DEFENSIVE AND COMPETITIVE BIDDING						
OVERCALLS (Style: Responses: 1 / 2 Level; Reopening)						
General style: sound, natural (7-16 p)						
Response opps suit INV+, often support, new suite F1						
1 NT OVERCALL						
15-18 hp; NT system is on						
JUMP OVERCALLS (Style; Responses; Unusual NT)						
PRE						
DIRECT & JUMP CUE BIDS (Style; Response; Reopen)						
Overcall Michael's Cue (if NAT); Jump O/C asks for stopper						
VS. NT (vs. Strong/Weak; Reopening;PH)						
DBL vs STR/WK: Strong with a good lead suit to lead						
Weak (PH): MM;						
2♣ 6c suite 2♦ MM (5-4/4-5); 2M 5cM 4+m; 2NT 5-5 mm						
4^{th} position x = clubs						
VS.PREEMTS (Doubles; Cue-bids; Jumps; NT Bids)						
(2x) DBL: T/O (reponse); (2x) - 2NT: 16-18						
VS. ARTIFICIAL STRONG OPENINGS 1.						
Dbl ♥ and ♠						
1♦ 5+cards						
1♥, 1 ▲ 5+cards						
NT Min 4-4 in 🔶 🌲						
OVER OPPONENTS' TAKEOUT DOUBLE						
1x (DBL) RDBL:10+; 1M (DBL) RDBL denies 4c SUPP						
$1 \checkmark / $ (DBL) 2NT: 10+ with support.						

LEADS AND SIGNALS								
OPENING LEADS STYLE								
	Lead		In Partner's Suit					
Suit	4 th		<u>H</u> x/Hx <u>x/x</u> xxx/x <u>x</u> x/ <u>x</u> x					
NT	4 th			<u>H</u> x/Hx <u>x</u> /x <u>x</u> xx/ <u>x</u> xx/ <u>x</u> x				
LEADS								
Lead	Suit	Suit		NT				
Ace*	AKx/AKxx(x)	AKx/AKxx(x)		AK/AKx/AKxx				
King*	AK/KQ/KQJ(x)/	AK/KQ/KQJ(x)/KQT		AKJxxx/KQJ(x)/KQT(x)				
Queen*	QJ(x)/QJT(x)	QJ(x)/QJT(x)		AQJ(x)/QJ(x)/QJT(x)				
Jack	(H)JT(x)	(H)JT(x)		(H)JT(x)/JT(x)				
10	HJT9x/HT9x/T9	HJT9x/HT9x/T9x		HJT9x/HT9x/T9x				
х	Hxx <u>x</u> /x <u>x</u> xx/x <u>x</u> x	Hxx <u>x</u> /x <u>x</u> xx/x <u>x</u> x		Hxx <u>x</u> /HHx <u>x</u> x/x <u>x</u> xx/x <u>x</u> x				
SIGNALS IN ORDER OF PRIORITY								
	Partner's Lead	Declar Lead	er's	Discarding				
Suit:	Low=ENC	Count		Low enc				
2 nd	Lavintal	Count		Count				
NT:	Low Even Low ENC on Ace	Standard Count						
2 nd	Lavinthal	Lavintal		Count				

DOUBLES
TAKEOUT DOUBLES (Style; Reopening)
NEG DBL, focusing on MM
T/O to 4♠
Reopening 14+p

SPECIAL, ARTIFICIAL & COMPETITIVE DBLS/RDLS

SUPPDBL and SUPP RDBL RESP DBL

Convention card								
System: Natural, 4-card M								
Name	Birgit Bärlund	Christina Hertzman						
Klubb	AV	AV						
Country	Finland	Finland						
FBF member								
SYSTEM SUMMARY								
GENERAL								
Opening 4+card suit								
1♣, 1♦, 1♥ and 1♠ are 4 cards								
1 NT 15-17 in all zones, may include 5 card M, 6 card m or 5422.								
Weak jumps (1x – 2y).								
SPECIAL BIDS THAT MAY REQUIRE DEFENSE								
2♦ multi, 2NT MM or mm								
SPECIAL FORCING PASS SEQUENCES								
1x-(1/2 y)-p = pass may be forcing pass and ask for an X from partner if he is short in opps suite.								

IMPORTANT NOTES

Michaels' cue = 5 c highest unbid suit + 5c another

PSYCHICS:

Seldom

Opening	Artificial	Min. No. Cards	Description	Responses	Subsequent Auction Modifications over Competition and with Passed Partner		
Pass			Not an Opening Bid				
1C		4	11 - 21 HCP	1x = 4k, (5)6 ap Weak hand 4k S + 6k D: 1S - 1NT then 2D 2C = inverted	1C - 1SNOT inverted after passed hand nor interventions2C - 2D F to 2NT2H D3H 5-4 inviting3H 5-4 inviting		
1D		4	11 - 21 HCP	2C = 11+ och 4k D 2D inverted 2NT slaminvit 3NT 13-15 ingen 4k HF H. S = 6+k <5ap	1C/D – 1H/S 2H/S – 2S/NT = Romex (Note NOT inverted after passed hand nor interventions 1)		
1HS		4	11 - 21 HCP	2NT = GF och 4c trumps 3H/S = limit	Romex Note 12NT limit+ after passad hand and after intervention3H/S PRE after x and interventions		
1NT			15 - 17 balanced	2C staym, transfers	(1x) 1NT (x) xx askes for suits in order 1NT (x) xx= 8+p, sys on 1NT (2C/D conventional) x = 8+p		
2C	х		22+ p balanced or 24+ GF	2D = relay 2H/S = 6+ap XXxxx+ 2NT = 5-5 LF 3C/D = 8+ap XXxxxx	2C – 2D 2H = kokish – 2S – 2NT = 24+ 2NT = 22-23ap 3H/S = 9 tricks		
2D	х			2-7H p/c (supp w, Xx or xxx) 3C/D F1round 2NT asking	2D – 2NT 3C/D = bad H/S 3H/S = good H/S	2D – 2NT – 3NT	
2HS		5	5-10 ap 5-5 M + m	2NT which minor?		2H/S (2NT) x which minor?	
2NT			5-5 MM or mm	3H only F bid			
3C		6	Pre-emptive	New Suit forcing			
3D		6	Pre-emptive	New Suit forcing	–Slam Approach and Conventions (including all Slam-Interest Bids)		
3H		6	Pre-emptive	3[Natural; Minors = cue-bid	Five - Ace Blackwood: RKCB Cue Bids Splinters Gerber		
3S		6	Pre-emptive	4] Natural; Minors = cue-bid			
3NT		7(6)	Gambling	Natural			
4CD		7.5-8.5 stick	NAMYATS	Promised suit 0-1 A, next 2, 1 over 3, 2 over 4 A			
4NT			Blackwood				