

# US BUREAU OF LABOR STATISTICS

## CAREER OUTLOOK 2012-2022

Occupational Group	2012 Median Pay	Current Number of Positions	2012-2022 Job Growth Forecast	Forecast Comments	Degree Required for Entry Level
GEOLOGICAL ENGINEERS	\$90,890/yr	38,200	16% increase	Faster than average growth	Bachelors
ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENTISTS & SPECIALISTS	\$63,570/yr	90,000	15% increase	Faster than average growth	Bachelors
ATMOSPHERIC SCIENTISTS, Including Meteorologists	\$89,260/yr	11,100	10% increase	Average growth	Bachelors
HYDROLOGISTS	\$75,530/yr	7,400	10% increase	Average growth	Masters
ENVIRONMENTAL ENGINEERS	\$80,890/yr	53,200	15% increase	Faster than average growth	Bachelors
PETROLEUM ENGINEERS	\$130,280/yr	38,500	26% increase	Much faster than average growth	Bachelors
MINING & GEOLOGICAL ENGINEERS	\$84,320/yr	7,900	12% increase	Average growth	Bachelors
GEOLOGICAL & PETROLEUM TECHNICIANS	\$52,700/yr	15,800	15% increase	Faster than average growth	Associates
CONSERVATION SCIENTISTS & FORESTERS	\$59,060/yr	34,200	3% increase	Slower than average growth	Bachelors
ZOOLOGISTS & WILDLIFE BIOLOGISTS	\$57,710/yr	20,100	5% increase	Slower than average growth	Bachelors
CHEMISTS & MATERIAL SCIENTISTS	\$73,060/yr	96,200	6% increase	Slower than average growth	Bachelors