

Career Progressions: Sustainability for Today

21%+ is high job growth
14-20% is moderate job growth

Requires short to moderate-term on-the-job training &/or certificate

	NM Median Annual Wage	NM Projected Job Growth
Eco-Tour Operator	\$24,500	20%
Energy Auditor *	\$63,900	24%
Energy Brokers	\$42,300	27%
Forest Fire Fighter	\$34,100	24%
Hazardous Materials Removal Workers	\$36,300	4%
Landscaping & Groundskeeping Workers	\$20,500	10%
Refuse & Recyclable Materials Worker	\$25,700	3%

Tomorrow

Requires long-term on-the-job training, work experience, post-secondary vocational and/or associate degree

	NM Median Annual Wage	NM Projected Job Growth
Auto Service Technicians & Mechanics	\$33,200	11%
Biofuels Processing Technicians*	\$48,500	10%
Geographic Information Systems Technician	\$74,000	10%
Heating Ventilation Air Conditioning Tech*	\$36,500	4%
Mechanical Engineering Technologist	\$54,700	16%
Solar Photovoltaic Installer* (NM/AZ data)	\$24,900	3%
Wind Turbine Technicians	\$27,900	9%

& the Future

Requires bachelor degree or higher

	NM Median Annual Wage	NM Projected Job Growth
Biofuel Research Scientist	\$124,700	23%
Environmental Engineers	\$81,200	36%
Forestry and Conservation Science Teacher	\$49,400	38%
Hydrologist	\$70,800	19%
Landscape Architect (NM/AZ data)	\$57,600	21%
Nanosystems Engineer	\$101,900	15%

* Education for this field offered at Santa Fe Community College

Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics 2009 Wage data and 2008-2018 Employment Projections

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