## Atmospheric Scientists

**Median annual wages:** $87,780 (May 2010)  

*By Category:*

- Federal $95,460  
- Scientific Research & Development $87,130  
- Radio & Television Broadcasting $80,250  
- State Government, Colleges & Universities $81,010  

Average salary for meteorologists employed by the Federal Government was **$94,460** (2010).

## Geologists

**Median annual wages:** $82,500 (May 2010)  

*By Category:*

- Oil & Gas $125,350  
- Federal $93,300  
- Engineering and Related Services $68,790  
- Management, Scientific, Technical Consulting Services $67,840  
- State Government $59,820  

Average salary for geologists employed by the Federal Government was **$93,300** and **$106,370** for geophysicists (2010).

## Astronomers

**Median annual wages:** $87,260 (May 2010)  

- Federal Government $137,420  
- Research and Development $92,040  
- Colleges and Universities $64,070
Environmental Scientists

Median annual wages: $61,700 (May 2010)

- Highest > $107,990
- Ranges (2011) $47,420– $94,960

Teachers

Post Secondary

Median annual wages: $62,050 (May 2010)

- Highest > $130,510

Secondary

Median annual wages: $53,230

- Highest > $83,230