

BUSINESS

GENERAL

Data Scientist

\$ 103,800 BACHELOR'S

Logistician

\$ 79,220 BACHELOR'S

HR Specialist

\$ 76,690 BACHELOR'S

Project Manager

\$ 102,190 BACHELOR'S

Entrepreneur

\$ 50,577 ASSOC. BACH.

SALES

Sales Representative

\$ 82,450 ASSOC. BACH.

Sales Manager

\$ 162,670 ASSOC. BACH.

Real Estate Agent

\$ 83,990

CERT. ASSOC. BACH.



Whether working with established companies or starting your own as an entrepreneur, careers in business offer exciting opportunities for future leaders with plenty of room to grow.

Scan the code for details about business career pathways.



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MARKETING

Marketing Specialist

\$ 78,120

ASSOC. BACH.

Content Creator

ASSOC. BACH. \$ 87,790

Public Relations Manager

BACHELOR'S \$ 142,680

Advertising Manager

BACHELOR'S \$ 149,850

FINANCE

Financial Advisor

BACHELOR'S \$ 99,600

Accountant & Auditor

BACHELOR'S \$ 80,580

Financial & Investment Analyst

BACHELOR'S \$ 97,490



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RUBEN HELO

Real Estate Agent / Investor

“Communications connect you with people. The more people you meet, the more successful you become.”

