

# Quality Slab Manufacturing - Sawing, Drying, Finishing, and Installation Workshop

June 20, 2023

**Workshop Location:**  
Ohio Wood Connection  
4450 Emerald Avenue  
Cincinnati, OH 45242

## About the Workshop:

Understanding the science behind drying and manufacturing quality wood slabs diversifies the design potential for countertops, island tops and tables. This knowledge offsets fears that having a beautiful wood slab installed in your home or office could fail. This workshop will focus on the science and practice of producing quality hardwood slabs. Presentations and demonstrations will showcase sawing, drying, and finishing wood slabs.

## Workshop Schedule:

8:00am Registration  
9:00am Program Starts  
3:00pm Program Finishes

## Workshop Topics:

- Live-edge Sawing Demonstration and Surfacing
- Vacuum Kiln Drying Demonstration
- Introduction to Moisture Movement and Wood Drying
- Lunch Provided
- Understanding Slab Finishing
- Q & A on Design and Installation Panel
- Closing Remarks

## Who Should Attend:

The workshop is targeted at home sawyers, builders, architects, and designers. Understanding the wood science behind quality slab production will add beauty to your next design project.

**Fee:** \$15 for Members of GLKDA and OVLDA  
\$25 Non-Members

## Accommodations:

### Courtyard

4625 Lake Forest Drive, Blue Ash, OH 45242  
Phone: (513) 733-4334

### Embassy Suites

4554 Lake Forest Drive, Blue Ash, OH 45242  
Phone: (513) 733-8900

### Hampton Inn

4761 Creek Road, Blue Ash, OH 45242  
Phone: (513) 791-2822

### Holiday Inn Express

4660 Creek Road, Blue Ash, OH 45242  
Phone: (513) 985-9035

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INSTALLATION WORKSHOP REGISTRATION FORM**

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**\$15 for GLKDA & OVLDA members OR \$25 for non-members**

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Name #2 \_\_\_\_\_

Name #3 \_\_\_\_\_

Name #4 \_\_\_\_\_

Company Name:

GLKDA member? \_\_\_\_\_ OVLDA member? \_\_\_\_\_

Address:

Street \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

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**TO PAY BY CREDIT CARD (VISA OR MASTERCARD ONLY):** Complete information below and fax entire registration form to (906) 875-3724 or email to office@glkda.org.

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