DEFENSIVE AND COMPETITIVE BIDDING

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

1/1 Forcing, 2/1 Forcing, 2/2 Forcing

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

2nd 16-18

4th 11+-14

JUMP OVERCALLS (Style; Responses; Unusual NT)

Weak

Reopen:

DIRECT & JUMP CUE BIDS (Style; Response; Reopen)

Cue direct Two suiters Highest with x

2SA Two suiters Lowest

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

2nd : X Club or both majors — 4th : X points

- 2c Diamonds — 2C Both majors
- 2d Multi — Others Natural
- 2h/2s Muiderberg
- 2NT Both minors

VS.PREEMTS (Doubles; Cue-bids; Jumps; NT Bids)

VS. ARTIFICIAL STRONG OPENINGS- i.e. 1♣ or 2♣

OVER OPPONENTS' TAKEOUT DOUBLE

LEADS AND SIGNALS

OPENING LEADS STYLE

	Lead	In Partner's Suit
Suit	3rd/5th	3rd/5th
NT	4th	3rd/5th
Subseq		

Other:

LEADS

Lead	Vs. Suit	Vs. NT
Ace	Top	Top
King	Top	Top
Queen	Top	Top
Jack	Top	Top
10	10x, 109xxx	X109x
9	9x, 98xxx	X98x 109xx
Hi-X	Even	Even
Lo-X	Odd	Odd

SIGNALS IN ORDER OF PRIORITY

	Partner's Lead	Declarer's Lead	Discarding
1	E/O	E/O	First Italian
Suit 2	Small Enc	Smith	
3			
1	E/O	E/O	First Italian
NT 2	Small Enc	Smith	
3			

Signals (including Trumps):

Lavinthal

DOUBLES

TAKEOUT DOUBLES (Style; Responses; Reopening)

SPECIAL, ARTIFICIAL & COMPETITIVE DBLS/RDLS

W B F CONVENTION CARD

CATEGORY: DIV I

NCBO:

PLAYERS: Eric DAMSEAUX – Gordon STAS – Viviane STRUVAY – Jean-Michel SIMAR – Luc DEWITTE

GOFFIOUL PHILIPPE

SYSTEM SUMMARY

GENERAL APPROACH AND STYLE

Maj 5+

D 4+

C 2+

NT 15-17

SPECIAL BIDS THAT MAY REQUIRE DEFENSE

2C Forcing 1

2D GF

2H Weak H/6

2S Weak S/6

2SA 20-21

SPECIAL FORCING PASS SEQUENCES

IMPORTANT NOTES

PSYCHICS:

OPENING	TICK IF ARTIFICIAL	MIN. NO. OF CARDS	NEG.DBL THRU	DESCRIPTION	RESPONSES	SUBSEQUENT ACTION	COMPETITIVE & PASSED HAND BIDDING
1♣		2					
1♦		4					
1♥		5			2NT Forcing Game		
1♠		5			2NT Forcing Game		
INT					4 Transferts Smolen Stayman Weak with both majors		
2♣					2D Relay		
2♦					2h Relay		
2♥					2NT Relay Fit		
2♠					2NT Relay Fit		
2NT					Puppet, 3SA S/5, H/4, 3S Both minors, 4C/4D Chelem		
3♣							
3♦							
3♥							
3♠							
3NT							
4♣							
4♦							
4♥							
4♠							
4NT							
5♣						HIGH LEVEL BIDDING	
5♦						41/30 5 Keys	
5♥							
5♠							