BACHELOR'S DEGREE

Communication Studies

Minor in Business Administration

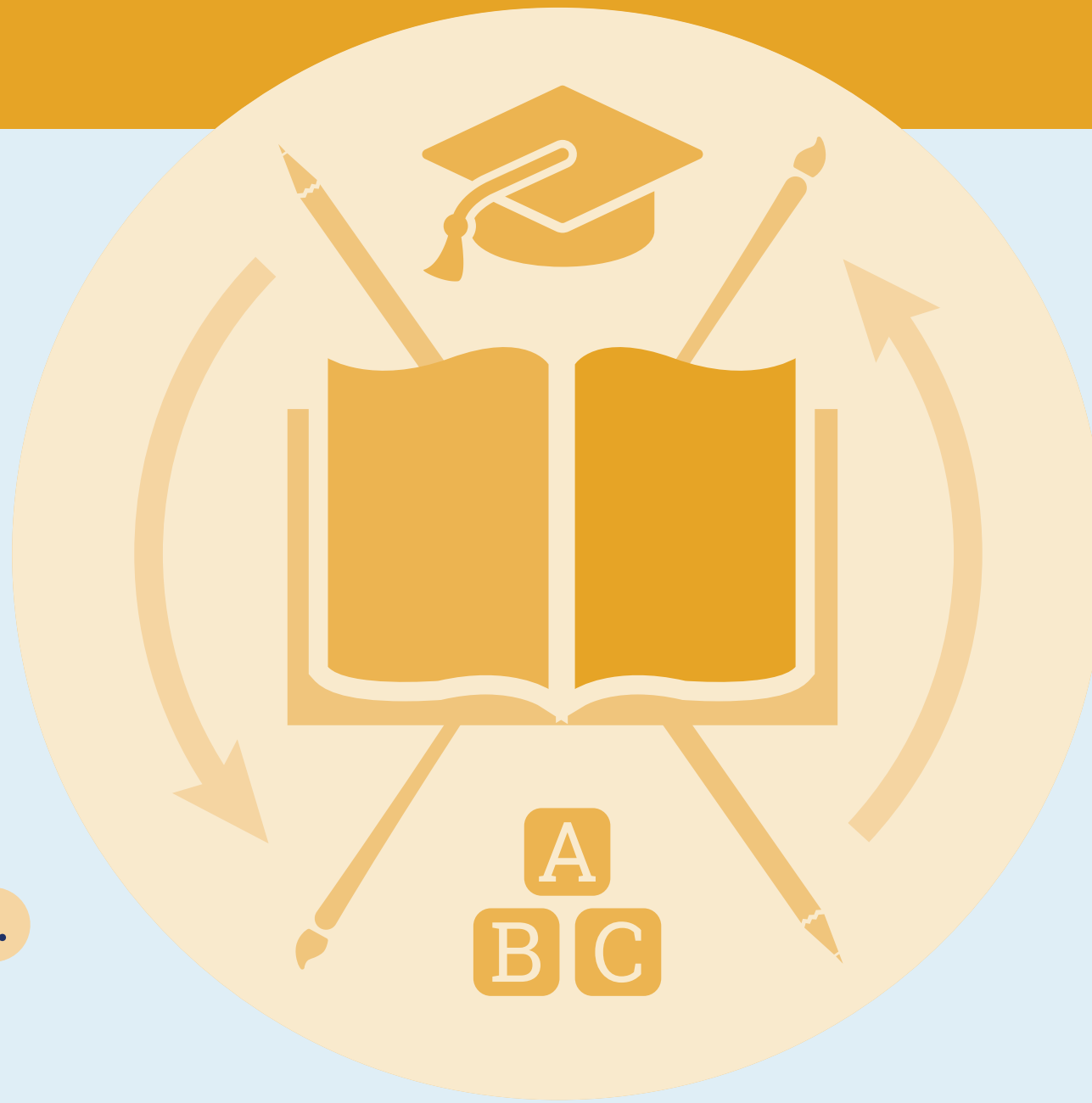
& Entrepreneurship

University of Northern Colorado

HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA

Abraham Lincoln High School

EDUCATION



EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION (ECE)

Childcare Director

\$ 58,990

CERT. ASSOC.

ECE Teacher

\$ 60,310 CERT. ASSOC.

Preschool Teacher

\$ 37,230 CERT. ASSOC.

K-12

Teacher

\$ 61,000 BACHELOR'S

Librarian

\$ 62,800 BACHELOR'S

Curator

\$ 70,120 MASTER'S

Guidance Counselor

\$ 62,540 MASTER'S

HIGHER ED & BEYOND

Post-Secondary Teacher

MAST. DOCT. \$ 76,550

Engineering Post-Secondary Teacher

MAST. DOCT. \$ 84,620

Nursing Post-Secondary Teacher

MAST. DOCT. \$ 101,590

Academic Advisor

BACHELOR'S \$ 49,000

Career Coach

BACHELOR'S \$ 60,560

Training & Development Specialist

BACHELOR'S \$ 72,530

Career Counselor

MASTER'S \$ 62,540

The Education field includes teaching roles with all ages and student support roles. Perfect for those dedicated to supporting student success, fostering a love for learning, and providing essential resources.

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JASMINE VILLALOBOS-VALLES

Coordinator of Scholarship, Leadership, and Community Partner Programs, MSU Denver

“Community is the key that unlocks the doors of opportunity and empower individual to shape their own experiences. I choose education because it is the most powerful tool I have to create a brighter, more equitable future for myself and my communities.”

MASTER'S OF SCIENCE
Organizational Leadership

Regis University

BACHELOR'S OF SCIENCE
Business Management

MSU Denver

HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA

Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.
Early College

ENGINEERING & ARCHITECTURE

Civil Engineer

\$ 96,720 BACHELOR'S

Electrical Engineer

\$ 101,730 BACHELOR'S

Mechanical Engineer

\$ 101,880 BACHELOR'S

Petroleum Engineer

\$ 139,320 BACHELOR'S

Industrial Engineer

\$ 97,540 BACHELOR'S

Aerospace Engineer

\$ 126,730 BACHELOR'S



Engineering & Architecture careers range from civil engineering to architect, filled with opportunities to design and build impactful, safe, and sustainable solutions.

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Architect

MASTER'S \$ 81,330

AI Engineer

BACHELOR'S \$ 150,000

Cartographer

BACHELOR'S \$ 86,990

Surveyor

BACHELOR'S \$ 75,720

Environmental Engineering Technician

BACHELOR'S \$ 60,660



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EDGAR ROBLES

Project Manager, WSB

“You know what they say, if you love what you do, you will never work a day in your life.

I stand by that quote because I have the opportunity to shape, redefine and build the city that I was born, raised and now live in. I still get chills when I drive by a completed project and say “yup, I designed that!””

BACHELOR'S OF SCIENCE
Civil Engineering

Colorado School of Mines

HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA

John F. Kennedy High School

HOSPITALITY

TRAVEL & LODGING

Travel Agent

\$ 45,240

CERT. ASSOC. BACH.

Flight Attendant

\$ 50,120 CERTIFICATE

Events Manager

\$ 59,750 BACHELOR'S

Hotel Management

\$ 78,030 BACHELOR'S

Sustainability Specialist

\$ 70,000 BACHELOR'S

Tour Guide/ Outdoor Guide

\$ 43,640 CERTIFICATE

Maintenance & Repair Worker

\$ 50,350 CERTIFICATE



Hospitality offers diverse careers, from tour guide to event planner. Ideal for those who enjoy being social, focusing on details, and providing exceptional customer service.

