



Occupational Employment and Wage Statistics

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13-1071 Human Resources Specialists

Recruit, screen, interview, or place individuals within an organization. May perform other activities in multiple human resources areas. Excludes "Compensation, Benefits, and Job Analysis Specialists" (13-1141) and "Training and Development Specialists" (13-1151).

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National estimates for Human Resources Specialists:

Employment estimate and mean wage estimates for Human Resources Specialists:

Employment (1)	Employment RSE (3)	Mean hourly wage	Mean annual wage (2)	Wage RSE (3)
740,830	0.8 %	\$ 34.00	\$ 70,720	0.4 %

Percentile wage estimates for Human Resources Specialists:

Percentile	10%	25%	50% (Median)	75%	90%
Hourly Wage	\$ 18.12	\$ 23.12	\$ 29.95	\$ 38.99	\$ 52.00
Annual Wage (2)	\$ 37,680	\$ 48,080	\$ 62,290	\$ 81,090	\$ 108,160

Industry profile for Human Resources Specialists:

Industries with the highest published employment and wages for Human Resources Specialists are provided. For a list of all industries with employment in Human Resources Specialists, see the [Create Customized Tables](#) function.

Industries with the highest levels of employment in Human Resources Specialists:

Industry	Employment (1)	Percent of industry employment	Hourly mean wage	Annual mean wage (2)
Employment Services	130,780	3.75	\$ 29.30	\$ 60,950
Management of Companies and Enterprises	57,360	2.26	\$ 36.80	\$ 76,540
Federal Executive Branch (OEWS Designation)	31,520	1.50	\$ 44.20	\$ 91,930
Management, Scientific, and Technical Consulting Services	29,590	1.90	\$ 39.31	\$ 81,770
Computer Systems Design and Related Services	27,590	1.22	\$ 40.01	\$ 83,210

Industries with the highest concentration of employment in Human Resources Specialists:

Industry	Employment (1)	Percent of industry employment	Hourly mean wage	Annual mean wage (2)
Employment Services	130,780	3.75	\$ 29.30	\$ 60,950
Office Administrative Services	12,010	2.47	\$ 33.53	\$ 69,730
Management of Companies and Enterprises	57,360	2.26	\$ 36.80	\$ 76,540
Management, Scientific, and Technical Consulting Services	29,590	1.90	\$ 39.31	\$ 81,770
Monetary Authorities-Central Bank	350	1.68	\$ 47.10	\$ 97,960

Top paying industries for Human Resources Specialists:

Industry	Employment (1)	Percent of industry employment	Hourly mean wage	Annual mean wage (2)
Computer and Peripheral Equipment Manufacturing	1,040	0.67	\$ 54.42	\$ 113,190
Other Information Services	5,500	1.52	\$ 53.37	\$ 111,010
Securities, Commodity Contracts, and Other Financial Investments and Related Activities	6,110	0.64	\$ 50.24	\$ 104,500
Sound Recording Industries	290	1.66	\$ 49.33	\$ 102,600
Support Activities for Water Transportation	240	0.27	\$ 47.84	\$ 99,510