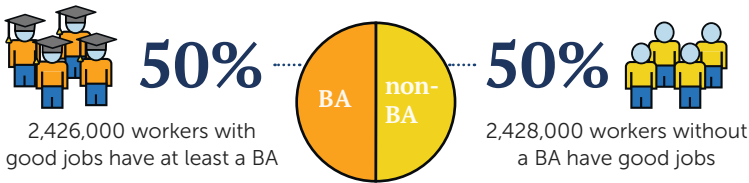
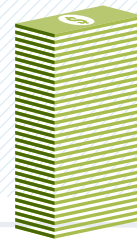


Texas

Who has the good jobs? BA vs. non-BA



\$57,000



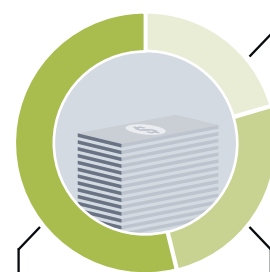
Median earnings of non-BA workers with good jobs in 2015

How big is the non-BA workforce?



Earnings distribution of non-BA good jobs

21% earn between \$35,000 and \$45,000

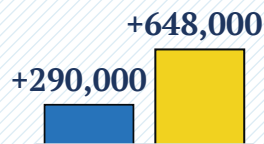


54% earn \$55,000 or higher

26% earn between \$45,000 and \$55,000

Change in number of non-BA good jobs 1991-2015

Between 1991 and 2015 Texas gained **290,000 blue-collar non-BA good jobs**, and **648,000 skilled-services good jobs** for workers without BAs.



Non-BA good jobs in blue-collar vs. skilled-services industries

56% 1,347,000 workers are employed in **blue-collar** industries



1,080,000 workers are employed in **skilled-services** industries **44%**



Source: Georgetown University Center on Education and the Workforce analysis of Bureau of the Census, *American Community Survey* microdata 2013-2015, US Census Bureau and Bureau of Labor Statistics, *Current Population Survey (CPS)* March Supplement data, 1992-2016.
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Jobs by educational attainment

Educational attainment	Number of workers	Workers with good jobs	Median earnings	Median earnings of workers with good jobs
Non-BA Workers				
Less than high school	1,220,000	226,000	\$21,000	\$52,000
High school graduate	2,359,000	774,000	\$28,000	\$56,000
Some college	2,362,000	1,021,000	\$34,000	\$59,000
Associate's degree	778,000	407,000	\$40,000	\$60,000
All non-BA workers	6,720,000	2,428,000	\$30,000	\$57,000
BA+ Workers				
Bachelor's or higher	3,303,000	2,426,000	\$57,000	\$72,000
All workers	10,022,000	4,854,000	\$37,000	\$62,000

NON-BA GOOD JOBS

Top five industries

Industry	Number of non-BA good jobs	Share of non-BA good jobs	Share of non-BA workers with good jobs	Median earnings
Manufacturing	348,000	14%	48%	\$61,000
Construction	259,000	11%	38%	\$57,000
Transportation and utilities	254,000	11%	54%	\$60,000
Information, financial activities, and real estate	244,000	10%	47%	\$56,000
Health services	240,000	10%	29%	\$52,000

Top five occupations

Occupation	Number of non-BA good jobs	Share of non-BA good jobs	Share of non-BA workers with good jobs	Median earnings
Management	325,000	13%	67%	\$70,000
Office and administrative support	319,000	13%	29%	\$51,000
Sales and related	247,000	10%	36%	\$60,000
Construction and extraction	238,000	10%	38%	\$57,000
Production	219,000	9%	40%	\$58,000

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