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RESTAURANT, FOOD & BEVERAGE

Chef

\$ 61,250

CERT. ASSOC. BACH.

Food Science Technician

CERT. ASSOC. \$ 58,720

Food Scientist

BACHELOR'S \$ 84,830

Catering Manager

ASSOC. BACH. \$ 73,230

Occupational Health & Safety Specialist

BACHELOR'S \$ 101,630

Food Line Supervisor

CERTIFICATE \$ 47,320



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PERLA BUSTILLOS

Founder & Event Consultant,
Insparada Design & Consulting

“My passion for building relationships and unique experiences lead me to build a career around events and operations. I enjoy the creative process of bringing a vision to life.”

BACHELOR'S DEGREE

Event Management

Metropolitan State University
of Denver

HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA

DSST Montview High School

COMMUNITY & HUMAN SERVICES

COUNSELING

Behavioral Disorder Counselor

\$ 55,808 BACHELOR'S

Substance Abuse Counselor

\$ 55,806 MASTER'S

Mental Health Counselor

\$ 49,500 MASTER'S

Clinical Counseling

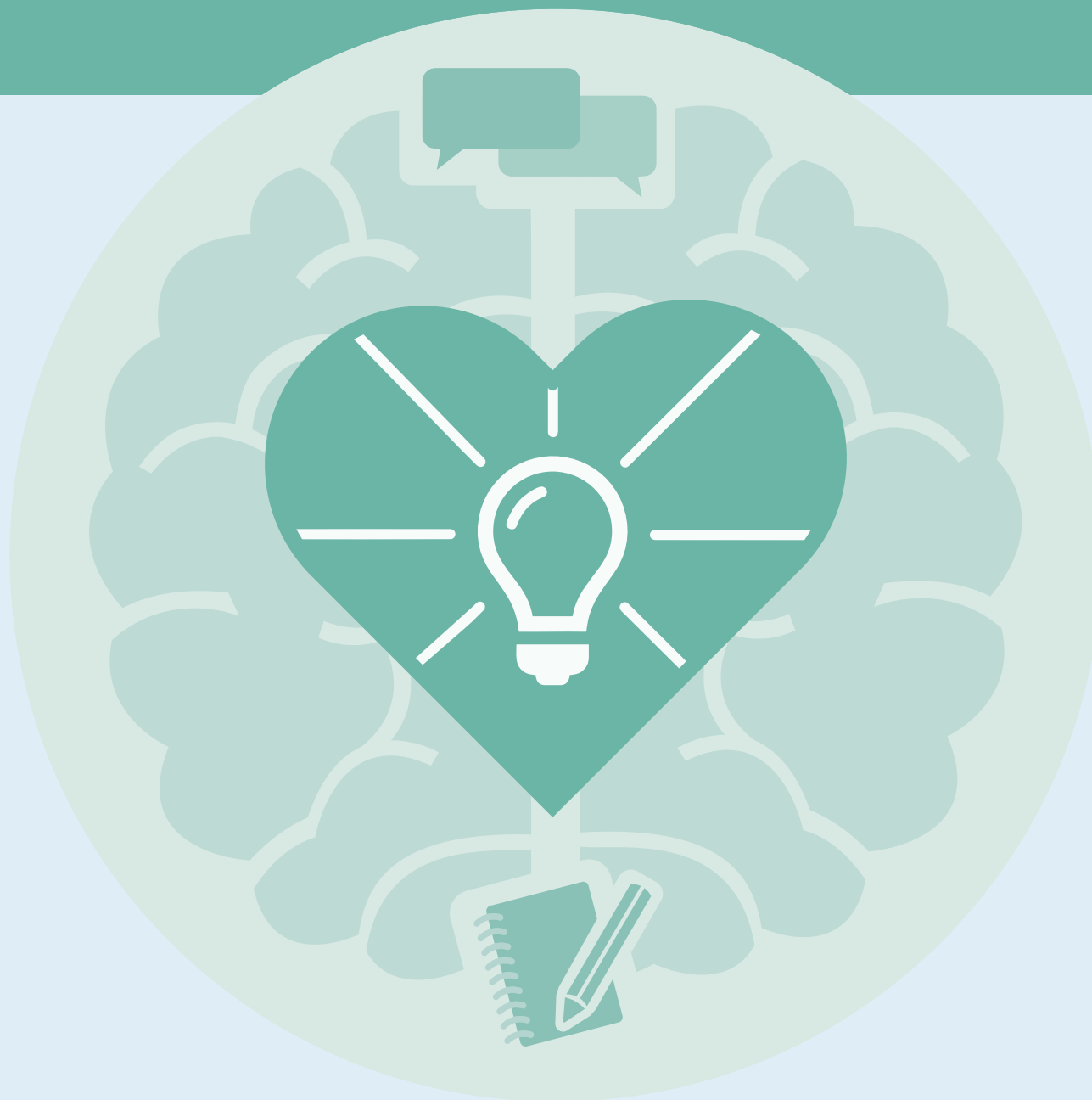
\$ 80,270 MASTER'S

School Psychologist

\$ 102,970 MASTER'S

Therapist

\$ 65,550 MASTER'S



This field offers rewarding careers, from community health worker to therapist. Ideal for those passionate about helping others, addressing societal issues, and fostering communities.

Scan the code for details about community & human services career pathways.



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SOCIAL WORK

Child, Family, & School Social Worker

MASTER'S \$ 59,090

Mental Health & Substance Abuse Social Worker

MASTER'S \$ 52,790

Healthcare Social Worker

MASTER'S \$ 61,160

GOVT. & PUBLIC ADMIN

Urban & Regional Planner

BACHELOR'S \$ 81,930

Human Services Assistant

BACHELOR'S \$ 44,090

Community Health Worker

CERTIFICATE \$ 51,380



DSF ALUMNI SPOTLIGHT IVANNA DILLMAN

Medical Social Worker,
University of Colorado Hospital

“I wanted to help people and be part of something that helps propel people forward, no matter how big or small. I love being a part of people’s journey.”

MASTER'S OF SOCIAL WORK

Simmons University

BACHELOR'S DEGREE

Communication & Media Studies

University of Northern Colorado

HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA

