Job Journeys in
Agriculture, Food & Natural Resources

Now
Requires up to twelve months of on-the-job experience & informal training

- Earth Drillers, except Oil and Gas: $51,272
- Hazardous Materials Removal Worker: $46,594
- Refuse and Recyclable Material Collectors: $41,980
- Industrial Truck and Tractor Operators: $40,830
- Tree Trimmers and Pruners: $40,039
- Pesticide Sprayers & Applicators: $39,689

Next
Requires more than twelve months of on-the-job training or experience gained from another occupation

- Supervisors of Construction Trades and Extraction Workers: $79,695
- Supervisors of Office and Administrative Support Workers: $65,258
- Water and Wastewater Treatment Plant and System Operators: $64,046
- Supervisors of Landscaping, Lawn Service and Groundskeeping: $59,616
- Petroleum Pump System Operators, Refinery Operators and Gaugers: $53,551

Later
Requires a minimum of a Bachelor’s Degree

- Zoologists and Wildlife Biologists: $86,489
- Environmental Engineers: $86,145
- Soil and Plant Scientists: $83,877
- Occupational Health and Safety Specialists: $78,733
- Foresters: $66,277

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NOW
Requires up to twelve months of on-the-job experience & informal training

Control and Valve Installers and Repairers .......................... $ 67,320
Operating Engineers, Construction Equipment Operators .......... 66,294
Pipayers ........................................................................ 60,740
Security and Fire Alarm Systems Installers ......................... 55,025
Highway Maintenance Workers ........................................ 54,380
Surveying and Mapping Technicians .................................. 53,174

NEXT
Requires more than twelve months of on-the-job training or experience gained from another occupation

Electrical Power-Line Installers and Repairers ....................... $ 87,074
Supervisors of Construction Trades and Extraction Workers .... 79,695
Construction and Building Inspectors ................................ 68,294
Stationary Engineers and Boiler Operators .......................... 64,771
Heating, Air Conditioning, Refrigeration Mechanics and Installers 57,519
Maintenance and Repair Workers, General ......................... 46,076

LATER
Requires a minimum of a Bachelor’s Degree

Construction Managers ........................................................... $ 104,308
Civil Engineers .................................................................... 90,429
Architects, except Landscape and Naval .................... 86,753
Cost Estimators .................................................................. 77,338

This Job Journey information represents occupations in the Architecture & Construction cluster arranged by education/training levels and first quarter 2017 wages.

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Job Journeys in Arts, Audio-Video Technology & Communications

### NOW
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<tr>
<td>Computer, Automated Teller, and Office Machine Repairers</td>
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<td>Coin, Vending, and Amusement Machine Servicers/Repairers</td>
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<td>Data Entry Keyers</td>
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<td>Printing Press Operators</td>
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Requires a minimum of twelve months of on-the-job training or some postsecondary vocational training

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<td>Choreographers</td>
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<td>Photographers</td>
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<td>Electronic Home Entertainment Equipment Installers/Repairers</td>
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<td>Pre-press Technicians and Workers</td>
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Requires a minimum of a Bachelor’s Degree

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<td>Multimedia Artists and Animators</td>
<td>$79,867</td>
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<td>Film and Video Editors</td>
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<td>Set and Exhibit Designers</td>
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# Job Journeys in Business, Management & Administration

## NOW
Requires up to twelve months of on-the-job experience & informal training

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<td>Advertising Sales Agents</td>
<td>$72,960</td>
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<td>Cargo and Freight Agents</td>
<td>$52,739</td>
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<td>Court, Municipal and License Clerks</td>
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Requires more than twelve months of on-the-job training or an Associate’s Degree

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<td>Executive Secretaries and Executive Administrative Assistants</td>
<td>$70,986</td>
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<td>Supervisors of Office and Administrative Support Workers</td>
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<td>Court Reporters</td>
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<td>Human Resources Assistants, except Payroll and Timekeeping</td>
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<td>Sales Managers</td>
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<td>Financial Managers</td>
<td>$156,309</td>
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<td>Marketing Managers</td>
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<td>Compensation and Benefits Managers</td>
<td>$148,859</td>
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<td>Computer and Information Systems Managers</td>
<td>$147,431</td>
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<td>General and Operations Managers</td>
<td>$147,227</td>
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# Job Journeys in Education & Training

## NOW
Requires from one month of on-the-job experience to an Associate’s Degree

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<td>Fitness Trainers and Aerobics Instructors</td>
<td>$44,938</td>
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<td>Self-Enrichment Education Teachers</td>
<td>44,911</td>
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<td>Library Technicians</td>
<td>44,586</td>
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<td>Preschool Teachers, except Special Education</td>
<td>37,032</td>
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<td>Teacher Assistants</td>
<td>31,898</td>
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<tr>
<td>Kindergarten and Elementary School Special Education Teachers</td>
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<td>Middle School Teachers</td>
<td>78,226</td>
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<td>Special Education Teachers, Secondary School</td>
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<td>Elementary School Teachers</td>
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<td>Secondary School Teachers</td>
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<td>Preschool Special Education Teachers</td>
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Requires a minimum of a Master’s Degree

