

Anthropologists and Archeologists (19-3091)

Occupation description: Study the origin, development, and behavior of human beings. May study the way of life, language, or physical characteristics of people in various parts of the world. May engage in systematic recovery and examination of material evidence, such as tools or pottery remaining from past human cultures, in order to determine the history, customs, and living habits of earlier civilizations.

Employment and Job Openings

	Average employment			Average annual openings		
	2014 estimate	2024 projection	Percent change	Growth	Replacement	Total
Alaska	116	134	15.5	2	2	3
United States	7,700	8,000	3.8	30	90	120

Job outlook

Alaska: Alaska's employment growth is strong with low employment opportunities. [Read more.](#)

2015 Wages ?

	Mean Wage	Wage by Percentile				
	Mean	10th	25th	Median	75th	90th
United States	30.91	17.04	21.88	29.43	38.25	46.66
Alaska	37.21	23.62	30.02	35.98	45.40	51.68
Anchorage/Mat-Su Area	39.30	26.05	31.95	36.91	47.91	54.55

Labor Force Indicators

2015 Worker Characteristics

Total workers	Nonresident workers	Percent nonresident	Percent age 45 plus	Percent age 50 plus
79	19	24.1	27.0	20.6

2015 Potential Supply

Qualified but working in another occupation	10
Currently employed in a lower paid occupation	6
UI claimants previously working in occupation	8

2015 ALEXsys Employment Data

Number of registrants	62
Number of job position postings	4
Ratio of registrants to job position postings	15.5

Typical Entry-level Education, Experience, and/or On-the-job Training

Education: Master's degree

Work experience: None

On-the-job training: None

Training Resources

		Degree
University of Alaska Anchorage (Anchorage)		
Anthropology		Bac
Anthropology		Bac
Anthropology		Mas

		Degree
University of Alaska Fairbanks (Fairbanks)		
Anthropology		Bac
Anthropology		Bac
Anthropology		Mas
Anthropology		PhD

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