Thomas Jefferson High School

INDUSTRIAL

CONSTRUCTION

Electrician

\$ 60,200  CERTIFICATE

HVAC Installer

\$ 60,260  CERT.  ASSOC.

Construction Manager

\$ 103,280  BACHELOR'S

Rotary Drill Operator

\$ 84,230  CERTIFICATE

Septic Tank Servicer

\$ 49,810  CERTIFICATE

Solar Panel Installer

\$ 50,380  CERTIFICATE

MANUFACTURING

Wind Turbine Service Tech

\$ 59,040  CERTIFICATE

Medical Equipment Repairer


\$ 61,170  ASSOCIATES




Industrial careers offer nearly unlimited income potential, from electrician to construction manager. Perfect for those passionate about craftsmanship, innovation, and creating solutions.

Scan the code for details about industrial career pathways.



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MANUFACTURING

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Machinery Worker

 CERTIFICATE  \$ 64,050

Iron & Steel Worker

 CERTIFICATE  \$ 59,960

TRANSPORTATION & DISTRIBUTION

Airline Pilot

 BACHELOR'S  \$ 175,690

Commercial Pilot

 CERTIFICATE  \$ 109,200

Truck or Bus Driver

 CERTIFICATE  \$ 56,050

Aircraft Cargo Handling Supervisor

 CERTIFICATE  \$ 74,130

Aircraft Mechanic

 CERTIFICATE  \$ 75,660



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EFREM WOLDU

President, 1-800 WATER DAMAGE of Denver

“Getting into construction has been an amazing ride, filled with hands-on learning and real problem-solving. To future students: dive in and embrace the challenges. In this field, you’ll get to mix creativity with practical skills, shaping the world around you one project at a time.”

 BACHELOR'S OF SCIENCE

Construction Management

Colorado State University

 HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA

Thomas Jefferson High School

HEALTHCARE

ALLIED HEALTH

Dental Hygienist

\$ 98,260 ASSOCIATE

Occupational Therapist

\$ 93,180 MASTER'S

Athletic Trainer

\$ 63,660 MASTER'S

Dietitian & Nutritionist

\$ 66,450 BACHELOR'S

Radiologic Technologist

\$ 77,970 CERT. ASSOC.

Respiratory Therapist

\$ 70,970 ASSOCIATE

Sonographer

\$ 101,640 ASSOCIATE

Physical Therapist Assistant

\$ 65,140 ASSOCIATE



Healthcare offers numerous opportunities for those passionate about helping others, from contributing to patient well-being to advancing medical research.

