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IN 2023

**THE BEST JOBS,
SKILLS AND
INDUSTRIES**

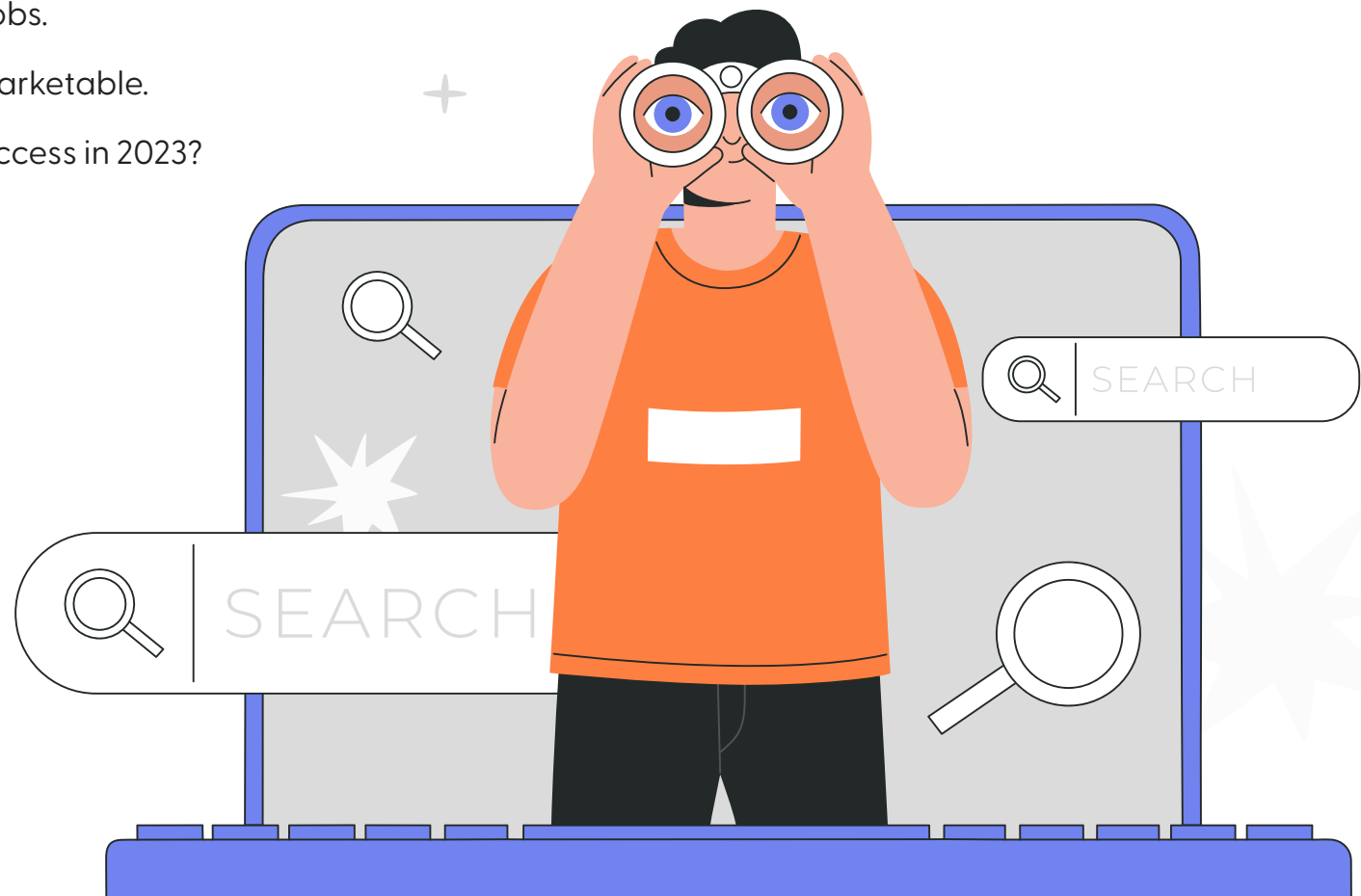
LOOKING TO MOVE YOUR CAREER FORWARD?

On the job hunt? Find out where the greatest demand for talent is – and the skills you need to land your next great opportunity:

In this eBook, we share:

- 🔥 An overview of the fastest-growing industries.
- 🔥 The skills, education, and experience required for the best opportunities.
- 🔥 The fastest-growing remote jobs.
- 🔥 How to make yourself more marketable.
- 🔥 Ready to set your sights on success in 2023?

Let's get started.



NAVIGATING TODAY'S JOB MARKET

The job market has changed dramatically in the past few years, creating hot opportunities for motivated job seekers. With more open jobs than workers to fill them, there has never been a better time to find your ideal role.

As the world recovers from the Covid-19 pandemic, new fields and jobs are emerging, including an increasing number of remote and hybrid opportunities.

