## just b.e.: Balanced Equilibrium on the BOSU

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## I. INTRODUCTIONS

- 1. Nämaste! ("My inner peace meets, greets, and salutes your inner light")
- 2. Gratitude
- 3. findlawrence.com, biscontini@aol.com, L's Background, and the Biscontini Scholarship
- 4. Our Purpose Today: (stability and mobility)
- 5. Resources:
- 6. Theme:
- 7. BOSU evolutions

## **II. THEORY**

- 1. SWEAT
- 2. SHOES
- 3. PELVIC STABILITY AND MINIMAL REPETITIONS, MAXIMAL STIMULI. WHY MOBILITY BEFORE STABILITY SOMETIMES

be different.

- 4. UPPER-LOWER BODY SEPARATION
- 5. ORGANIZATION BY STABILITY/MOBILITY AND BODY POSITION
- 6. PROGRESSION/REGRESSION TRAINING AND ULTIMATE PROGRESSION
- 7. EQUILIBRIUM AND BALANCE DEFINITIONS:
  - A.
  - B.
  - C.
  - D.

THEME:

- T'AI CHI (mobility) •
- YOGA (stability, "just be")
  - PILATES (mobility)
- FELDENKRAIS (stability)
- GYROTONIC (mobility)





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III. PRACTICAL: (NOTE: the following is but a 'dim sum' sampling of ideas)	
1.	STANDING T'AI CHI (MOBILITY) SINK THE CHI, BOW AND ARROW,
	ROOSTER STANDS, CARRY THE LANTERN , ESTABLISH MOUNTAIN AS
	RECURRING THEME OF 'JUST BE'
2.	STANDING MOBILITY: 3 TWISTS + OVER THE TOP WITH VARIATIONS,
	ADDING IN WARRIOR 2, MOUNTAIN
3.	STANDING YOGA (STABILITY) LUNGES (WARRIOR 1 AND 2), PRAYING
	WARRIORS; BOUNCING VINYASA OF CHAIR (FOR 3 COUNTS) TO
	STANDING BACKBEND AND CHAIR (FOR 3 COUNTS) TO PLANK; FLAT SIDE
	<u>UP</u> : SUN SALUTATION VARIATIONS
4.	STANDING MOBILITY: PILATES LEG WORK WITH SEMI~CIRCLES, SCAPULAR
	RETRACTIONS, STANDING LEG CIRCLES
5.	PLANK STABILITY WORK: CORBRA + DOWNWARD FACING DOG, PLANK +
	ABDUCTIONS, DOME OR <u>FLAT SIDE UP</u> : PILATES STAR
6.	QUADRUPED MOBILITYWORK: OPPOSITION REACHES WITH KNEES ON
	THE FLOOR (OPTION OF REACHING FOR OPPOSITE FOOT), OPPOSITION
	REACHES KNEES ON DOME AND HANDS ON FLOOR, OPTION OF TRYING
	HANDS AND KNEES ON DOME, REPEAT WITH SAME-SIDE REACHES
7.	SUPINE STABILITY WORK INCLUDING BRIDGING: PILATES SINGLE LEG
	STRETCH, BRIDGING WITH SCAPULAE <u>OFFSET</u> ON DOME, DEAD BUGS,
	CRUNCHES, HUNDRED VARIATIONS, YOGA FISH
8.	SIDE LYING MOBILITY: PILATES SCISSORS, LEG BEATS, SIDE LIFTS, AND
	SHIFT MOVES OVER DOME TO LATERAL FLEXION FOR Q.L. ("DOWN,
	DOWN, UP, UP))
9.	PRONE MOBILITYWORK: SWIMMING FLY WITH ROTATION, YOGA BOW
10	STABILITY
10.	SIDE LYING: REPEAT #8
11.	KNEELING STABILITY WORK: UNILATERAL ISOMETRIC ABDUCTIONS
	CHALLENGING CORE WITH DIFFERENT ARM PATTERNS, ROTARY
	TRIPLANAR MOVEMENT FROM KNEES TO KNEES SWEEPING ARMS
	OVERHEAD, "LOW WARRIOR STABILITY:" HIP FLEXOR STRETCH W/BACK
10	KNEE ON CENTER OF DOME AND FRONT FOOT ON FLOOR IN FRONT
12.	SEATED MOBILITY WORK: V SITS TOUCHING DOWN OPPOSITE HEELS,
	(SHIFT WEIGHT, AND) V SIT TO SUPINE AND BACK AS A 'TEASER' WITH
	SPINE FLEXED OR EXTENDED, FLAT SIDE UP: CIRCLES, SEATED BALANCE
<u> </u>	WITH Q.L. STRETCH, ROTATIONS

Summary:

Home-Work:

Final Take-Home Messages:





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