Look around and you can see cranes building homes, office buildings, and transportation structure for a rapidly growing region. Construction plays a key role in the future of King County.

**JOBS EXAMPLES**
- Architect
- Carpenter
- Cement Mason
- Iron Worker
- Project Manager
- Safety Manager

**WHERE YOU CAN WORK LOCALLY**
- Highway
  (ex. Atkinson Construction)
- Commercial
  (ex. Sellen Construction)
- Residential
  (ex. King County Housing Authority)
- Infrastructure
  (ex. Seattle Public Utilities)
- Industrial
  (ex. Skanska)

**INDUSTRY GROWTH**
- By 2028, see predicted
- 21% increase in construction jobs in King County.

**RUBEN’S CONSTRUCTION CAREER PROFILE**
High School: Chief Sealth International (Seattle)
College: South Seattle College & University of WA
Majors: Business & Construction Management
Career: Project Engineer

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HEALTHCARE CAREERS

BY THE NUMBERS

160,240 Current jobs in King County

17,932 Businesses in King County

Working in the healthcare industry means helping people maintain or improve their health and quality of life, by providing preventative services and diagnosing and treating illnesses or injuries.

JOB EXAMPLES
- Dentist
- Medical Assistant
- Medical Secretary
- Occupational Therapist
- Pharmacist
- Registered Nurse

WHERE YOU CAN WORK LOCALLY

Hospital
(ex. Highline Medical Center)
Community Health Clinic
(ex. International Community Health Services)
Assisted Living Home
(ex. Puget Sound Assisted Living)
Doctor’s Office
(ex. High Point Medical & Dental Clinic)

INDUSTRY GROWTH

By 2028, see predicted

24% increase in healthcare jobs in King County.

ANAM’S HEALTHCARE CAREER PROFILE

High School: Evergreen (Highline)
College: University of WA
Majors: Public Health and Global Health
Career: Healthcare Business Analyst

“My job is to develop ways to help the low-income community, and I use my language to help Somali people understand what is happening and ways they can find help.”

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Information technology has grown rapidly, driven by the growth of e-commerce and software development companies. As new technologies emerge, so do new types of jobs, creating exciting opportunities for job seekers.

**BY THE NUMBERS**
- 107,470 Current jobs in King County
- 2,359 Businesses in King County

**JOB EXAMPLES**
- Database Administrator
- Cloud Architect
- Support Specialist
- Video Game Programmer
- Virtual Reality Engineer
- Web Developer/Designer

**WHERE YOU CAN WORK LOCALLY**
- Cloud (ex. Google)
- Social Media (ex. Facebook)
- Mobile (ex. T-Mobile)
- E-Commerce (ex. Amazon)
- Software & App Development (ex. Tableau)

**INDUSTRY GROWTH**
By 2028, see predicted 25% increase in information technology jobs in King County.

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A wide variety of food, medical, and high-tech products for use across the world are made here. Manufacturing remains important to our region as new technologies are changing the industry.

**JOB EXAMPLES**
- Aircraft Assembler
- Industrial Engineer
- Inspector & Tester
- Machinist
- Manufacturing & Production Manager
- Metal Fabricator

**WHERE YOU CAN WORK LOCALLY**
- Apparel (ex. REI)
- Food (ex. Darigold)
- Ship Building (ex. Foss Maritime Company)
- Aerospace (ex. Boeing)
- Wood Products (ex. Weyerhauser)

**OPPORTUNITY**
39% of manufacturing jobs will see retirement by 2028.

**ANGIE’S MANUFACTURING/AEROSPACE PROFILE**
High School: Lindbergh (Renton)
College: Bellevue College & University of WA
Major: Electrical & Computer Engineering
Career: Boeing Flight Control Electronics Intern

“I went to Bellevue College to earn an Associate of Science degree through the Running Start program. I chose to do Running Start since Bellevue College offered multiple engineering courses that I was excited to delve into, which helped me get a head start on finishing my degree.”

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Maritime is one of the oldest industries in King County. It offers a variety of land-based jobs in design, manufacturing, and boat repair, along with roles on the water, from engineering to vessel operations.

**BY THE NUMBERS**
- 19,500 Current jobs in King County
- 830 Businesses in King County

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**JOB EXAMPLES**
- Captain
- Engineer
- Mechanic
- Officer
- Technician
- Welder

**WHERE YOU CAN WORK LOCALLY**
- Shipyard (ex. Vigor)
- Port (ex. Port of Seattle)
- Shipping & Transportation (ex. Western Towboat Company)
- Commercial Fishing (ex. Mackay Marine)
- Science & Research (ex. Northwest Fisheries Science Center)
- Cruises & Ferries (ex. Washington State Ferries)

**OPPORTUNITY**

41% of maritime jobs will see retirement by 2027.

"The Navy has a wide range of fields you can go into like IT, medical, logistics etc. It was definitely a good way for me to see and experience a multitude of fields first hand. I also got to travel to a bunch of different countries!"

