
The AutoCAD® Workbench

Final Edition

Tips & Insights for Maximizing your AutoCAD Productivity

A Compilation of AutoCAD Insights from 14 years of Michael's Corner & Hundreds of Hands-On Seminars

This Final Edition of *The AutoCAD® Workbench* has been updated to AutoCAD 2018. Compiled from 14 years of monthly articles from CADTutor's 'Michael's Corner', *The AutoCAD Workbench, Final Edition* is a collection of exercises, Gold Star tips, and topical insights with hundreds of figures and illustrations designed to make you more productive. Easy-to-follow "How-To" steps give you practical examples to guide you through a broad array of commands and applications. You have a life, *The AutoCAD Workbench* will help you get it back!

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*"Michael provides a **very comprehensive desktop reference** covering many years of **problem solving tips and advice** on how to **become more proficient** using AutoCAD. Keep this book near your desk as **it will motivate you** and provide you with the **answers and knowledge** you need to succeed. You have just made a great investment in developing **your technical skills** in AutoCAD."*

Sam Lucido – CAD Manager and popular AU Speaker.

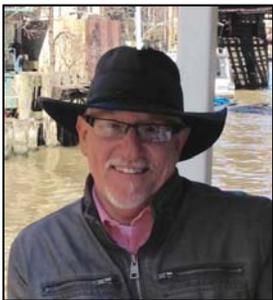
*"If you've had the pleasure of experiencing a training session with Michael, you know how **invaluable** his lessons are. If **not**, his books are the next best thing! **Easy-to-follow, easy-to-use** and **not dumbed down** in a way that makes you feel like you aren't 'getting' it. I love Michael's style and love his books! A definite 'must -have' **for either the novice or veteran CAD user.**"*

Victoria B. – Senior Project Designer

*Michael Beall is **the** CAD Trainer Guy. He's been working with AutoCAD for as long as I can remember and he was instrumental in **developing my own understanding** of this wonderful software. For 14 years, he wrote **insightful and enlightening articles** for our users at CADTutor.net and this book is an update on all that fantastic work. I wholeheartedly recommend it to you*

*– this CAD Trainer Guy **really knows what he's talking about!***

David Watson, College Professor & Webmaster, www.CADTutor.net



Michael E. Beall is the owner of CAD Trainer Guy, LLC in Shelbyville, KY. He's still providing customized, hands-on, application-specific training on all versions of AutoCAD® and AutoCAD LT®, either on-site or via webinar.

Michael has been presenting CAD seminars to the A&D community, facility departments and the contract furniture industry since 1982 and on AutoCAD since 1990. A popular speaker, Michael has presented 'The AutoCAD Toolbelt' at numerous trade shows and for several years at Autodesk University. At AU 2013, he won the coveted 'Speaker Award' for his Hands-On Lab, 'Click My Ride: Customizing AutoCAD for How You Work'. **All of the content from his AU sessions are in this book.** Over the last 35 years he has trained on 6 continents, 11 countries, 41 states, and Guam.

As an Autodesk Authorized Author, he authored two volumes of Autodesk Official Training Courseware, and co-authored five titles published by New Riders Publishing, including the popular 'Inside AutoCAD' series.

Mr. Beall received his Bachelor of Architecture degree from the University of Cincinnati/DAA in 1978. For additional information on his current training seminars, visit his website, www.cadtrainerguy.com, where you will also find AutoCAD tips, downloads, and references. Additional AutoCAD insights can be found at the archive of Michael's Corner on CADTutor.net www.CADTutor.net/corner from which this book was inspired.

"If you have questions on AutoCAD or would like to inquire about my training seminars or speaking engagements, please feel free to contact me at michael.beall@cadtrainerguy.com."



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