



Manufacturing Career Pathway

Advanced Manufacturing & Materials, Aerospace

South Central Kansas

October – December 2022



5,172 TOTAL JOBS	PRODUCTION	QUALITY ASSURANCE	MAINTENANCE	ADMINISTRATIVE & CORPORATE
<u>Graduate or Post Graduate</u> (4+ years) 286 JOBS	<u>Research and Development Senior Engineer</u> 80 JOB POSTINGS \$23.67 TO \$51.31 Hourly Rate	<u>Research and Development Senior Engineer</u> 43 JOB POSTINGS \$25.54 TO \$69.57 Hourly Rate	<u>Senior Engineer, Robotics Engineer</u> 93 JOB POSTINGS \$25.00 TO \$72.52 Hourly Rate	<u>Attorney Executive (CEO/VP)</u> 70 JOB POSTINGS \$23.67 to \$90+ Hourly Rate
<u>Bachelor Degree</u> (4 years) 1,040 JOBS	<u>Engineer, Plant Manager</u> 282 JOB POSTINGS \$23.67 TO \$51.31 Hourly Rate	<u>Supply Chain Manager, Plant Manager</u> 163 JOB POSTINGS \$21.40 TO \$65.31 Hourly Rate	<u>Operations Manager, Industrial Automation Engineer</u> 349 JOB POSTINGS \$19.18 TO \$49.70 Hourly Rate	<u>Accountant, Analyst, Financial, Human Resources, Marketing, Sales Executive, Supply Chain</u> 246 JOB POSTINGS \$29.47 to \$62.81 Hourly Rate
<u>Associate Degree</u> (2 years) 288 JOBS	<u>Production Technician, Junior Engineer, Engineer Technician, Drafter, Production, Assembly Lead, Machine Operator, CNC Technician or Programmer, Machinist, Supply Chain, Production Control</u> 110 JOB POSTINGS \$12.13 TO \$29.47 Hourly Rate	<u>Production or Assembly Lead, Quality Technician, Electrical Technician, Inspector, Supply Chain, Production Control</u> 41 JOB POSTINGS \$17.19 TO \$35.35 Hourly Rate	<u>Production Technician, Junior Engineer, Engineer Technician, Automation Technician, Industrial Maintenance Technician (non-janitorial)</u> 103 JOB POSTINGS \$16.97 TO \$36.38 Hourly Rate	<u>Accounting Clerk, Contract Assistant, Payroll Clerk, Safety Coordinator</u> 34 JOB POSTINGS \$10.80 to \$23.87 Hourly Rate
<u>Technical Certification, Certificate, Credential</u> (1-2 years) 1,166 JOBS	<u>Advanced Production, Welder, Machine Tending, Material Handling, Forklift Driver</u> 507 JOB POSTINGS \$9.37 TO \$22.55 Hourly Rate	<u>Inventory Planner, Quality Assurance Technician</u> 123 JOB POSTINGS \$9.37 TO \$20.09 Hourly Rate	<u>Airframe and Powerplant Mechanic, Maintenance (non-janitorial), Welder</u> 450 JOB POSTINGS \$15.19 TO \$32.17 Hourly Rate	<u>Customer Service, Sales Assistant</u> 86 JOB POSTINGS \$9.90 to \$20.60 Hourly Rate
<u>High School or GED</u> 2,392 JOBS	<u>Production/Assembly, Shipping/Receiving</u> 1,014 JOB POSTINGS \$9.00 TO \$20.09 Hourly Rate	<u>Inspectors, Testers, Sorters, Samplers/ Weighers, Inventory Clerk</u> 245 JOB POSTINGS \$9.00 TO \$18.15 Hourly Rate	<u>Janitorial, Light Maintenance (non-janitorial)</u> 999 JOB POSTINGS \$9.00 TO \$18.51 Hourly Rate	<u>Office Clerk, Receptionist, Telephone Operator</u> 134 JOB POSTINGS \$9.63 to \$22.01 Hourly Rate

2022 Q4 Summary

25,679 Total Jobs (all industries) from 6,911 Companies

5,172 Manufacturing Jobs from 530 Companies

Jobs postings found at www.kansasworks.com

Wage Data found at www.onetonline.org

Online comparison cost and earnings data from KS colleges and universities graduates at www.ksdegreestats.org

Additional Career Data at <https://www.kscareernav.gov>