



Scott Nickum

Master Craftsman • Licensed General Contractor • 40+ Years of Excellence

Gentlemen Builders LLC | ROC 31711 | Arizona Licensed Contractor

PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Highly accomplished master craftsman and licensed contractor with over 40 years of hands-on experience spanning every phase of residential and commercial construction. Known for exceptional quality, attention to detail, and the ability to lead complex projects from concept to completion. Founder of two successful contracting businesses serving the greater Phoenix metropolitan area and beyond. Deep expertise in tile and stone, finish carpentry, remodeling, and general contracting with a proven track record across new builds, large-scale commercial projects, and full-scope residential renovations.

LICENSES & CERTIFICATIONS

Owner & General Contractor | Gentlemen Builders LLC

- Arizona ROC License R-61 – Specialty Residential Carpentry, Remodeling and Repairs
- Arizona C-48 Tile License – Scott Nickum Tile Company LLC
- Independent Contractor – Cable TV Installation (1982–1983)

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Owner & General Contractor | Gentlemen Builders LLC – Arizona

2017 – Present

- Full-scope residential remodeling and repair including kitchens, bathrooms, and custom carpentry
- Licensed under Arizona ROC (R-61) for specialty residential carpentry, remodeling and repairs
- Manage all aspects of client relations, project estimation, scheduling, and on-site supervision
- Delivering premium craftsmanship throughout the Phoenix Valley

Independent Investor & Renovation Contractor | Residential Fix & Flip Projects – Arizona

2005 – 2010

- Successfully completed 8 individual residential fix-and-flip projects
- Self-performed all phases: plumbing, electrical, framing, cabinetry, finish carpentry, countertops, drywall, and all flooring types
- Managed project timelines and budgets to maximize return on investment

Owner & Licensed Tile Contractor | Scott Nickum Tile Company LLC – Arizona

1992 – 2010

- Founded and operated full-service tile company under Arizona C-48 Tile License
- New residential construction for Gosnell Builders, Pulte Homes, and Continental Homes

- Completed major commercial projects: Mohave High School, Dysart High School, Bradshaw Mountain High School, and Thunder Mountain Middle School
- Performed residential remodels throughout the entire Phoenix metropolitan valley

Journeyman Tile Setter | **Various Residential & Commercial Clients – Arizona**

1991

- Achieved journeyman status with proficiency in all aspects of tile and stone installation
- Specialized in showers, tub surrounds, exterior and interior floors, countertops, and fireplaces

Independent Tile Setter | **Self-Employed – Arizona**

1988 – 1990

- Operated as an independent tile installation specialist for residential clients
- Built reputation for quality craftsmanship and reliability

Tile Setter Helper / Apprentice | **Various Contractors – Arizona**

1986 – 1988

- Assisted journeyman tile setters on residential and commercial projects
- Developed foundational skills in material preparation, layout, and installation techniques

Residential & Commercial Framer | **Various Contractors – Arizona**

1985

- Performed structural framing for both residential homes and commercial buildings
- Gained expertise in reading blueprints and structural construction sequencing

Concrete Form Setter & Finisher | **Various Contractors – Arizona**

1984

- Set and finished concrete forms for residential and commercial foundations and flatwork

Independent Cable TV Installer | **Self-Employed – Arizona**

1982 – 1983

- Operated as an incorporated independent contractor for cable television installation
- Early experience running a self-managed business, handling scheduling and customer service

CORE COMPETENCIES

Tile & Stone Mastery — Showers, tub surrounds, floors (interior & exterior), countertops, fireplaces

Kitchen & Bathroom Remodeling — Full-scope design-to-completion renovations

Finish Carpentry & Cabinetry — Custom trim, millwork, cabinet installation, and built-ins

Structural Framing — Residential and commercial new construction

General Remodeling — Plumbing, electrical, drywall, flooring, countertops

Project & Business Management — Estimating, scheduling, client relations, subcontractor coordination

Concrete Work — Form setting, pouring, and finishing for residential and commercial applications