



## **Mid to Experienced Woodworker**

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Location: Brooklyn Navy Yard, NYC

Schedule: Full Time

Wage Range: Hourly - Commensurate with experience, \$28-\$32 / hour

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### **Overview**

As a unique and multi-disciplinary practice, we are seeking a unique and multi-disciplinary teammate to take on the role of Fabricator in our Fabrication division. Working closely with Project managers and Lead Fabricators, this mid level woodworker will be responsible for various fabrication processes within the shop and on jobsites.

Candidates who have a strong background in woodworking must be proficient in all woodworking applications, and all standard woodworking machinery operations. Most of our projects utilize both CNC cut pieces and handcrafted work, so an awareness of how the two methods can be integrated is important. A strong foundation in traditional woodworking methods employed in cabinetry and millwork is essential. The ideal candidate can delegate to less experienced fabricators on projects that include multiple materials, exemplifies an eagerness to learn new processes, and is excited to take on projects that require creative problem solving and applying unconventional techniques.

Since our projects often comprise multiple materials, at times the candidate may be asked to perform fabrication tasks using metal, composites or other materials. The position is full-time (M~F 9AM - 5PM with a 1 hour, unpaid lunch break)

The position requires the following physical abilities:

- Ability to lift objects up to 50lbs to a height of 3-4 feet.
- Ability to work continuously for 2-3 hours standing up.
- Maintain a high level of communication as a team member, and keep cool during stressful situations.

You also need to meet these mandatory requirements:

- Must speak English (ESOL acceptable).
- Have a high school diploma, GED, or equivalent knowledge, skills, experience, or training certification.

Although this position is eligible for overtime, you won't typically work more than 40 hours per week. Compensation is commensurate with experience.

### **About You**

We don't know you yet, but we imagine that you love the idea of making things and getting your hands dirty. You're probably new to the industry or entering the workforce, and are looking for a company to get excited about in the fabrication, construction, or manufacturing industries. You have a positive, flexible attitude, strong organizational skills, and are a self-starter.

### **Qualifications**

- 4years minimum of professional experience in a woodshop environment
- Cutting, drilling, sanding and assembly
- Demonstrated attention to detail and accuracy
- Strong (clear and effective) written and spoken communication skills
- Ability to read architectural drawings
- Excellent organization and tidy work habits
- Ability to work both independently and collaboratively on teams
- Must be eligible to work in the U.S.

## About Us

SITU is an unconventional architecture practice using design, research, and fabrication for creative and social impact. The company was founded in 2005, in Brooklyn, New York, by four friends studying architecture at the Cooper Union. We've shaped our practice out of the multi-disciplinary style of our education, and have grown through working with clients who value a progressive approach to problem-solving. We now employ a staff of 35+ people.

Our process is client-specific, adaptive and driven by a diversity of deep knowledge, untethered from any stylistic or formal agenda. This allows us to work out-of-bounds, using new tools of architecture to generate unique outcomes.

Our practice is composed of three divisions—Studio, Research, and Fabrication—that work collaboratively while providing individual services. This keeps prototyping, research and development, and hands-on craft elemental to our creative process.

We bring a unique background of art, architecture, design, and technology, combined with a deep understanding of materials and craftsmanship, to projects at every scale. From our 10,000 sq ft production shop we provide digital and traditional fabrication services to architects, artists, contractors, developers, and creative agencies, among others. Our services also include design assists, consulting, and project management at every stage. Our expertise is not defined by materials or processes, but rather by the complexity and uniqueness of each project we choose to take on.

## Learn More

<http://situ.nyc>

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## Application Instructions

Please send your application materials to [work@situ.nyc](mailto:work@situ.nyc) with the subject line 'Mid to Experienced Woodworker - Fabrication'

Include, as a single (1) PDF attachment:

- a cover letter telling us about yourself, what excites you about the opportunity, and what you can bring to the position
- your resume
- three (3) references
- a portfolio, website, and / or relevant work samples that will enrich our understanding of you and your experience

No phone calls, please.

SITU is committed to diversity, equity, and inclusivity in the workplace and beyond. We encourage all of our employees to bring their original, authentic, and multifaceted selves into the company. As an equal opportunity employer, we do not discriminate based on race, color, religion, national origin, age, gender, sex, ancestry, citizenship status, mental or physical disability, genetic information, sexual orientation, veteran status, or military status. We highly encourage all qualified candidates to apply.