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<td>Health Specialties Teachers, Postsecondary</td>
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<td>Education Administrators, Elementary and Secondary School</td>
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<tr>
<td>Political Science Teachers, Postsecondary</td>
<td>115,491</td>
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<td>Economics Teachers, Postsecondary</td>
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<td>Engineering Teachers, Postsecondary</td>
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<td>Physics Teachers, Postsecondary</td>
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<td>Biological Science Teachers, Postsecondary</td>
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<td>Chemistry Teachers, Postsecondary</td>
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<td>Title Examiners, Abstractors, and Searchers</td>
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<td>Insurance Claims and Policy Processing Clerks</td>
<td>$50,360</td>
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<td>Bill and Account Collectors</td>
<td>$45,765</td>
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<td>Claims Adjusters, Examiners, and Investigators</td>
<td>$73,889</td>
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<td>Insurance Appraisers, Auto Damage</td>
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<td>Financial Managers</td>
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<td>Personal Financial Advisors</td>
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<td>Securities, Commodities, and Financial Services Sales Agents</td>
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<td>Actuaries</td>
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<td>Financial Analysts</td>
<td>$107,022</td>
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<td>Credit Analysts</td>
<td>$93,940</td>
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<td>Insurance Underwriters</td>
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# Job Journeys in Government & Public Administration

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<td>Eligibility Interviewers, Government Programs</td>
<td>$ 59,876</td>
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<td>Meter Readers, Utilities</td>
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<td>Surveying and Mapping Technicians</td>
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<td>Detectives and Criminal Investigators</td>
<td>$ 91,263</td>
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<tr>
<td>Transportation Inspectors</td>
<td>$ 81,938</td>
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<td>Construction and Building Inspectors</td>
<td>$ 68,291</td>
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<td>Financial Examiners</td>
<td>$ 102,083</td>
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<td>Tax Examiners and Collectors, Revenue Agents</td>
<td>$ 84,369</td>
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<td>Compliance Officers</td>
<td>$ 84,267</td>
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<td>Accountants and Auditors</td>
<td>$ 82,114</td>
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<td>Real Estate Appraisers and Assessors</td>
<td>$ 68,226</td>
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<td>Ophthalmic Laboratory Technicians</td>
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<td>Dental Laboratory Technicians</td>
<td>45,250</td>
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<tr>
<td>Medical Secretaries</td>
<td>42,998</td>
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<tr>
<td>Occupational Therapy Aides</td>
<td>41,980</td>
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<tr>
<td>Medical Equipment Preparers</td>
<td>41,970</td>
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<td>Psychiatric Aides</td>
<td>36,844</td>
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Requires postsecondary vocational training or an Associate’s Degree

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<td>Radiation Therapists</td>
<td>$ 95,674</td>
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<td>Nuclear Medicine Technologists</td>
<td>86,651</td>
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<tr>
<td>Dental Hygienists</td>
<td>83,968</td>
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<td>Nuclear Technicians</td>
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<td>Diagnostic Medical Sonographers</td>
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<td>Cardiovascular Technologists and Technicians</td>
<td>72,009</td>
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<tr>
<td>Respiratory Therapists</td>
<td>70,085</td>
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<td>Radiologic Technologists</td>
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Requires a minimum of a Bachelor’s Degree or a Professional Degree

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<td>Anesthesiologists</td>
<td>$ 279,286</td>
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<td>Surgeons</td>
<td>259,570</td>
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<td>Obstetricians and Gynecologists</td>
<td>231,023</td>
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<tr>
<td>Nurse Anesthetists</td>
<td>182,639</td>
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<td>Pharmacists</td>
<td>122,306</td>
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<td>Physician Assistants</td>
<td>118,144</td>
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<td>Nurse Practitioners</td>
<td>114,985</td>
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<td>Veterinarians</td>
<td>113,932</td>
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## Job Journeys in Hospitality & Tourism

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Requires a short demonstration or up to one month of on-the-job experience

