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4-Day Aiki Sword Intensive

Devoted to the Sword of Mistugi Saotome Shihan

When: February 17th - 20th 2012

Where: Aikido Eastside in Bellevue, WA

Cost: \$275

Details:

Four full days, approximately seven hours per day. Limited to between 14 & 16 attendees.

All classes will be taught by George Ledyard, Aikido 6th Dan and direct student of Mitsugi Saotome Shihan. This seminar is open to students of all styles and affiliations. Basic sword skills are required; this is not a Beginner Level workshop. Students not already familiar with Saotome Sensei's sword work may find this seminar moves too fast... if in doubt, ask permission of the instructor to register.

In these four days we will cover a review of essential skills, 12 ASU Kunitachi, Saotome Sensei's "Kasumi" Sword (Deceptive Blade), daily two sword practice, Kumi Iai Kata and Two Attacker Kata. In addition there will be some shinai work with protective gear. Equal emphasis will be placed on technique and the psychological aspects of sword work as Saotome Sensei has taught me.

I feel strongly that this seminar will take your sword work to another level and enable you to get the most out of future classes with Saotome Sensei. If you don't feel that this was the best weapons training you have ever done, I will refund the cost of your seminar fee.

On-line Info and Registration: http://sword_intensive.eventsbot.com/