



## Ski Spectacular Instructor Academy

Hosted by The Hartford Ski Spectacular  
December 4-8, 2023

### Clinic Notes

**Two-day workshop – Bi-ski: Progressive Bi-ski Teaching and Tethering**  
**Barbara Szwebel**

**Clinic Date: Monday & Tuesday** December 4 & 5, 2023, 9:30 AM – 3:30 PM  
**Clinic Title:** Progressive Bi-ski Teaching and Tethering

#### Different Bi-ski models discussed & used:

Dynamique



From Enabling Technologies



Bi-Unique

<https://enablingtech.com/collections/dynamique-bi-ski-parts-accessories/products/nexgen-ii-fixed-outriggers>



The new High Back Clamshell Seating system fits Dynamiques and Moniques Next Gen Fixed outriggers, can be retro-fitted on Bi-unique Biskis

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Mountain Man with fixed outriggers, still one of the most solid Sit-skis for some of our guests.



HOC / Tessier Outriggers vs Super Light models

**Beginning progression, up to intermediate terrain & skills, remember to:**

1. Introduce edging vs rotary movements to initiate and adjust turn radius – Initiate from the closest to the snow area possible in your student's body
2. Share the ability to differentiate between edging turn and rotary turns and how much the bi-skier vs the tetherer can influence either
3. Blending rotary and edging skills as needed in varying terrain and snow conditions

**On ideal terrain there should be no need to tether certain students, however there might still be other reasons, such as . . . if your student can only use one side of his/her body, how can you assist your student in learning those skills as a tetherer?**

Barbara Szwebel – 2023