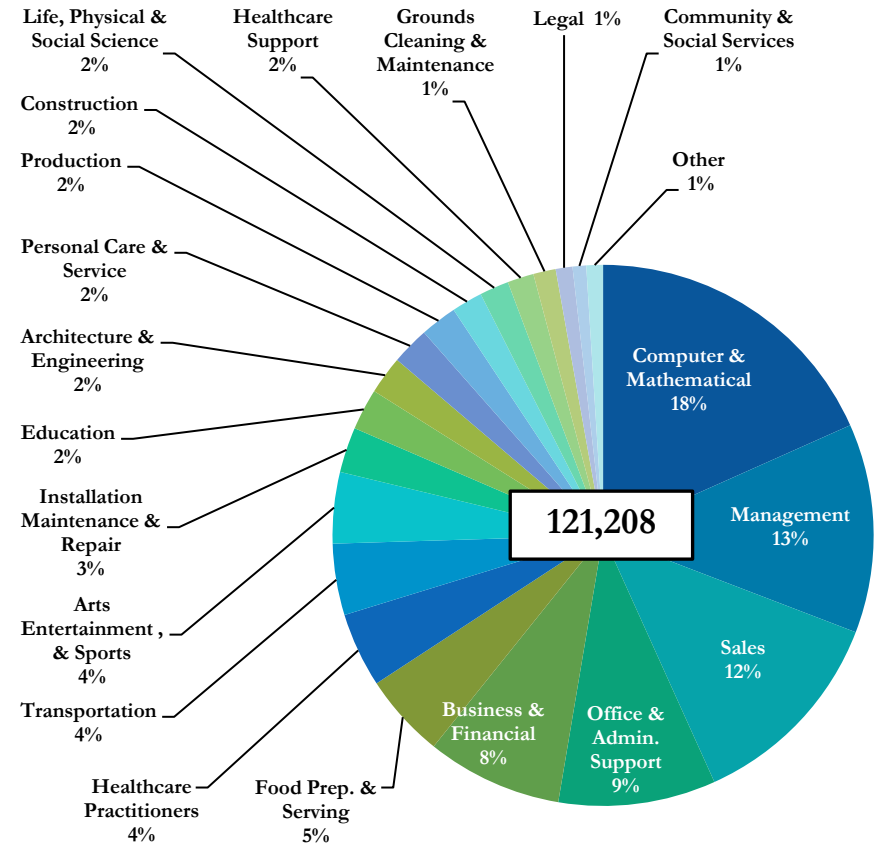




WHERE ARE THE JOBS? – CHICAGO

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CWIC analyzed 121,208 recent postings pulled from internet job boards to develop an understanding of current job demand and employer needs. The Chicago jobs summarized here were posted online 7/03/11 through 9/30/11. The data source, Help Wanted Online, uses web spider crawler technology to scour online job boards and assigns an occupational code to each job posting.



Top 20 Occupations by number of job postings:

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| 1. Web developer (4,665) | 12. Retail salesperson (2,093) |
| 2. Computer systems analyst (4,088) | 13. Supervisor of food workers (2,066) |
| 3. Heavy truck driver (2,579) | 14. Network and computer system administrators (1,967) |
| 4. Marketing manager (2,536) | 15. Sales rep, wholesale and manufacturing (1,858) |
| 5. Sales manager (2,416) | 16. Supervisor of retail sales (1,777) |
| 6. Accountant (2,405) | 17. Sales rep, services (1,705) |
| 7. Software engineer, applications (2,369) | 18. Customer service rep (1,617) |
| 8. Executive assistant (2,337) | 19. Computer programmer (1,534) |
| 9. Registered nurse (2,159) | 20. Financial manager (1,477) |
| 10. Management analyst (2,154) | |
| 11. Computer support specialist (2,108) | |

Top Employers by number of job postings (excluding staffing firms):

1. Deloitte
2. The University of Chicago
3. IBM
4. JPMorgan Chase
5. Accenture
6. KPMG
7. Resurrection Health Care
8. Ernst & Young
9. Bank of America
10. PWC

	Computer & Mathematical (18%)	Management (13%)	Sales (12%)	Office and Admin. Support (9%)	Business and Financial (8%)	Food Prep and Serving (5%)
Top Positions in Demand	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Web developers¹ - Computer systems analysts² - Software engineers, applications⁷ - Computer support specialists¹¹ - Network & computer systems administrators¹⁴ - Computer programmers¹⁹ - IT project managers - Systems engineers/architects - Database administrators - Software QA engineers & testers 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Marketing managers⁴ - Sales managers⁵ - Financial managers²⁰ - Computer & information systems managers - Medical & health services managers - General and operations managers - Human resources managers - Property managers - Social & community service managers - Public relations managers 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Retail salesperson¹² - Sales rep, wholesale and manufacturing¹⁵ - Supervisor of retail sales¹⁶ - Sales rep, services¹⁷ - Sales rep, technical and scientific products - Sales agents, financial services - Supervisors of non-retail sales workers - Insurance sales agents - Telemarketers - Advertising sales agents 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Executive assistants⁸ - Customer service representative¹⁸ - Supervisors of office & admin. support workers - Office clerks, general and auditing clerks - Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks - Medical secretaries - Receptionists and information clerks - Tellers - Legal secretaries - Hotel, motel, and resort desk clerks 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Accountants⁶ - Management analysts¹⁰ - Auditors - Financial analysts - Personnel recruiters - Loan officers - Training & development specialists - Meeting & convention planners - Personal financial advisors - Business operations specialists 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Supervisors of food workers¹³ - Wait staff - Cooks - Combined food prep & serving workers, including fast food - Chefs & head cooks - Hosts & hostesses - Cafeteria attendants & bartender helpers - Bartenders - Food prep workers - Dishwashers

