

## CareerBuilder.ca Releases List of Canada's Fastest Growing Industries and Occupations

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TORONTO, June 11, 2015 /PRNewswire/ -- Ready for a career change? Trying to decide which area of university study is right for you? Hoping to land a job in a growing industry? Despite the softening of the job market, certain industries remain strong in terms of growth, providing ample opportunities for those hoping to take that next career step.

CareerBuilder.ca released a list of industries and occupations with higher than average job growth nationwide from 2015 to 2020. The study is based on data from Economic Modeling Specialists Intl (EMSI), CareerBuilder's labor market analysis arm that helps organizations understand the connection between economies, people, and work.

Canada is projected to create nearly 500,000 jobs from 2015 to 2020 - a 3 percent increase - though a significant number of industries and occupations will likely experience a greater percentage gain during this period.

"The Canadian job market weathered the global economic downturn virtually unscathed," says Mark Bania, managing director of CareerBuilder Canada. "While hiring appears to have slowed slightly, many industries and occupations remain healthy and strong in terms of growth, with some industries projected to grow as much as 13 per cent over the next five years."

Among industries that are projected to experience at least 10 per cent growth in employment between 2015 and 2020 are\*:

Industry	2015 Jobs	2020 Jobs	% Change	Average Earnings Per Job
Community care facilities for the elderly	101,348	114,839	13%	\$31,759
Home health care services	61,909	69,114	12%	\$32,490
Child day-care services	121,727	135,140	11%	\$29,015
Computer systems design and related services	183,660	203,210	11%	\$78,168
Oil and gas extraction	66,423	73,002	10%	\$138,884

Getting more specific, CareerBuilder.ca and EMSI also looked at individual occupations within these industries that are projected to experience the highest growth in employment over the next five years:

### Community care facilities for the elderly:

Occupation	Employed in the Industry (2015)	Employed in the Industry (2020)	% Change	Median hourly earnings
Community and social service workers	7,224	8,615	19%	\$20.80
Registered nurses	10,515	11,763	12%	\$36.48
Food counter attendants, kitchen helpers and related occupations	4,953	6,088	23%	\$10.89

### Home health care services

Occupation	Employed in Industry (2015)	Employed in Industry (2020)	% Change	Median hourly earnings
Visiting homemakers, housekeepers and related occupations	21,613	24,826	15%	\$14.64
Registered nurses	11,379	12,408	9%	\$36.48
Nurse aides, orderlies and patient service associates	6,384	6,715	5%	\$19.20

### Child day-care services

Occupation	Employed in Industry (2015)	Employed in Industry (2020)	% Change	Median hourly earnings
Early childhood educators and assistants	103,526	112,471	9%	\$17.27
Managers in social, community and correctional services	3,932	4,677	19%	\$33.97
Cooks	2,159	2,640	22%	\$12.21

### Computer systems design and related services

Occupation	Employed in Industry (2015)	Employed in Industry (2020)	% Change	Median hourly earnings
Information systems analysts and consultants	31,647	34,490	9%	\$35.87
Computer programmers and interactive media designers	35,880	38,524	7%	\$33.93
Software engineers and designers	15,477	17,942	16%	\$41.21

### Oil and gas extraction

Occupation	Employed in Industry (2015)	Employed in Industry (2020)	% Change	Median hourly earnings
Petroleum engineers	5,185	5,499	6%	\$50.35
Oil and gas well drillers, servicers, testers and related workers	4,528	5,156	14%	\$35.21
Financial auditors and accountants	2,954	3,355	14%	\$31.42

**\*Data for this analysis is based on employees only and excludes the self-employed**

### About EMSI

Economic Modeling Specialists Intl., a CareerBuilder company, turns labor market data into useful information that helps organizations understand the connection between economies, people, and work. Using sound economic principles and good data, EMSI builds user-friendly services that help educational institutions, workforce planners, and regional developers build a better workforce and improve the economic conditions in their regions. For more information, visit [www.economicmodeling.com](http://www.economicmodeling.com).

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