKEOUT DOUBLES(STYLE; RESPONSE; REOPENING)

Style= 12+ typical T/O or any 17+

Responses: Simple bid=0-7,Jump bid=8-10; Cue bid is either Ms or 11+FG

SPECIAL, ARTIFICIAL AND COMPETITIVE (RE-)DOUBLES

Negative X up to 5D

Responsive X

Competitive X

Optional X

Lightener X

Lead directing X

WBF CONVENTION CARD

NCBO: EGYPT

EVENT: All Events

Category: Green

PLAYER 1: Ayman Azzam

PLAYER 2: Adel Elkordy

SYSTEM SUMMARY

GENERAL APPROACH AND STYLE

Major 5, 1NT=F1, 2/1=GF; Bergen raises, J2NT

♦Usually 4; ♣ maybe 2 , inverted minor; Checkback Stayman

1NT=15-17HCP; ,4suits transfers; Extended Stayman; Smolen

Artificial Strong 2♣ with artificial 2♦

Multi 2♦

Tartan

Aggressive preempt bids

Namyats

RKCB 3041, splinter; Exclusive Blackwood

SPECIAL BIDS THAT MAY REQUIRE DEFENCE

Michael Cue bids: 1M-2M=otherM + m

2♥=♥ + x

2♠=♠+m

SPECIAL FORCING PASS SEQUENCES

1x-overcall-Pass-Pass

IMPORTANT NOTES THAT DON'T FIT ANYWHERE

PSYCHICS: Rare