



The Economic Value of Oregon's Community Colleges

REFLECTS FISCAL YEAR 2018-19

ECONOMIC IMPACT ANALYSIS



1 out of every **19**

jobs in Oregon is supported by the activities of Oregon's Community Colleges and their students



About Oregon's Community Colleges

156,417 Credit students

110,251 Non-credit students

13,427 Employees



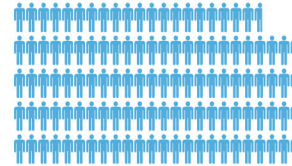
Alumni impact

Impact of the increased earnings of Oregon's Community Colleges alumni and the businesses they work for

\$9 billion
Added income

an economic boost similar to hosting the World Series
1,493x

116,697 Jobs supported



↑ = 1,000 jobs



Operations spending impact

Impact of annual payroll and other spending

\$812.3 million
Added income

- OR -

enough to buy 24,206 new cars

13,824 Jobs supported



Student spending impact

Impact of the daily spending of Oregon's Community Colleges students attracted to or retained in the state

\$203.4 million
Added income

- OR -

4,547 Jobs supported

enough to buy 16,364 families* a year's worth of groceries

* family of four



Construction spending impact

\$37.8 million
Added income

- OR -

455 Jobs supported



INVESTMENT ANALYSIS

The average associate degree graduate from Oregon's Community Colleges will see an increase in earnings of **\$8,100** each year compared to someone with a high school diploma working in Oregon.



For every \$1...

\$3.90 in lifetime earnings

\$2.20 in added tax revenue and public sector savings

\$7.10 in added state revenue and social savings

Sources: Emsi Economic Impact Study; <http://www.chicagotribune.com/news/opinion/commentary/ct-world-series-host-cities-economy-20151003-story.html>; <http://www.usatoday.com/story/money/cars/2016/05/04/new-car-transaction-price-3-4bb-kelley-blue-book/2669091/>; <http://www.usatoday.com/story/news/nation/2015/06/01/grocery-costs-for-family/2704161/>