

Construction Management

About the Major:

Students who study construction management will build a strong foundational knowledge in the areas of construction contract administration and specifications, construction field operations, construction costs and bidding, construction scheduling and project control, construction law and ethics, construction safety and inspection, construction project monitoring and control, and construction project management. Additional coursework includes mathematics, sciences, economics, technical writing, oral communications, and business.

Marketable Skills Developed in this Major/Minor:

- Business management
- Collaboration
- Project management
- Cost and product estimation
- Decision-making and leadership skills
- Compliance with regulations
- Analytical and time-management skills.

Relevant Fields:

- Building and code inspection
- Municipal contracts management
- Green building consulting
- Contract administration
- Bridges and roads

Sample Occupational Titles

with a Bachelor's Degree:

- Construction Manager
- Architect
- Cost Estimator
- Construction Inspector
- Site Manager

Professional Associations:

- [CBRE](#)
- [Alfa Tech Consulting Engineers](#)
- [Hill International](#)
- [JE Dunn Construction](#)
- [Kitchell Corporation](#)

Career Opportunities and Job Outlook:

Employment of construction managers is projected to grow 8 percent from 2021 to 2031, faster than the average for all occupations. About 41,500 openings for construction managers are projected each year, on average, over the decade.

Salary Estimates:

The median annual wage for construction managers was \$98,890 per year in May 2021. (This section is intended for informational purposes, not prediction of actual salary.)