	Healthcare Practitioners (4%)	Transportation (4%)	Arts and Entertainment (4%)	Installation Maintenance and Repair (2%)	Education (2%)	Architecture and Engineering (2%)
Top Positions in Demand	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Registered nurses⁹ - Physical therapists - Occupational therapists - Medical records & health IT technicians - Speech pathologists - Licensed practical nurses - Physician assistants - Family & general practitioners - Pharmacists - Physicians & surgeons 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Heavy truck drivers³ - Light truck drivers - Hand laborers & material movers - Supervisors of material moving machine operators - Drivers/sales workers - Taxi drivers & chauffeurs - Cleaners of vehicles & equipment - Industrial truck & tractor operators - Parking lot attendants - Material moving workers, all other 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Public relations specialists - Graphic designers - Actors - Musicians, instrumental - Editors - Copywriters - Technical writers - Art directors - Photographers - Merchandise displays and window trimmers 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Maintenance & repair workers - Automotive technicians - Supervisors of mechanics, installers, repairers - Automotive body repairers & installers - Bus/truck/diesel engine mechanics - Heating & A/C mechanics - Auto master mechanics - Telecom installers & repairers (not line installers) - Industrial machinery mechanics - Security and fire alarm installers 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Preschool teachers - Secondary school teachers - Tutors - Elementary school teachers - Postsecondary vocational education teachers - Postsecondary art, drama, music teachers - Postsecondary health specialties teachers - Teacher assistants - Instructional coordinators - Middle school teachers 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Industrial engineers - Mechanical engineers - Electrical engineers - Civil engineers - Electronics engineers, except computer - Environmental engineers - Architects - Industrial engineering technicians - Chemical engineers - Industrial safety & health engineers
	Personal Care and Service (2%)	Production (2%)	Construction (2%)	Life, Physical and Social Sciences (2%)	Healthcare Support (2%)	Grounds Cleaning (1%)
Top Positions in Demand	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Personal & home care aides - Hairdressers & cosmetologists - Nonfarm animal caretakers - Fitness trainers & aerobics instructors - Nannies - Child care workers - Manicurists & pedicurists - Supervisor of personal service workers - Skin care specialists - Recreation workers 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Managers of production workers - Machinists - Production worker helpers - Computer controlled machine tool operators - Welders & cutters - Tailors & custom sewers - Inspectors, testers, sorters - Printing machine operator - Machine setters, tenders, and operators, metal & plastic - Assemblers and fabricators 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Supervisors of trade and extraction workers - Construction carpenters - Construction laborers - Painters, construction and maintenance - Electricians - Roofers - Plumbers - Sheet metal workers - Drywall and ceiling tile installers - Carpet installers 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Market research analysts - Medical scientists - Biological technicians - Chemists - Environmental & health scientists - Food scientists - Survey researchers - Environmental science technicians - Social science research assistants 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Dental assistants - Medical assistants - Massage therapists - Home health aides - Nursing aides - Physical therapist assistants - Occupational therapist assistants - Other healthcare support workers - Veterinary assistants - Medical equipment preparers 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Janitors and cleaners - Maids and housekeeping cleaners - Landscaping and grounds keeping workers - Nursing aides - Supervisors of housekeeping and janitorial workers - Tree trimmers and pruners - Supervisors of landscaping, lawn service, and grounds keeping workers - Pest control workers - Pesticide handlers, sprayers, and applicators - Building cleaning workers, all other

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Source: Help Wanted Online (HWOL), a service of The Conference Board www.conference-board.org. Job posting data summarized here covers the city of Chicago only. Data has been retrieved from hundreds of online job boards and company websites. The following postings are excluded: (1) Bulk Employers (includes work at home opportunities, training opportunities, and companies that re-post ads from other employers on their own site, obscuring the name of the employer and (2) Third Party Postings (job boards that simply re-post opportunities from other sites already collected by HWOL). This report should not be used as a comprehensive list of available jobs in Chicago. Some industries use other methods for hiring, including industries that are heavily unionized. Feedback from Chicago businesses indicates that low skilled jobs are often filled easily, without the need to post online. These types of industries and occupations may be under-represented here. In addition, these jobs were posted at some point within a 90 day period, and may or may not have been filled by the time this report was released.