



CAREER PATH

Industrial & Engineering Technology

CAREER CLUSTER

Transportation, Distribution and Logistics

CAREER PATHWAY

Transportation Systems and Infrastructure



URBAN/REGIONAL PLANNER

Develop comprehensive plans and programs for use of land and physical facilities of local jurisdictions, such as towns, cities, counties, and metropolitan areas.

Knowledge and Skills Needed

In addition to courses required for high school graduation, essential skills and knowledge needed for a career as an urban planner are reinforced by taking rigorous and relevant courses, as well as participating in work-based experiences and student organization activities.

(See the Sample Personal Plan of Study for suggested coursework, activities, and knowledge and skills to pursue in preparation of an occupation in this Career Cluster.)

Education Requirements

Occupation	Percent of Missouri employees aged 25 to 44 in the occupation whose highest level of educational attainment is:		
	High School or Less	Some College	Bachelor Degree or More
Urban and regional planners	0.0%	0.0%	92.2%
Social scientists and related workers	0.7%	6.8%	92.5%
Life, physical, and social science	5.6%	12.7%	81.7%

Most Common Educational Level: Master's Degree

Note: Be sure to learn whether your occupation has a specific requirement for education or licensing. Apprenticeships are available for more than 240 occupations. Visit www.oa.doleta.gov/bat.cfm

National and State Wage Information

Location	Pay Period	2007		
		Entry*	Median	Experienced**
United States	Hourly	\$22.00	\$27.87	\$35.15
	Yearly	\$45,800	\$58,000	\$73,100
Missouri	Hourly	\$21.06	\$24.95	\$31.54
	Yearly	\$43,800	\$51,900	\$65,600

Based on (*) lower 25% and (**) upper 25% percentile of wages

National and State Employment Trends

Air Traffic Controller	Employment		Percent Change	Job Openings*
	2006	2016		
United States	33,800	38,700	+ 15%	1,490
Missouri	440	490	+ 12%	20

*The estimate for Job Openings includes both turnover that results from people who leave the occupation (e.g. quit, retire, death) and new jobs that are created.

Educational Opportunities

Note: This list may not be all inclusive. For more information about Missouri schools and programs, visit www.dhe.mo.gov

Missouri State University

Springfield, MO
(417) 836-5000
www.missouristate.edu

Saint Louis University

Saint Louis, MO
(314) 977-2222
www.imagine.slu.edu

University of Missouri

- Kansas City
Kansas City, MO
(816) 235-1000
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