

Getting Started with CAD

Session #1-3

Learn essential CAD drafting and editing skills with That CAD Girl's *Getting Started with CAD* training series. This session covers practical tools, layer management, and real-world workflows for IntelliCAD, AutoCAD, Carlson, and MicroSurvey users .

Key Topics:

- CAD units and file compatibility
- Distance and inquiry commands (DIST, LIST)
- Object snaps and precision drafting
- Editing tools: MOVE, COPY, TRIM, EXTEND, FILLET
- Selection methods and shortcuts (Window, Crossing, Fence, WP/CP)
- Polylines and PEDIT functions
- Layer creation, organization, and visibility control
- Line types, line weights, and scaling (LTScale, PSLTScale)
- Undo/Redo and command efficiency
- Practical Q&A and troubleshooting tips

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Session #1-2

Learn the fundamentals of CAD drafting with this training session covering coordinate systems, line commands, and precision tools in IntelliCAD and Carlson. Discover how to use object snaps, polar coordinates, and ortho mode to create accurate, professional drawings efficiently.

Key Topics:

- Introduction to CAD drafting basics
- Coordinate systems (X, Y, and elevation)
- Drawing and editing lines
- Using polar and direct distance entry
- Ortho mode and function key shortcuts (F3, F6, F8)
- Zooming, panning, and navigation tools
- Object snaps and entity snaps (endpoint, midpoint, perpendicular, tangent, intersection, etc.)
- Carlson vs. IntelliCAD line command differences
- Undo/redo and command line operations
- Practical drafting tips for precision and efficiency

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Getting Started with CAD, Session 1-1

Learn the fundamentals of CAD with That CAD Girl's *Getting Started with CAD* training series. This introductory session covers essential CAD concepts, interface navigation, command-line skills, and best practices for working in Carlson, MicroSurvey, and Civil 3D.

Key Topics:

- Understanding CAD platforms (IntelliCAD vs. AutoCAD)
- Navigating Carlson, MicroSurvey, and Civil 3D interfaces
- Using workspaces, ribbons, and toolbars effectively
- Command-line basics and shortcut aliases
- File management, auto-save, and backup strategies
- Customizing options and display settings
- Status bar tools and function key shortcuts
- Drawing settings, units, and coordinate systems
- Line vs. Polyline fundamentals
- UCS icon setup and coordinate orientation

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An Overview of Enhanced

Productivity with MicroSurvey CAD

A Virtual Webinar Using MicroSurvey CAD – Improve Boundary and Cadastral Workflows

This webinar introduces MicroSurvey CAD Field to Finish, a survey-focused drafting solution designed to streamline boundary and cadastral workflows. James Johnston demonstrates setup, configuration, and advanced COGO tools that improve efficiency and accuracy for surveyors transitioning from general CAD platforms.

Key Topics:

- Introduction to MicroSurvey and its product ecosystem
- Configuring MicroSurvey CAD for boundary and cadastral work
- Demonstration of COGO tools, labeling, and lot closure features
- Integration with Leica Captivate and Starnet
- Upcoming webinars and product roadmap

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