Studio Brief
The studio will tackle the design of small cabins and a workshop for use by TTU architecture students and faculty on the outskirts of Marfa, Texas.

The location/goals of this project will require students to consider a host of ideas – the m's.

marfa  enigmatic, confounding, mysterious, inspiring . . . .
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modularity  designed/built using transportable modules
mobility  structures built elsewhere and shipped to Marfa
moldability  must respond to the site, molded to the landscape
mutability  serving students over time, cabins must be adaptable
materiality  the rugged environment demands appropriate materials
map  compound will locate and define a place that has great potential for students
mirror  a reflection of student academic exploration, a synopsis of their design educations
maker  fabrication by future students is to be considered
meaning  the project will become a place that is meaningful to scores of future students