

6"

# NOTES:

#### TOP

- 1. Turn the top as you would a bowl. Diameter can range from 4" to 6" and the thickness from 2" to 3". Proportions should be pleasing.
- 2. Mount the piece between centers.
- 3. Turn the outside surface leaving a tenon.

- 4. Reverse the piece mounting it with the tenon.
  5. Drill a 1" diameter hole 1 1/8" deep in the center.
  6. Hollow between the center hole and edge to reduce the piece the second the weight. Keep thickness greater than 1/4"
- 7. Sand the interior
   8. Reverse the top again, holding it with spigot jaws in the expansion mode within the 1" hole.
- 9. Remove the tenon and sand the exterior of the top

## SPINDLE

- 1. The spindle should be made last to allow the tenons to be fit snuggly in the top and base.
- The visible length of the spindle may range from 10" to 15". Increasing the length of the spindle may require increasing the diameter of the base. (Note: This height is necessary to accomodate a woman's wig with long hair)
- 3. Any shape or wood may be used from a uniform diameter spindle to a highly complex shape. 4. Sand the spindle to the same grit as the top.

BASE

- 1. The diameter of the base should be roughly 20% larger than the top to provide stability
- 2. Mount the base on a glue block or with double sided tape or with hot glue.
- The exposed surface should be trued and turned, as much as possible, to the target diameter.Drill a 1" diameter hole 7/8' deep in the center

- of the piece.
  5. Turn a 1/4" radius on the edge.
  6. Optionally, turn a recess on the top surface. This can be used to hold coins, rings, etc.
- Sand this surface
- Reverse the piece holding it on spigot jaws.
   True the bottom surface and dish out the bottom so the assembly will sit properly on a flat surface. 10. Sand this surface.

## FINAL STEPS

- 1. The stand may be subjected to water or solvents, so a waterproof glue should be used. Titebond III or epoxy is recommended. 2. For the same reasons, the finish should also
- be waterproof. Polyurethane is recommended.

## REFERENCES

For more information Google "Wig Stands" on the internet.

Remember there are no strict rules. Any shape(s) are acceptable as long as they are attractive and functional.