

DEFENSIVE AND COMPETITIVE BIDDING
<b>OVERCALLS (Style; Responses: 1 / 2 Level; Reopening)</b>
At level 1: 9-16, 5-card+
At level 2: 11-16, 5-card+
Balancing same
Responses natural
<b>INT OVERCALL (2<sup>nd</sup>/4<sup>th</sup> Live; Responses; Reopening)</b>
2 <sup>nd</sup> position 16-18
4 <sup>th</sup> position 11-15
Responses as if opponents never opened.
<b>JUMP OVERCALLS (Style; Responses; Unusual NT)</b>
Weak, standard
Responses natural
Reopen: Intermediate hands
<b>DIRECT &amp; JUMP CUE BIDS (Style; Response; Reopen)</b>
Michael's Cue-bids:
1Mj-2Mj: Other Major + a Minor, 1Mn-2Mn: Both Majors
1Mn-2NT: Other Minor + a Major, 1Mj-2NT: Both Minors
<b>VS. NT (vs. Strong/Weak; Reopening;PH)</b>
Capoletti from second, natural from 4th
<b>VS. PREEMTS (Doubles; Cue-bids; Jumps; NT Bids)</b>
Standard
<b>VS. ARTIFICIAL STRONG OPENINGS- i.e. 1♣ or 2♣</b>
1NT: ♣ and suit
<b>OVER OPPONENTS' TAKEOUT DOUBLE</b>
Continue as usual

LEADS AND SIGNALS			
<b>OPENING LEADS STYLE</b>			
	Lead	In Partner's Suit	
Suit	4 <sup>th</sup> best	4 <sup>th</sup> best	
NT	4 <sup>th</sup> best	4 <sup>th</sup> best	
Subseq	4 <sup>th</sup> best	4 <sup>th</sup> best	
Other: Mud leads from xxx, top of nothing against NT			
<b>LEADS</b>			
Lead	Vs. Suit	Vs. NT	
Ace	AK..., AKQ..., AKHH..., Ax	AK..., AKQ.. AKHH..., Ax	
King	KQ..., KQH..., Kx	KQH..., Kx	
Queen	QJ..., QJT... Qx	QJH..., AQJ..., Qx	
Jack	JT..., HJT..., Jx	JT..., HJT..., Jx	
10	T9.. HT9..., Tx	T9..., HT9..., Tx,	
9	HH9..., 9x	9..	
Hi-X	Even	Even	
Lo-X	Odd	Odd	
<b>SIGNALS IN ORDER OF PRIORITY</b>			
	Partner's Lead	Declarer's Lead	Discarding
1	High Encourage	Standard Count	Low encourage
Suit 2	Standard Count		
3			
1	High Encourage	Standard Count	Low encourage
NT 2	Standard Count		
3			
Signals (including Trumps):			
<b>DOUBLES</b>			
<b>TAKEOUT DOUBLES (Style; Responses; Reopening)</b>			
Natural			
<b>SPECIAL, ARTIFICIAL &amp; COMPETITIVE DBLS/RDLS</b>			

W B F CONVENTION CARD
<b>CATEGORY: <u>Green</u></b>
<b>NCBO: UAE</b>
<b>PLAYERS: Ahmed Al Midfa - Darshan Valrani – Humayun Sumar – Wael Agamawai</b>
<b>EVENT: BFAME 2017</b>
<b>SYSTEM SUMMARY</b>
5 major card, ♦ by 4: 5542, 1NT: 15-17 Standard 2 over 1. 2♣: Strong Opening. 2♦♥♠: Weak (7-10), promising single suit. 2NT: 20-22, may include a 5-card major. All high-level bids pre-emptive. Standard count, natural leads, low encouraging discard
<b>SPECIAL BIDS THAT MAY REQUIRE DEFENSE</b>
1♦-Pass-1Mj-Pass-2♣: May be 4-5
<b>SPECIAL FORCING PASS SEQUENCES</b>
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<b>IMPORTANT NOTES</b>
<b>PSYCHICS: Almost Never</b>

