



# MANUFACTURING CAREER PATHWAY

## ADVANCED MANUFACTURING/MATERIALS AND AVIATION

### SOUTH CENTRAL KANSAS

JULY – SEPTEMBER 2017



<b>722</b> TOTAL JOBS	<b>PRODUCTION</b>	<b>QUALITY ASSURANCE</b>	<b>MAINTENANCE</b>
<u>Graduate or Post Graduate</u> (4+ years) <b>50 JOBS</b> ↑	<u>Research and Development Senior Engineer</u>  <b>22 JOB POSTINGS</b> ↑ \$23.67 TO \$51.31 Hourly Rate	<u>Research and Development Senior Engineer</u>  <b>23 JOB POSTINGS</b> ↑ \$25.54 TO \$69.57 Hourly Rate	<u>Senior Engineer, Robotics Engineer</u>  <b>5 JOB POSTINGS</b> ↑ \$25.00 TO \$72.52 Hourly Rate
<u>Bachelor Degree</u> (4 years) <b>175 JOBS</b> ↑	<u>Engineer, Plant Manager</u>  <b>71 JOB POSTINGS</b> ↑ \$23.67 TO \$51.31 Hourly Rate	<u>Supply Chain Manager, Plant Manager</u>  <b>89 JOB POSTINGS</b> ↑ \$21.40 TO \$65.31 Hourly Rate	<u>Operations Manager, Industrial Automation Engineer</u>  <b>15 JOB POSTINGS</b> ↑ \$19.18 TO \$49.70 Hourly Rate
<u>Associate Degree</u> (2 years) <b>179 JOBS</b> ↑	<u>Production Technician, Junior Engineer, Engineer Technician, Drafter Production, Assembly Lead, Machine Operator, CNC Technician or Programmer, Machinist, Supply Chain, Production Control</u>  <b>112 JOB POSTINGS</b> ↑ \$12.13 TO \$29.47 Hourly Rate	<u>Production or Assembly Lead, Quality Technician, Electrical Technician, Inspector, Supply Chain, Production Control</u>  <b>59 JOB POSTINGS</b> ↓ \$17.19 TO \$35.35 Hourly Rate	<u>Production Technician, Junior Engineer, Engineer Technician, Automation Technician Industrial Maintenance Technician (non-janitorial)</u>  <b>8 JOB POSTINGS</b> ↓ \$16.97 TO \$36.38 Hourly Rate
<u>Technical Certification Certificate or Credential</u> (1-2 years) <b>240 JOBS</b> ↑	<u>Advanced Production, Welder, Machine Tending, Material Handling, Forklift Driver</u>  <b>156 JOB POSTINGS</b> ↑ \$9.37 TO \$22.55 Hourly Rate	<u>Inventory Planner Quality Assurance Technician</u>  <b>20 JOB POSTINGS</b> ↑ \$9.37 TO \$20.09 Hourly Rate	<u>Maintenance (non-janitorial), Airframe and Powerplant Mechanic, Welder</u>  <b>64 JOB POSTINGS</b> ↑ \$15.19 TO \$32.17 Hourly Rate
<u>High School or GED</u>  <b>78 JOBS</b> ↓	<u>Production/Assembly, Forklift Driver, Shipping and Receiving</u>  <b>63 JOB POSTINGS</b> ↓ \$8.58 TO \$20.09 Hourly Rate	<u>Inventory Clerk</u>  <b>7 JOB POSTINGS</b> ↑ \$7.93 TO \$18.15 Hourly Rate	<u>Janitorial, Light Maintenance (non-janitorial)</u>  <b>5 JOB POSTINGS</b> =

**Previous Quarter Comparison**

↑ Increase

↓ Decrease

≡ No change

2017 Q3 Summary

3,647 Total Jobs (all industries) from 395 Companies

**722 Manufacturing Industry Jobs from 60 Companies, 34% increase over Q2**

Jobs postings found at [www.kansasworks.com](http://www.kansasworks.com) Wage Data found at [www.onetonline.org](http://www.onetonline.org)