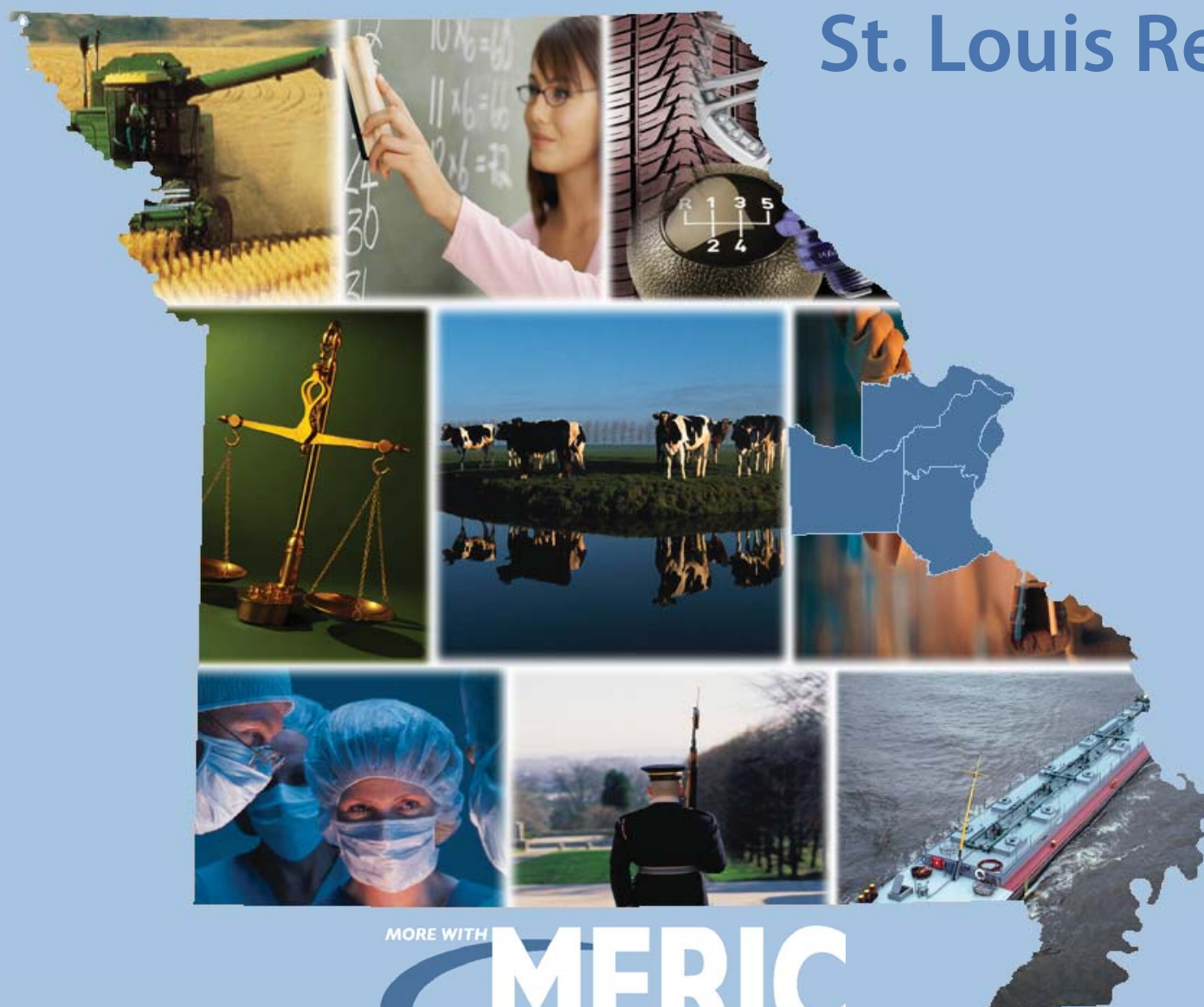


Career Outlook 2014

St. Louis Region



www.missourieconomy.org

Job Information

Career Voyages

www.careervoyages.gov/

Missouri Career Information Hotline

http://outreach.missouri.edu/career_options

Missouri Economic Research & Information Center (MERIC)

www.missourieconomy.org

Occupational Information Network

<http://online.onetcenter.org>

Job Search Web Resources

America's Job Bank

www.ajb.org

Career One Stop

www.careeronestop.org

Missouri JobCrawler

www.greathirescrawler.org

Missouri's Workforce Resource

www.missouricareersource.com

Data Resources

ACT/WorkKeys®

www.act.org/workkeys/assess

Career Clusters

<http://www.careerclusters.org/>



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St. Louis Region TOP 50

Careers in the St. Louis Region with the most job openings between 2004-2014
For a complete listing of occupations, wages, and skills information, visit the MERIC website at:

