

Geographers (19-3092)

Occupation description: Study the nature and use of areas of the Earth's surface, relating and interpreting interactions of physical and cultural phenomena. Conduct research on physical aspects of a region, including land forms, climates, soils, plants, and animals, and conduct research on the spatial implications of human activities within a given area, including social characteristics, economic activities, and political organization, as well as researching interdependence between regions at scales ranging from local to global.

Employment and Job Openings

	Employment			Average annual openings		
	2016 estimate	2026 projection	Percent change	Labor force exits	Occupation transfers	Total
Alaska	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
United States	1,500	1,700	6.7	0	100	110

Job outlook

Alaska: The job outlook for Alaska is not available.

2018 Wages ?

	Mean Wage	Wage by Percentile				
	Mean	10th	25th	Median	75th	90th
United States	38.72	24.38	30.42	38.60	46.62	52.84

Labor Force Indicators

2016 Worker Characteristics

Total workers	Nonresident workers	Percent nonresident	Percent age 45 plus	Percent age 50 plus
5	1	20.0	40.0	0.0

2016 Potential Supply

Qualified but working in another occupation	2
Currently employed in a lower paid occupation	0
UI claimants previously working in occupation	0

2016 ALEXsys Employment Data

Number of registrants	15
Number of job position postings	0
Ratio of registrants to job position postings	0.0

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

Education: Bachelor's degree

Work experience: None

On-the-job training: None

Training Resources

Degree

University of Alaska Fairbanks (Fairbanks)

Geography	BA
Geography	BS
Geography - Environmental Studies	BS

Degree

University of Alaska Southeast, Juneau (Juneau)

Geography	BA
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Geography & Environmental Resources	BA
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