#### Negotiation Styles/Strategies



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#### Interests vs. Positions

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#### Negotiation Strategies: Definitions

#### **Distributive Strategy:**

Claiming all the profit or the maximum share for oneself - winning it all.

#### **Integrative Strategy:**

Creating value (expanding the pie) and finding solutions that best fit the needs of all or most parties -especially over time.

### **Mixed-Motive Strategy:** Expanding the pie and meeting the needs of all or most parties as much as possible while claiming an appropriate share.

#### Negotiation Styles – Typology #1: Definitions

**Competitive Style:** 

To try to do better than all others.

**Cooperative Style:** 

To try to be sure that the feelings of all are properly dealt with.

**Independent Style:** 

To try to find the best possible outcome regardless of the achievements and feelings of others.



#### Negotiation Styles -Typology #2: Definitions

Competitive Style: Accommodative Style: Avoiding Style: Compromising Style:

**Collaborative Style:** 

Revengeful Style: Self-Injurious Style: Revengeful and Self-Injurious Style: To try to gain all there is to gain. To be willing to yield all there is to yield. To try to stay out of negotiation.

To try to split the difference or find an intermediate point according to some principle.

To try to find the maximum possible gain for both parties – by careful exploration of the interests of all parties – and often by enlarging the pie.

To try to injure the other.

To act so as to injure oneself.

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### **Team Building**

#### **Interests** -

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- interests rather than positions
- collaborative, cooperative learning styles
- integrative and mixed motive strategies
- informal problem solving rather than "justice"

#### **Rights & Power -**

- positions rather than interests
- competitive (or avoiding) style
- distributive strategy
- justice orientation rather than problem-solving

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