

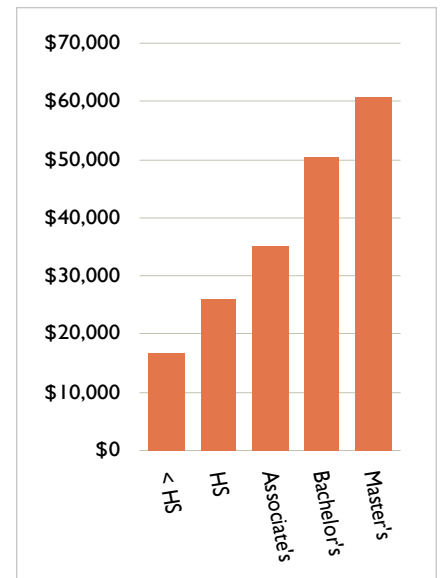
Student Perspective

Education Will Pay You Back—For a Lifetime



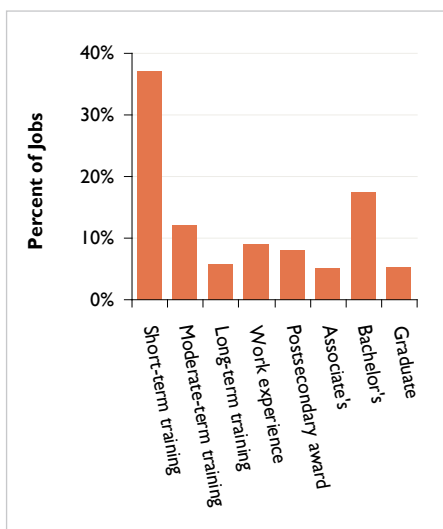
- Students enjoy an attractive 21.4% rate of return on their Lane educational investment.
- Over the course of his or her working career, the average Lane student's lifetime earnings will increase \$9.20 for every dollar invested in their Lane education (in the form of tuition, fees, and forgone earnings).
- The average annual income of the typical associate's degree graduate in Lane County at the midpoint of his or her career is \$35,200, 35% more than someone with a high school diploma.
- Over the course of a working lifetime, associate's degree graduates in Lane County earn \$368,000 more than someone with a high school diploma (undiscounted).

Average Earnings in Lane County



Education Is Your Ticket to a Better Job

Projected 2021 Jobs in Lane County by Skill Level



- By 2021 it is anticipated that there will be about 67,100 new and replacement jobs available in Lane County.
- About 28% of these jobs will require an education level equal to an associate's degree or greater.
- Another 8% of available jobs in 2021 will require some kind of post-secondary certificate or vocational award.

