



# Careers

## Online Resources

*Career Guide to Industries*

<http://www.bls.gov/oco/cg/>

*Job Star – Guide to Careers*

<http://jobstar.org/tools/career/spec-car.php>

*Job Star—Salary Information*

<http://jobstar.org/tools/salary/index.php>

*MERIC – Missouri Economic Research and Information Center (from the Missouri Department of Economic Development) Occupational Studies*

<http://www.missourieconomy.org/occupations/index.stm>

*Occupational Outlook Handbook*

<http://www.bls.gov/oco/home.htm>

*Salary.Com*

<http://www.salary.com/>

*Salary Expert.com*

<http://www.salaryexpert.com>

*Yahoo—Career Fields*

[http://dir.yahoo.com/Business\\_and\\_Economy/Business\\_to\\_Business/Corporate\\_Services/Human\\_Resources/Recruiting\\_and\\_Placement/Career\\_Fields/](http://dir.yahoo.com/Business_and_Economy/Business_to_Business/Corporate_Services/Human_Resources/Recruiting_and_Placement/Career_Fields/)

## Available in the Library

*The library has many books containing basic information about careers, educational requirements, salaries, and working conditions. Many of these are located on the Career shelf on Level 3 near the photocopiers. You may locate other books on specific careers by doing a subject search in the online library catalog. Some subject terms to use are: vocational guidance, occupations, professions, career changes. Or you may want to do a keyword search: careers and your chosen field.*

*American Almanac of Jobs and Salaries*

UMS TJ REF CAREER HD 8038.U5 W74

*Career Information Center*

9<sup>th</sup> ed. 2007, v. 1-13. **Full-text online.** Link from the library catalog or Gale Virtual Reference Library from the database list. Available on campus and remotely with your UM-St. Louis SSO ID and password.

<i>Encyclopedia of Careers and Vocational Guidance</i> UMS TJ REF CAREER HF5381 .E52 2005, v. 1-5
<i>Geographic Reference Report</i> Ref Desk HD6982 .G4; latest copy is 2004
<i>Occupational Outlook Handbook</i> UMS TJ REF CAREER HF5382 .U55 2008/09 Also available online at: <a href="http://www.bls.gov/oco/">http://www.bls.gov/oco/</a>
<i>Job Choices...</i> 3vols. Diversity, Business & Liberal Arts, Science, Engineering & Technology UMS TJ REF CAREER HF 5382.5.U5 C623; 2009, 52 <sup>nd</sup> ed.
<i>State Occupational Outlook Handbook</i> UMS TJ REF CAREER HD5723 .S85
<i>The Ultimate Guide to Getting the Career You Want : and what to do once you have it</i> UMS TJ REF CAREER HF5384.D69 2004
<i>What Color is Your Parachute?</i> UMS TJ REF CAREER HF 5383.B56 2009
If your career choice requires a graduate degree, a good source for locating programs by discipline/location is the series <i>Peterson's Graduate Programs in...</i> volumes located in the Reference stacks with call numbers beginning L 901 .P46... Also available online <a href="http://www.petersons.com/">http://www.petersons.com/</a> Users must register for free account.

<b><i>Finding Articles</i></b>
<i>ABI/INFORM Online.</i> 1971 - present. Online. Available on campus and remotely with your UM-St. Louis SSO ID and password.
<i>Academic Search Premier.</i> Online. Available on campus and remotely with your UM-St. Louis SSO ID and password.
<i>Academic OneFile.</i> Online. Available on campus and remotely with your UM-St. Louis SSO ID and password.
<i>Business Source Premier.</i> Online. Available on campus and remotely with your UM-St. Louis SSO ID and password.
<i>Business &amp; Company Resource Center.</i> Online. Available on campus and remotely with your UM-St. Louis SSO ID and password.

<b><i>Don't Forget</i></b>
UMSL Career Services <a href="http://www.umsl.edu/depts/career">http://www.umsl.edu/depts/career</a> 278 Millennium Student Center