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NURSING

Certified Nurse Aide

CERTIFICATE \$ 38,270

Registered Nurse

ASSOC. BACH. \$ 82,710

Nurse Practitioner

MASTER'S \$ 121,200

PHYSICIAN

Physical Therapist

DOCTORATE \$ 98,850

Physician Assistant

MASTER'S \$ 122,670

Physician

DOCTORATE \$ 239,200

Surgeon

DOCTORATE \$ 239,200



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JESUS MEDRANO

Travel Pediatric Nurse

“Picking the health field was easy for me thanks to the right guidance and mentors. However, becoming a nurse was probably one of the toughest journeys I’ve endured, but knowing that I can now contribute that knowledge into saving another child’s life day by day makes it all worthwhile. Now I get to travel and do what I love. Remember, every defeat becomes an opportunity to learn and grow.”

BACHELOR'S OF SCIENCE
Nursing (BSN)

Denver College of Nursing

BACHELOR'S OF SCIENCE
Biology / Chemistry Minor

University of Northern Colorado

HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA

Denver School of Science
and Technology (DSST)

TECHNOLOGY & MULTIMEDIA DESIGN

IT & CYBERSECURITY

Computer User Support Specialist

\$ 63,500  CERTIFICATE

Computer Network Support Specialist

\$ 76,490  ASSOCIATES

Computer Systems Analyst

\$ 110,570  BACHELOR'S

Network Systems Administrator

\$ 102,050  ASSOCIATES

Information Security Analyst

\$ 111,740  BACHELOR'S

Algorithm Bias Auditor

\$ 87,000  BACHELOR'S

AI Machine Learning Specialist


\$ 66,000  CERTIFICATE




Technology & Multimedia Design careers combine creativity and technical skills, from coder to graphic designer. Perfect for creative minds who enjoy innovation and digital content.

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DEVELOPMENT

Software Quality Assurance Analysts & Testers

 BACHELOR'S \$ 104,790

Software Developer/Engineer

 BACHELOR'S \$ 129,500

Database Architect

 MASTER'S \$ 132,360

Web Developer

 CERTIFICATE \$ 82,490

MEDIA

Graphic Designer

\$ 61,880

 CERT.  ASSOC.  BACH.

Camera Operator

 BACHELOR'S \$ 66,750

Communications Specialist

 BACHELOR'S \$ 75,970




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BRAYAN MONTES

Founder & Lead Creative, YAMZ World of Color

“Starting my own creative practice has been a dream of mine for a very long time. My career path has allowed me to use my business degree and creative talents to create a career that helps my community and allows me to express myself. I wanted to follow a career path that allowed me to use my creative powers for good and now I focus on creating illustration work for queer-owned, women-owned and POC-owned organizations.”

 BACHELOR'S DEGREE
Business Administration

Colorado State University

 HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA

John F. Kennedy High School

PUBLIC SAFETY

CRIMINAL JUSTICE

Probation Officer

\$ 61,780  BACHELOR'S

Lawyer

\$ 171,400  DOCTORATE

Detective

\$ 103,000  ASSOC.  BACH.

Police Officer

\$ 93,160

 CERT.  ASSOC.  BACH.

Forensics Lab Tech

\$ 76,960  ASSOCIATES

Victim Advocate

\$ 60,403  BACHELOR'S

Forensics Scientist

\$ 85,000  BACHELOR'S




Public Safety offers diverse careers, rooted in resilience, dedication, and a commitment to protecting and serving communities.

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CRIMINAL JUSTICE

(CONT.)

Judge

 DOCTORATE \$ 183,810

Coroner

 BACHELOR'S \$ 80,910

FIRE & RESCUE

Paramedic

 CERTIFICATE \$ 56,750

Firefighter

\$ 80,220

 CERT.  ASSOC.  BACH.

Fire Investigator

 ASSOC.  BACH. \$ 84,960

Fire Prevention Engineer

 BACHELOR'S \$ 103,900




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AMODJ MANGA

Court Operations Analyst,
Denver District Court

“I chose the pathway I am on because of my passion for social justice, civil rights, helping people and giving back to underserved communities.”

 BACHELOR'S DEGREE
Sociology / Women's &
Ethnic Studies

University of Colorado -
Colorado Springs

 HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA
Denver South High School