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<td>Reservation and Transportation Ticket Agents, Travel Clerks</td>
<td>$37,158</td>
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<td>Cooks, Institution and Cafeteria</td>
<td>$35,745</td>
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<td>Janitors and Cleaners, Except Maids and Housekeeping Cleaners</td>
<td>$33,506</td>
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<td>Recreation Workers</td>
<td>$32,807</td>
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<tr>
<td>Food Servers</td>
<td>$28,555</td>
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<td>Food Preparation Workers</td>
<td>$28,257</td>
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<td>Laundry and Dry Cleaning Workers</td>
<td>$26,280</td>
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<td>Amusement and Recreation Attendants</td>
<td>$26,131</td>
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<td>Travel Agents</td>
<td>$41,690</td>
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<td>Animal Trainers</td>
<td>$34,595</td>
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<td>Umpires, Referees, and Other Sports Officials</td>
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<td>Concierges</td>
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### LATER
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<td>Food Service Managers</td>
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<td>Lodging Managers</td>
<td>$61,705</td>
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<td>Chefs and Head Cooks</td>
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<td>Supervisors of Housekeeping and Janitorial Workers</td>
<td>$51,296</td>
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<td>Butchers and Meat Cutters</td>
<td>$43,479</td>
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<td>Bakers</td>
<td>$30,752</td>
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Requires up to twelve months of on-the-job experience & informal training

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<td>Social and Human Service Assistants</td>
<td>$40,688</td>
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<td>Residential Advisors</td>
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<td>Personal Care Aides</td>
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<td>Childcare Workers</td>
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<td>Child, Family, and School Social Workers</td>
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<td>Mental Health and Substance Abuse Social Workers</td>
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<tr>
<td>Health Educators</td>
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<td>Substance Abuse and Behavioral Disorder Counselors</td>
<td>$49,275</td>
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### LATER

Requires a Master’s Degree or higher

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<td>Healthcare Social Workers</td>
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<td>Marriage and Family Therapists</td>
<td>$53,629</td>
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<td>Rehabilitation Counselors</td>
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# Job Journeys in Information Technology

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Requires a minimum of twelve months of on-the-job training or an Associate’s Degree

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<td>Computer Network Support Specialists</td>
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<td>Web Developers</td>
<td>$74,905</td>
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<tr>
<td>Computer Numerically Controlled Machine Tool Programmers</td>
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<td>Computer User Support Specialists</td>
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<td>Software Developers, Systems Software</td>
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<td>Computer Hardware Engineers</td>
<td>$103,076</td>
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<td>Software Developers, Applications</td>
<td>$101,626</td>
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<tr>
<td>Computer Systems Analysts</td>
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<td>Network and Computer Systems Administrators</td>
<td>$90,206</td>
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<td>Architectural and Engineering Managers</td>
<td>$151,809</td>
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<td>Computer and Information Systems Managers</td>
<td>$147,431</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Computer Network Architects</td>
<td>$117,020</td>
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<tr>
<td>Engineering Teachers, Postsecondary</td>
<td>$108,190</td>
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<tr>
<td>Database Administrators</td>
<td>$93,588</td>
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<td>Computer Science Teachers, Postsecondary</td>
<td>$86,925</td>
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# Job Journeys in Law, Public Safety & Security

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<tr>
<td>Title Examiners, Abstractors, and Searchers</td>
<td>$55,796</td>
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<tr>
<td>Parking Enforcement Workers</td>
<td>$48,081</td>
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<tr>
<td>Transportation Security Screeners</td>
<td>$44,147</td>
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<tr>
<td>Security Guards</td>
<td>$33,187</td>
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<td>Lifeguards, Ski Patrol, Recreational Protective Service Workers</td>
<td>$24,734</td>
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<tr>
<td>Detectives and Criminal Investigators</td>
<td>$91,263</td>
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<td>Police and Sheriff’s Patrol Officers</td>
<td>$70,381</td>
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<tr>
<td>Firefighters</td>
<td>$63,406</td>
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<tr>
<td>Paralegals and Legal Assistants</td>
<td>$57,558</td>
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<td>$56,021</td>
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<tr>
<td>Judges, Magistrate Judges, Magistrates</td>
<td>$165,050</td>
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<td>Lawyers</td>
<td>$153,455</td>
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<tr>
<td>Administrative Law Judges, Adjudicators, Hearing Officers</td>
<td>$100,656</td>
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<tr>
<td>Judicial Law Clerks</td>
<td>$79,654</td>
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<tr>
<td>Forensic Science Technicians</td>
<td>$75,411</td>
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<td>Painters, Transportation Equipment</td>
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<tr>
<td>Production, Planning, and Expediting Clerks</td>
<td>$53,424</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Maintenance Workers, Machinery</td>
<td>$50,819</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Structural Metal Fabricators and Fitters</td>
<td>$49,977</td>
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<tr>
<td>Inspectors, Testers, Sorters, Samplers, and Weighers</td>
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<td>Computer Numerically Controlled Machine Tool Programmers</td>
<td>$64,608</td>
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<tr>
<td>Tool and Die Makers</td>
<td>$61,065</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Industrial Machinery Mechanics</td>
<td>$56,718</td>
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<tr>
<td>Machinists</td>
<td>$50,283</td>
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<tr>
<td>Chemical Equipment Operators and Tenders</td>
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<tr>
<td>Nuclear Technicians</td>
<td>$77,042</td>
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<tr>
<td>Supervisors of Production and Operating Workers</td>
<td>$70,121</td>
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<tr>
<td>Mechanical Engineering Technicians</td>
<td>$69,862</td>
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<tr>
<td>Civil Engineering Technicians</td>
<td>$65,953</td>
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<tr>
<td>Industrial Engineering Technicians</td>
<td>$64,647</td>
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<td>Electrical and Electronics Engineering Technicians</td>
<td>$63,371</td>
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**JOB JOURNEYS IN**

