Building to the Bruch and Mendelssohn Violin Concerti and Beyond
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Mollenhauer	The Boy Paganini (Fantasia)	Bk 5 5th pos, slurred rolling arpeggios, LH pizz. single note, repeated down bows
Borowski	Adoration	Bk 6/7 Slow, expressive playing, several mood changes, gentle high position
Dancla	Air Varie Op.89 No.5	Bk 6/7 Ricochet, down bow chords, bowing
Potstock	Souvenir de Sarasate	Bk 6/7 3rds, 6ths, nat. harmonics, LH pizz while pizzing
Severn	Polish Dance	Bk 7 Double stops, mood changes, off the string at the frog, fingered harmonics
Seitz	Concerto No. 1 in D	Bk 6 3rd octave of A maj scale with string crossings to open A, baby cadenza
Accolay	Concerto in a Minor	Bk 6/7 bow division/slur/double stops/fast shift to high harmonic
Monti	Csardas	Bk 7 High G string, fingered harmonics, LH&RH coordination in fast playing
de Beriot	Concerto # 9 in a minor	Bk 8+ Subdividing, 6ths and octaves, skips to higher pos notes fingered octaves
de Beriot	Scene de Ballet	Bk 8+ Arpeggiated staccato, double stops, fast runs, ricochet, big mood changes
Mozart/Kreisler	Rondo	Bk 8+ Sautille, cadenzas, double stops, lighter style in spots
Bartok	Romanian Folk Dances	Bk 8+ Chords, LH&RH pizz. fingered harmonics, fast double stops with challenging bowings
Vitali	Chaconne in G minor (CF.ed)	Bk 8+ Intricate bowings, big skips to octaves, vibrato glissando, double stops in higher positions
Kreisler	Praeludium and Allegro	Off the string strokes, double stops quickly in positions, intricate left hand work, repeated down bows with chords

Supplementary Pieces by Category from Easiest to Most Difficult

The Layering of Techniques

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Slow pieces

Adoration	Borowski
Melodie	Gluck/Kreisler
Meditation from Thais	Massenet
Sicilienne	Paradis
Liebesleid	Kreisler
Romance	Wieniawski
Romance in F	Beethoven
Romance in G	Beethoven

Natural and Fingered Harmonics

Souvenir de Sarasate	Potstock
Concerto No. 1 in D	Seitz
Csardas	Monti
Roumanian Dances	Bartok
Zigeunerweisen	Sarasate
Concerto in b minor (2nd mvt)	Saint-Saens

Shifting into higher positions for the first time

Adoration	Borowski
Concerto in A Minor	Accolay
Concerto # 23, 1st Mvt	Viotti
Allegro Brillante	Ten Have
Concerto in A Minor	de Beriot

Sautille/Off string

Perpetual Motion Little Suite# 6	Bohm
Csardas	Monti
Sicilienne and Rigaudon	Kreisler
Rondo	Mozart/Kreisler
Praeludium and Allegro	Kreisler
Moto Perpetual	Novacek
Variations on a Theme of Corelli	Kreisler

Left Hand Pizzicato

Puppet Show	Trott
The Boy Paganini	Mollenhauer (Fun with Solos)
Polish Dance	Severn
Souvenir de Sarasate	Potstock
Introduction and Tarantelle	Sarasate
Zigeunerweisen	Sarasate

Octaves

Concerto # 9 in a minor	de Beriot
Romance	Wieniawski
Romanza Andulucia	Sarastate

Concerti (focusing on first Movements)

Concerto in A Minor	Accolay
Concerto in G Major	Haydn
Concerto # 3 in G	Mozart
Concerto # 9 in A Minor	de Beriot
Concerto in E Major	Bach
Concerto in G Minor	Bruch*
Concerto in E Minor	Mendelssohn
Concerto No. 4 in D	Mozart
Concerto No. 5 in A	Mozart
Symphonie Espagnole	Lalo*
Concerto in B Minor	Saint- Saens
Concerto	Barber*

* = other mvts at a more difficult level

Double Stops

Concertino in G	Huber(Fun with Solos, Bk 5 level)
Souvenir de Sarasate	Potstock
Polish Dance	Severn
Mazurka	Mylanarski
Praeludium and Allegro	Kreisler
Liebesfreud	Kreisler
Variations on a Theme by Corelli	Kreisler
Romanza Anduluza	Sarasate
Banjo and Fiddle	Kroll
Nigun	Bloch