



# MICHAEL ANDERSON

## Senior Furniture Designer

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### SUMMARY

Distinguished Furniture Maker with over 15 years of comprehensive craftsmanship experience, specializing in bespoke furniture design and production. Demonstrated proficiency in utilizing a range of traditional and modern woodworking techniques to create high-quality, custom pieces that reflect client specifications and aesthetic preferences. An extensive portfolio showcases a commitment to sustainability and the use of eco-friendly materials, aligning with contemporary market demands.

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### WORK EXPERIENCE

#### Senior Furniture Designer Artisan Woodworks

Jan 2023 - Present

- Designed and produced custom furniture pieces tailored to client specifications.
- Managed a team of craftsmen, overseeing daily operations and workflow.
- Utilized CAD software to create detailed design plans and prototypes.
- Conducted quality control inspections to ensure product excellence.
- Implemented sustainable practices in sourcing materials.
- Engaged in client consultations to refine project concepts and designs.

#### Furniture Maker Bespoke Creations

Jan 2020 - Dec 2022

- Crafted high-end furniture pieces using advanced woodworking techniques.
  - Collaborated with interior designers to align furniture with overall design themes.
  - Maintained equipment and tools to ensure optimum operational efficiency.
  - Participated in trade shows to showcase new designs and network with clients.
  - Trained junior craftsmen on best practices and techniques.
  - Developed a client feedback system to enhance product offerings.
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### EDUCATION

#### Bachelor of Fine Arts in Furniture Design, Rhode Island School of Design, 2009

Sep 2019 - Oct 2020

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### ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

- **Technical Skills:** woodworking, CAD design, project management, client relations, sustainable practices, craftsmanship
- **Awards/Activities:** Recipient of the 2022 National Design Award for Excellence in Furniture Design.
- **Awards/Activities:** Increased company revenue by 30% through repeat business and referrals.
- **Awards/Activities:** Featured in "Fine Woodworking" magazine for innovative furniture designs.
- **Languages:** English, Spanish, French