

# creating space

Looking for a innovative, quick solution to add on to your home? Modern Cabana suggests you pitch a tent.

Nothing detracts more from the sleek lines and minimalist ornamentation of a modern design aesthetic than a cluttered, overstuffed room. But as many homeowners know, creating new spaces to contain your burgeoning belongings or incorporating an extra room into your current home's layout can turn into a costly and unsightly headache of a project. Enter award-winning San Francisco designer Casper Mørk-Ulness and contractor Nick Damner, co-founders of Bay area-based Modern Cabana.

Since combining their talents in 2004, the two brothers-in-law have been creating their design-focused, upscale, pre-fabricated, accessory structures all around the country. Stylish, efficient and rarely requiring a building permit, their cabanas provide an elegant, affordable, environmentally responsible alternative to the standard building addition or unattractive yard shed. Their flagship space, the Cabana, was designed out of their passionate belief that all spaces of the home should be attractive, welcoming and well-constructed havens.

Weatherized for year-round use, cabanas range in size from 100 to more than a 1,000 square feet and can be equipped with electricity and temperature control devices. Offering a variety of material and style options for the space, including an array of choices for doors, windows, floors and siding, clients are able to customize the space themselves and consider their personal design tastes as well as the future functionality of the room. Arriving preassembled and usually requiring just a few days to erect on location, cabanas offer a unique and elegant way to add a private sanctuary for relaxation, a much-needed home office, a pool house, workout room or even a guest bedroom to your abode without the hassles that accompany typical home renovation. | [Moderncabana.com](http://Moderncabana.com)

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