FERNANDO’S MARITIME CAREER PROFILE

High School: Kent-Meridian
College: Olympic College
Career: US Navy Logistics Specialist

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The professional, scientific, and technical services industry has many different kinds of jobs that require a high level of training and expertise. Many roles are in legal, finance, computer systems, data analytics, marketing, or research.

**BY THE NUMBERS**
- 146,022 Current jobs in King County
- 13,380 Businesses in King County

**JOB EXAMPLES**
- Accountant
- Financial Manager
- Lawyer
- Research Assistant
- Security Analyst
- Software Engineer
- Statistician

**WHERE YOU CAN WORK LOCALLY**
- Law Firm
  (ex. Perkins Coie)
- Government
  (ex. City of Seattle)
- Financial Management Firm
  (ex. Moss Adams)
- Advertising Agency
  (ex. Publicis)
- Research Center
  (ex. Fred Hutchinson Cancer Research Center)
- Consulting Firm
  (ex. Accenture)

**INDUSTRY GROWTH**
By 2028, see predicted
21% increase
in professional, scientific, and technical services jobs in King County.

**CHIOMA’S PROFESSIONAL, SCIENTIFIC, & TECHNICAL SERVICES CAREER**
High School: Auburn Mountainview
College: Howard Community College
Career: Zillow Client Coordinator

“If I assist senior business advisors and business consultants on arranging their meetings with clients both virtually and in person. My advice is don’t ever give up, no matter how hard things get. Do the work and celebrate every single one of your victories along the way.”

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The public sector is broad and includes city, county, state, and federal government offices and agencies. Your work can have a big impact on people and communities.

**BY THE NUMBERS**
- 191,276 Current jobs in King County
- 543 Entities in King County

**JOB EXAMPLES**
- Bus Driver
- Elected Official
- Epidemiologist
- Policy Analyst
- Social Worker
- Urban Planner

**WHERE YOU CAN WORK LOCALLY**
- Government Agencies (ex. King County Parks)
- Schools & School Districts (ex. Tukwila School District)
- Public Health Clinics (ex. Auburn Public Health Center)
- On-site Disaster Response (ex. Seattle Fire Department)

**INDUSTRY GROWTH**
By 2028, see predicted 11% increase in public sector jobs in King County.

**ALEX’S PUBLIC SECTOR CAREER PROFILE**
High School: Renton
Colleges: Highline & Central WA University
Major: Elementary Education
Career: Fifth Grade Teacher

"My family and supports in high school supported me in applying and getting a post-secondary education. Now, I teach the next generation of doctors, teachers, and leaders. Keep those who lift you up in your corner!"

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The trade industries of King County involve the buying and selling of goods to businesses and consumers, from wholesale distribution to online retail and the local mall.

**JOB EXAMPLES**
- Accountant
- Buyer & Purchasing Agent
- Market Research Analyst
- Sales Manager
- Visual Merchandiser
- Warehouse Worker

**WHERE YOU CAN WORK LOCALLY**
- Retail (ex. Nordstrom)
- Grocery (ex. Charlie’s Produce)
- Warehouse (ex. Costco)
- Internet-Based Businesses (ex. Zulily)
- Corporate Headquarters (ex. Bartell Drugs)

**INDUSTRY GROWTH**
By 2028, see predicted 20% increase in wholesale & retail jobs in King County.

**ARAYA’S TRADE CAREER PROFILE**
High School: Kentridge (Kent)
College: University of Washington
Major: Business, with emphasis in accounting
Career: Former accountant with Zulily & Socrata

“I’ve found that I like to work across various teams, not just in the accounting and finance world, so I am pursuing my Master of Business Administration to be able to work more cross-functionally in larger organizations.”

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Transportation and warehousing jobs move goods and people via land, air, and sea. It’s all thanks to workers who specialize in managing the supply chain, logistical operations, and fleets of ships, planes, trains, and trucks.

**Job Examples**
- Aircraft Mechanic
- Cargo & Freight Agent
- Forklift Operator
- Flight Attendant
- Logistics & Supply Chain Analyst
- Port Engineer

**Where You Can Work Locally**
- Passenger Transportation (ex. Alaska Airlines)
- Cargo Transportation (ex. Sea & Air Transport, Inc.)
- Distribution Center (ex. FedEx)
- Private Warehouse (ex. Western Distribution Services, LLC)

**Industry Growth**
By 2028, see predicted 12% increase in transportation & warehousing jobs in King County.

**Shelby’s Transport & Warehouse Profile**
High School: Aviation (Highline)
College: University of Washington
Major: Environmental Studies
Career: King County Metro Transit Community Relations Planner

Part of my work is to develop public engagement plans related to large scale transit projects, which basically means I figure out whom we should be having conversations with and how we should have those conversations in order to solve problems.”

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