**MARKETING, SALES & SERVICE**

**NOW**

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<tr>
<td>Telemarketers</td>
<td>$42,970</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Customer Service Representatives</td>
<td>$41,722</td>
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<tr>
<td>Order Clerks</td>
<td>$39,016</td>
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<tr>
<td>Driver/Sales Workers</td>
<td>$31,167</td>
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<tr>
<td>Demonstrators and Product Promoters</td>
<td>$30,880</td>
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<tr>
<td>Retail Salespersons</td>
<td>$29,660</td>
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<tr>
<td>Real Estate Brokers</td>
<td>$105,430</td>
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<td>Lodging Managers</td>
<td>$61,705</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Supervisors of Retail Sales Workers</td>
<td>$48,580</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Travel Agents</td>
<td>$41,690</td>
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<td>Floral Designers</td>
<td>$34,571</td>
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<td>Sales Engineers</td>
<td>$100,240</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Market Research Analysts and Marketing Specialists</td>
<td>$73,052</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Purchasing Agents, except Wholesale, Retail, and Farm Products</td>
<td>$71,868</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Appraisers and Assessors of Real Estate</td>
<td>$68,226</td>
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<tr>
<td>Meeting, Convention, and Event Planners</td>
<td>$63,542</td>
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<td>Interior Designers</td>
<td>$61,994</td>
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<tr>
<td>Electrical and Electronics Drafters</td>
<td>$68,485</td>
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<td>Electro-Mechanical Technicians</td>
<td>$68,029</td>
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<td>Industrial Engineering Technicians</td>
<td>$64,647</td>
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<tr>
<td>Electrical and Electronics Engineering Technicians</td>
<td>$63,071</td>
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<tr>
<td>Surveying and Mapping Technicians</td>
<td>$53,174</td>
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<td>Nuclear Engineers</td>
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<td>Aerospace Engineers</td>
<td>$110,023</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Electronics Engineers</td>
<td>$108,251</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Materials Scientists</td>
<td>$108,241</td>
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<td>Materials Engineers</td>
<td>$106,256</td>
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<td>Computer Hardware Engineers</td>
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<td>Medical Scientists</td>
<td>$117,507</td>
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<tr>
<td>Statisticians</td>
<td>$110,438</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Biochemists and Biophysicists</td>
<td>$108,443</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Economists</td>
<td>$106,064</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Technical Writers</td>
<td>$84,849</td>
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## JOB JOURNEYS IN

TRANSPORTATION, DISTRIBUTION & LOGISTICS

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<tr>
<td>Industrial Truck and Tractor Operators</td>
<td>$40,830</td>
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<tr>
<td>Light Truck or Delivery Services Drivers</td>
<td>$38,150</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Shipping, Receiving, and Traffic Clerks</td>
<td>$37,045</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Bus Drivers, School or Special Client</td>
<td>$36,107</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Laborers and Freight, Stock, and Material Movers</td>
<td>$32,163</td>
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<tr>
<td>Taxi Drivers and Chauffeurs</td>
<td>$31,280</td>
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<tr>
<td>Transportation, Storage, and Distribution Managers</td>
<td>$116,757</td>
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<tr>
<td>Transportation Inspectors</td>
<td>$81,938</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Mobile Heavy Equipment Mechanics, Except Engines</td>
<td>$55,218</td>
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<tr>
<td>Bus and Truck Mechanics and Diesel Engine Specialists</td>
<td>$55,147</td>
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<td>Aircraft Cargo Handling Supervisors</td>
<td>$49,929</td>
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<td>Commercial Pilots</td>
<td>$130,039</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Occupational Health and Safety Specialists</td>
<td>$78,733</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Logisticians</td>
<td>$77,971</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Captains, Mates, and Pilots of Water Vessels</td>
<td>$77,779</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Aerospace Engineering and Operations Technicians</td>
<td>$77,253</td>
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<td>Aircraft Mechanics and Service Technicians</td>
<td>$68,445</td>
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