

DAWG Club Members:

On Tuesday August 11, DAWG and several other clubs will be hosting a virtual woodturning demonstration by Craig Timmerman. The demo will start at 6:30 pm, but you can join the zoom meeting as early as 6:00 to catch up with your fellow woodturners.



About the Demonstrator:

Craig Timmerman is a full-time artist and production woodturner living in Austin, TX. He is a nationally-known woodturner who has demoed at many clubs in the Texas area, as well as both regional and national symposia. He recently demoed at the first AAW virtual symposium and his demo was very well received. Craig's specialties include hollow forms, spheres, and non-round (e.g. square) turnings. Many of his pieces combine multiple turnings and bent laminations. His work is featured in several Central Texas galleries. For more about Craig and his work, please refer to his website: www.armadillowoodworks.com

About the Demonstration:

During the demo, Craig will be turning a Torus Vase. In geometry, a torus is a surface of revolution generated by revolving a circle in three dimensional space about an axis co-planar with the circle, which does not touch the circle. In simple terms, a torus is a doughnut or inner tube shape. This is a fun project. This project covers how to turn a torus-shaped vase/weed pot with a glass tube insert. The vase is turned on multiple axis and uses multiple chucking techniques. The project can be scaled to work on almost any sized lathe. Craig will cover all the steps including all of the different ways the piece is held on the lathe, useful gigs, turning air, production techniques, and optional designs. If there is time he will also cover how he does the stone inlay work.

Handout: <http://armadillowoodworks.com/pdfs/torusvase.pdf>