



GIRLS  
GARAGE

# CORPORATE WORKSHOPS



12

PARTICIPANTS

40

DIFFERENT POWER TOOLS  
IN OUR WORKSHOP

1

DAY OF BUILDING AND  
BONDING





# WHAT WE DO

Girls Garage is a nonprofit building program for girls and a 3600-square-foot workshop in Berkeley, CA. When we aren't teaching young girls how to build, we love hosting corporate groups in our space for team-building activities with power tools!

Building is bonding, whether you're 9 years old or 79 years old. We welcome corporate groups of adults for a day or half-day of team-building, creative calisthenics, and hands-on building. Our skilled staff has decades of experience in education, design, and construction trades, and will guide your team through building and making activities that will challenge participants to problem-solve together, communicate effectively, and establish a culture of creativity.

We have helped tech companies re-establish shared priorities after a company restructuring, led a team of female construction managers through activities to improve communication with jobsite teams, and helped school district leadership create a more positive working culture for their principals and teachers. Fees from our corporate workshops also support low- and no-cost programming for girls, so as your company builds together, they're paying it forward to the next generation, too.

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A TEAM OF CREATIVES BUILDS A PLANTER BOX TO BE DONATED TO A LOCAL SCHOOL

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CONSTRUCTION MANAGERS FROM DPR CONSTRUCTION BUILD TOOLBOXES

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TEACHERS FROM A SAN DIEGO SCHOOL DISTRICT WITH SCREEN PRINTED POSTERS



# WORKSHOP OPTIONS

## **SCREEN PRINTING: GOAL-SETTING AND ITERATION**

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This half-day workshop will challenge teams to set individual and collective goals through the art of screen printing and block-printing. We'll start with an open screen printing challenge, in which the entire group will create a graphic piece together. Then we'll regroup, debrief, and move on to produce individual posters using block-carving and printing techniques, so that each participant takes home an artifact representing their own goals. Up to 20 participants, \$60 per person.

## **TOOLBOXES: WHAT ARE YOUR ASSETS?**

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For teams who need a reminder of their super-power skill set, this all-day workshop will teach the basics of 10 different tools and all participants will leave with their own wooden toolbox. From saws and drills to drivers, sanders, and laser-etching, this activity challenges participants to declare their own strengths and contributions to the group as a whole. Up to 10 participants, \$120 per person.

## **PLANTER BOXES: COLLABORATION AND PROBLEM-SOLVING**

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For the team that needs to come together around a common goal, this planter box build is a great challenge in collaborative problem-solving! Participants will learn the basic woodshop tools and be given a set of plans to decipher and follow to construct a complex cedar planter box. Groups may designate or have us identify a recipient organization for the planter boxes, which can also be planted with flowers on site. Up to 12 participants, \$90 per person.

## **COMMUNITY BUILD: GO BIG AND GIVE BACK**

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In an ambitious one- or two-day building project, participants will build a real-world project for a nonprofit client, such as furniture for a women's shelter or a fence for a local school. These projects require teamwork, sweat, and a positive attitude. These projects are custom designed and require 3-6 months of lead time. Up to 18 participants, price varies.

# TESTIMONIALS

"We sent a group of female project managers to a workshop, where they did hands on carpentry and team building. Not only did they come out of the workshop with a great product, they had the experience of working together in a capacity they would not have had otherwise."

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**CLAIRE,  
DPR CONSTRUCTION**

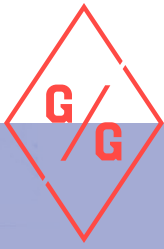
"The corporate workshop that Girls Garage helped to facilitate with our business was engaging, fun, and unlike any other team building workshop we've ever experienced! Trying something new and audacious as a team not only helped to build relationships, but it also helped build confidence in ourselves and in each other."

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**KATE,  
ONE WORKPLACE**

For further information and to plan your own corporate workshop, please contact our Director with your group size, optimal dates(s), and desired workshop type. We look forward to building with you!

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