Where Is the Demand?

Some job categories will grow faster than others. Hot careers in 2023 range from data science to truck driving. Some of the best opportunities are in:

- 🔥 Health Care
- 🔥 IT
- 🔥 Accounting & Finance
- 🔥 Administrative
- 🔥 Light Industrial & Skilled Trades

Let's take a look at each field...



HEALTH CARE

Caring for an aging America in the wake of a global pandemic.

Health care is a booming industry, and the demand for services is expected to increase over the next decade. With the last of the Baby Boomers turning 65, the number of older Americans is projected to increase by almost 18 million over the next 10 years, creating a greater need for health care services. Employment in health care occupations is projected to grow 13% from 2021-2031, much faster than the average for all occupations.

Many of the fastest-growing jobs include:

- 🔥 Registered nurses
- 🔥 Nurse practitioners
- 🔥 Physician assistants/Medical assistants
- 🔥 Physical therapists
- 🔥 Substance abuse, behavioral disorder, and mental health counselors
- 🔥 Home health aides

Required skills, education, and experience:

While many of these jobs require less than four years of college education, experience, and relevant certification are extremely important.



IT

AI, automation, and machine learning, oh my!

The demand for tech professionals continues to rise, with new career opportunities emerging daily. From engineers and developers building the hardware and software to run online stores to marketers using automation to stay in front of customers, information technology roles constantly evolve and offer great growth opportunities.

High-demand jobs include:

- 🔥 Software developers
- 🔥 Computer programmers
- 🔥 AI and machine learning developers
- 🔥 Data scientists
- 🔥 Cloud engineers
- 🔥 Blockchain engineers
- 🔥 Computer and information systems managers
- 🔥 Information security analysts
- 🔥 Computer systems analysts
- 🔥 Software quality assurance analysts and testers
- 🔥 Technical support specialists

Required skills, education, and experience:

Although many employers prefer a 4-year degree in computer science, mathematics, data science, or related field, work experience is increasingly valued rapidly evolving technology field.



ACCOUNTING & FINANCE

Economic uncertainty creates job security for finance professionals.

The finance and accounting industry is poised for growth over the next decade, with many organizations offering remote and hybrid job opportunities. New government programs created to support the U.S. economy during the pandemic require experienced accounting, tax, and audit professionals. The threat of a recession creates an urgent demand for savvy finance advice—great news for seasoned professionals and those just beginning their careers.

High-demand jobs for 2023 and beyond include:

- 🔥 Financial managers
- 🔥 Accountants
- 🔥 Auditors
- 🔥 Market research analysts
- 🔥 Personal finance advisors
- 🔥 Loan officers
- 🔥 Budget analysts
- 🔥 Logisticians

Required skills, education, and experience:

The accounting and finance industry offers a wide variety of options for individuals with various skill sets, certifications, accreditations, and experience. The best candidates have a bachelor's degree in accounting, statistics, economics, or a related field. A master's degree or other relevant credentials will be required for some roles.



ADMINISTRATIVE

Every role needs support.

Every organization has support tasks that need to be done to keep the business moving, providing opportunities in diverse industries for administrative professionals. In addition to offering great career options, many admin roles have entry-level opportunities that lead to career advancement in supervisory or managerial positions.

Jobs to target in 2023 include:

- 🔥 Administrative and virtual assistants
- 🔥 Office managers
- 🔥 Bookkeepers and accounting clerks
- 🔥 Financial clerks
- 🔥 Executive assistants
- 🔥 Medical transcriptionists
- 🔥 Receptionists

Required skills, education, and experience:

Most administrative jobs don't require a college education, but basic office and computer skills are a must. What other skills will help you succeed in an administrative role?

Consider the following:

- 🔥 Attention to detail
- 🔥 Teamwork
- 🔥 Communication
- 🔥 Organization
- 🔥 Time management



LIGHT INDUSTRIAL & SKILLED TRADES

Find a new home for your skills.

As manufacturing processes become more high tech and e-commerce continues to boom, employers struggle to fill light industrial and skilled trades roles.

