

Political Scientists (19-3094)

Occupation description: Study the origin, development, and operation of political systems. May study topics, such as public opinion, political decision-making, and ideology. May analyze the structure and operation of governments, as well as various political entities. May conduct public opinion surveys, analyze election results, or analyze public documents. Excludes Survey Researchers (19-3022).

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	7,300	7,500	2.8	200	500	720

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	55.43	28.51	41.45	56.52	71.61	78.94

Labor Force Indicators

2016 ALEXsys Employment Data

Number of registrants	24
Number of job position postings	1
Ratio of registrants to job position postings	24.0

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
Alaska Policy Forum (Anchorage)	
Government Internship	
	Degree
University of Alaska Anchorage (Anchorage)	
Interdisciplinary Studies	BA

Interdisciplinary Studies	BS
Interdisciplinary Studies	MA
International Studies	BA
Political Science	BA

	Degree
University of Alaska Fairbanks (Fairbanks)	
Political Science	BA

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