www.missourieconomy.org

Occupation	Total Openings	Average Annual Wage	Education/ Experience Typically Required	Grade	WorkKeys® Scores		
					AM	LI	RI
Architecture and Construction							
Carpenters	5,124	\$48,930	Long-term on-the-job training	A	5	5	4
Operating Engineers and Other Construction Equipment Operators	1,526	\$45,450	Moderate-term on-the-job training	A	3	4	3
Electricians	1,177	\$59,340	Long-term on-the-job training	A-	4	4	4
Plumbers, Pipefitters, and Steamfitters	1,098	\$56,770	Long-term on-the-job training	A	4	4	4
First-Line Supervisors of Construction Trades and Extraction Workers	863	\$60,910	Work experience in a related occ.	A-	5	4	4
Cost Estimators	859	\$54,760	Work experience in a related occ.	A	6	6	5
Structural Iron and Steel Workers	619	\$48,660	Long-term on-the-job training	A-	4	4	4
Business, Management, and Administration							
General and Operations Managers	3,696	\$95,370	Bachelor's or higher degree, plus exp.	A-	5	5	5
Business Operations Specialists, All Other	2,047	\$51,580	Bachelor's degree	A	5	4	5
Chief Executives	1,464	\$142,310	Bachelor's or higher degree, plus exp.	A-	6	5	6
Management Analysts	1,104	\$67,420	Bachelor's or higher degree, plus exp.	A-	5	5	5
Employment, Recruitment, and Placement Specialists	947	\$42,490	Bachelor's degree	A-	4	5	6
Human Resources, Training, and Labor Relations Specialists, All Other	372	\$55,370	Bachelor's degree	A-	5	5	5
Education and Training							
Elementary School Teachers, Except Special Education	3,515	\$40,880	Bachelor's degree	A-	3	4	4
Health Specialties Teachers, Postsecondary	1,231	\$89,600	Master's degree	A+	5	5	6
Special Education Teachers, Preschool, and Elementary School	931	\$45,030	Bachelor's degree	A-	4	5	5
Educational, Vocational, and School Counselors	692	\$47,960	Master's degree	A-	3	5	5
Training and Development Specialists	629	\$50,910	Bachelor's degree	A-	5	4	5
Special Education Teachers, Secondary School	484	\$49,260	Bachelor's degree	A-	4	5	5
Business Teachers, Postsecondary	416	\$68,120	Master's degree	A-	5	5	6
Finance							
Accountants and Auditors	4,213	\$58,890	Bachelor's degree	A-	6	5	5
Insurance Sales Agents	2,132	\$58,120	Bachelor's degree	A-	5	5	6
Health Science							
Registered Nurses	9,550	\$49,940	Associate degree	A	4	4	5
Licensed Practical and Licensed Vocational Nurses	2,287	\$34,660	Postsecondary vocational training	A-	4	4	4
Medical and Clinical Laboratory Technologists	632	\$46,220	Bachelor's degree	A-	5	5	5
Medical and Health Services Managers	549	\$80,000	Bachelor's or higher degree, plus exp.	A-	5	5	5
Medical Scientists, Except Epidemiologists	521	\$65,270	Doctoral degree	A-	5	5	6
Physical Therapists	493	\$52,740	Master's degree	A-	4	5	6
Occupational Therapists	440	\$52,990	Master's degree	A-	4	4	6
Pharmacists	439	\$89,940	First professional degree	A-	6	5	6
Physicians and Surgeons, All Other	436	\$166,880	First professional degree	A-	5	5	6
Dental Hygienists	355	\$60,540	Associate degree	A-	3	4	5
Speech-Language Pathologists	343	\$53,000	Master's degree	A-	5	5	5
Human Service							
Clergy	2,022	\$38,630	Master's degree	A-	4	4	5
Information Technology							
Computer Software Engineers, Applications	3,056	\$77,890	Bachelor's degree	A+	7	5	5
Network Systems and Data Communications Analysts	1,874	\$62,200	Bachelor's degree	A+	6	5	5
Computer Systems Analysts	1,803	\$67,380	Bachelor's degree	A+	5	5	5
Network and Computer Systems Administrators	1,691	\$59,260	Bachelor's degree	A+	5	5	5
Computer Software Engineers, Systems Software	1,526	\$73,380	Bachelor's degree	A+	7	5	5
Computer Support Specialists	1,183	\$40,320	Associate degree	A-	5	4	5
Computer and Information Systems Managers	1,040	\$96,680	Bachelor's or higher degree, plus exp.	A	6	5	5
Database Administrators	674	\$61,260	Bachelor's degree	A-	5	4	6
Law, Public Safety, and Security							
Fire Fighters	1,640	\$49,060	Long-term on-the-job training	A	4	5	4
Manufacturing							
First-Line Supervisors of Mechanics, Installers, and Repairers	865	\$56,760	Work experience in a related occ.	A-	5	4	5
Marketing, Sales, and Service							
Sales Rep., Wholesale and Manufact., exc. Technical and Scientific Products	5,791	\$60,180	Moderate-term on-the-job training	A+	5	4	5
Sales Rep., Wholesale and Manufact., Technical and Scientific Products	1,755	\$67,990	Moderate-term on-the-job training	A+	4	4	4
Sales Representatives, Services, All Other	879	\$52,710	Moderate-term on-the-job training	A-	4	4	4
Sales Managers	855	\$100,090	Bachelor's or higher degree, plus exp.	A-	5	5	5
Public Relations Specialists	717	\$45,870	Bachelor's degree	A-	0	5	5
Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics							
Electrical and Electronic Engineering Technicians	448	\$54,390	Associate degree	A-	6	5	5

Career Clusters:

Based on the National Career Clusters with occupations assigned to primary career clusters.
Some occupations may be in multiple clusters, therefore, primary cluster status was established.

WorkKeys® Skills Scores:

Range - least complex (3) to most complex (7)
AM - Applied Mathematics (Level 3-7)
LI - Locating Information (Level 3-6)
RI - Reading for Information (Level 3-7)