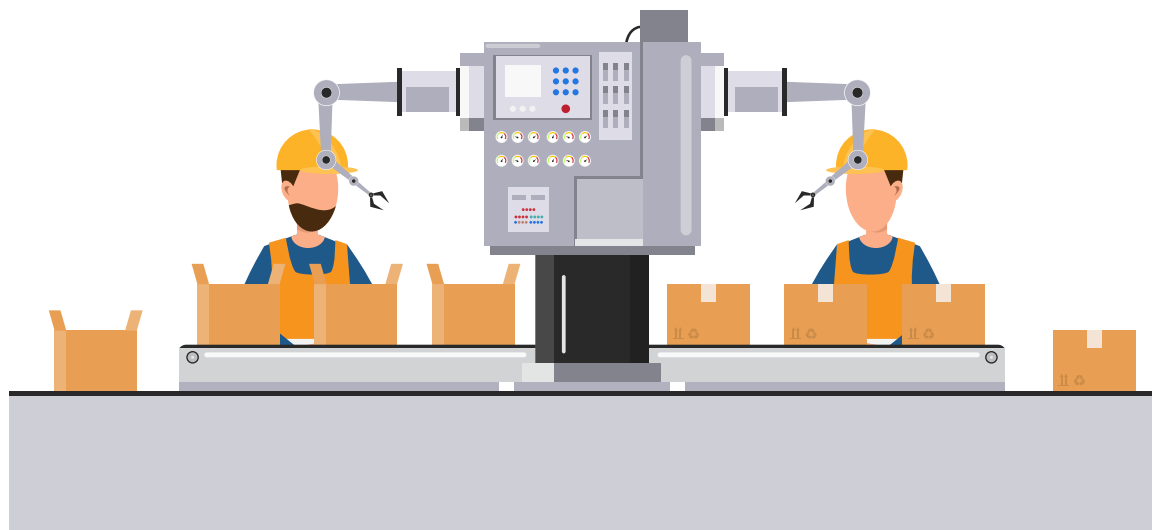
Hot jobs for 2023 include:

- 🔥 Heavy and tractor-trailer truck drivers
- 🔥 Industrial machinery mechanics
- 🔥 Construction managers
- 🔥 Plumbers and pipefitters
- 🔥 Sailors and marine oilers
- 🔥 Electricians
- 🔥 Carpenters

Required skills, education, and experience:

A four-year college degree is not necessary, but experience is often required to earn the best offers. As a skilled trades worker, you will also need:

- 🔥 Advanced vocational training
- 🔥 Math/engineering skills
- 🔥 Ability to work on teams
- 🔥 Communication skills



WHAT ARE THE BEST JOBS IN 2023?

The Bureau of Labor Statistics forecasts that employment will grow by 8.3 million jobs by 2031.

If you're looking for a career change or advancement opportunity, here are the most in-demand jobs of 2023:

	# of jobs added by 2031	Median wage May 2021
Software developers	370,600	\$120,730
General and operations managers	209,800	\$97,970
Financial managers	123,100	\$131,710
Registered nurses	195,400	\$77,600
Medical and health services managers	136,200	\$101,340
Nurse practitioners	112,700	\$120,680
Computer and information systems managers	82,400	\$159,010
Accountants and auditors	81,800	\$77,250
Heavy/tractor-trailer drivers	90,900	\$48,310
Industrial machinery mechanics	63,100	\$59,840

FASTEST-GROWING REMOTE JOBS

Many companies have adopted permanent remote and hybrid work models in response to employee demand, and the trend shows no sign of slowing down. If you're looking for more job flexibility, consider these industries with fast-growing remote opportunities:

- 🔥 Marketing and media design
- 🔥 Project and program management
- 🔥 Accounting and finance
- 🔥 Human resources and legal
- 🔥 Technology
- 🔥 Engineering and construction
- 🔥 Science and education
- 🔥 Sales and business development



MAKE YOURSELF MORE MARKETABLE

Learning new skills should be a lifelong exercise, regardless of your industry focus. Relevant certifications and additional coursework related to your field always help and can be used to show professional motivation if you need to balance out work gaps on your resume.

CROSS-INDUSTRY SKILLS – SUCH AS EXPERIENCE WITH WORD PROCESSING AND SPREADSHEETS – WILL MAKE YOU MORE MARKETABLE, NO MATTER WHAT FIELD YOU CHOOSE TO PURSUE.

In addition, employers always want people with:

- 🔥 Customer service experience
- 🔥 Problem-solving skills
- 🔥 Social media expertise
- 🔥 Communication skills

Finally, a great attitude always helps!



LOOKING FOR A NEW JOB IN 2023?

Consider registering with a staffing or recruiting agency.

With a wide range of opportunities available, they can help you:

- 🔥 **Try out different jobs.** If you're unsure what job would best suit you, temporary positions allow you to try out a variety of responsibilities, work environments and employers – to find out what's right for you.
- 🔥 **Build your skills.** As you move from assignment to assignment, new responsibilities will help you grow and learn. Plus, many agencies offer free job skills and computer training while you work through them.
- 🔥 **Stay flexible.** If you're on the job hunt, temporary assignments afford you the freedom to network and interview while earning a paycheck and preventing a gap on your resume.
- 🔥 **Find a full-time position.** Most staffing services offer direct placement services. In addition, some opportunities that start out temporary wind up becoming permanent if there's a good fit between job seeker and employer.

Best of all, there's no cost to you! To get started, contact your staffing or recruiting firm today.



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