

Hot Jobs - Other

	Average Entry-level Wage	Average Annual Wage	Average Experience Wage
• Manicurists & Pedicurists Postsecondary vocational training	\$14,880	\$19,020	\$21,570
• Veterinary Technologists & Technicians Associate's degree	\$18,930	\$22,970	\$25,240
• Preschool Teachers, Except Special Education Postsecondary vocational training	\$19,110	\$23,920	\$23,700
• Skin Care Specialists Postsecondary vocational training	\$14,230	\$24,250	\$26,610
• Recreation Workers Bachelor's degree	\$17,440	\$27,540	\$32,210
• Hairdressers, Hairstylists, & Cosmetologists Postsecondary vocational training	\$18,120	\$28,340	\$34,490
• Rehabilitation Counselors Master's degree	\$19,390	\$31,350	\$35,380
• Electronic Home Entertainment Equipment Installers & Repairers Postsecondary vocational training	\$20,670	\$31,730	\$38,340
• Adult Literacy, Remedial Education, & GED Teachers & Instructors Bachelor's degree	\$20,590	\$31,820	\$39,610
• Medical Records & Health Information Technicians Associate's degree	\$21,330	\$32,130	\$38,440
• Substance Abuse & Behavioral Disorder Counselors Master's degree	\$22,750	\$32,290	\$34,370
• Education Administrators, Preschool & Child Care Center/Program Bachelor's or higher degree, plus work experience	\$20,580	\$32,680	\$37,310
• Clergy First professional degree	\$12,820	\$32,920	\$42,290
• Biological Technicians Associate's degree	\$24,150	\$33,520	\$39,600

Declining - No Growth

	Average Entry-level Wage	Average Annual Wage	Average Experience Wage
• Travel Agents	\$16,820	\$29,660	\$35,250
• Funeral Directors	\$29,670	\$35,650	\$37,050
• Forest & Conservation Technicians	\$24,010	\$37,200	\$43,070
• Actuaries	\$44,680	\$85,040	\$100,550
• Aerospace Engineers	\$53,630	\$76,510	\$89,420
• Electro-Mechanical Technicians	\$34,060	\$48,580	\$56,290
• Foresters	\$42,080	\$71,560	\$85,720
• Economists	\$51,170	\$84,190	\$87,590
• Anthropologists & Archeologists	\$23,650	\$63,670	\$86,380
• Arbitrators, Mediators, & Conciliators	\$27,800	\$61,350	\$98,120
• Vocational Education Teachers, Secondary School	\$36,550	\$52,350	\$61,500
• Avionics Technicians	\$31,630	\$49,160	\$62,590
• Jewelers & Precious Stone & Metal Workers	\$18,390	\$30,290	\$31,110
• Conservation Scientists	\$32,030	\$59,950	\$77,730
• Judges, Magistrate Judges, & Magistrates	\$69,240	\$91,770	\$107,320
• Podiatrists	\$39,480	\$142,320	NA
• Electric Motor, Power Tool, & Related Repairers	\$22,740	\$38,110	\$48,520
• Biomedical Engineers	\$53,760	\$65,900	\$71,540
• Materials Engineers	\$45,200	\$74,160	\$89,370
• Mining & Geological Engineers, Including Mining Safety Engineers	\$45,670	\$84,400	\$104,620



Denver Metro

Projections
through - 2012

Higher Education Jobs in Colorado

Hot Jobs

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Registered Nurses Associate's degree 	\$42,060	\$57,780	\$66,780
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Computer Software Engineers, Applications Bachelor's degree 	\$53,710	\$77,770	\$89,610
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> General & Operations Managers Bachelor's or higher degree, plus work experience 	\$46,350	\$106,590	\$140,770
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Computer Systems Analysts Bachelor's degree 	\$45,140	\$72,950	\$87,380
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Accountants & Auditors Bachelor's degree 	\$33,950	\$61,280	\$70,450
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Business Operations Specialists, All Other Bachelor's degree 	\$35,930	\$62,570	\$75,760
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Computer Support Specialists Associate's degree 	\$28,840	\$49,130	\$57,350
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Computer Software Engineers, Systems Software Bachelor's degree 	\$55,030	\$79,520	\$93,170
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Network Systems & Data Communications Analysts Bachelor's degree 	\$41,370	\$64,600	\$76,900
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Management Analysts Bachelor's or higher degree, plus work experience 	\$38,230	\$74,590	\$88,490
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Network & Computer Systems Administrators Bachelor's degree 	\$39,710	\$64,290	\$79,160
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Lawyers First professional degree 	\$51,160	\$101,000	\$121,800
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Computer Programmers Bachelor's degree 	\$38,930	\$68,100	\$83,460
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Construction Managers Bachelor's degree 	\$48,670	\$78,520	\$89,740

Hot Jobs - Highest Paying

	Average Entry-level Wage	Average Annual Wage	Average Experience Wage
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Chief Executives Bachelor's or higher degree, plus work experience 	\$101,130	\$169,060	NA
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Computer & Information Systems Managers Bachelor's or higher degree, plus work experience 	\$70,470	\$107,660	\$126,130
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> General & Operations Managers Bachelor's or higher degree, plus work experience 	\$46,350	\$106,590	\$140,770
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Computer Hardware Engineers Bachelor's degree 	\$62,450	\$104,240	\$120,200
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Engineering Managers Bachelor's or higher degree, plus work experience 	\$73,330	\$104,130	\$119,180
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Financial Managers Bachelor's or higher degree, plus work experience 	\$57,830	\$102,630	\$118,090
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Lawyers First professional degree 	\$51,160	\$101,000	\$121,800
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Optometrists First professional degree 	\$59,390	\$98,830	\$117,000
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Health Diagnosing & Treating Practitioners, All Other Bachelor's degree 	\$38,690	\$98,190	NA
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sales Managers Bachelor's or higher degree, plus work experience 	\$41,920	\$94,500	\$122,160
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Natural Sciences Managers Bachelor's or higher degree, plus work experience 	\$60,390	\$94,290	\$111,600
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Petroleum Engineers Bachelor's degree 	\$53,190	\$92,890	\$113,570
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Computer & Information Scientists, Research Doctoral degree 	\$53,660	\$91,790	\$108,860
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Marketing Managers Bachelor's or higher degree, plus work experience 	\$48,860	\$91,580	\$114,020

This analysis is based on growth in absolute numbers from Colorado Occupational Employment Outlook, 2002 - 2012. All occupations listed are expected to experience positive growth over the next 10 years when compared with all other industries and occupations within the scope of the original report.

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