



# INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY



Information technology is how businesses plan, coordinate and direct computer-related activities within their organizations.

According to the Bureau of Labor Statistics, information technology occupations are projected to grow 12 percent from 2014 to 2024. That's faster than the average for all occupations. That growth is due in part to a greater emphasis on cloud computing, collection and storage of big data, and mobile computing. More than 60,000 people are employed in the Ohio IT industry, with a large cluster focused around the Dayton region. Ohio is quickly becoming the low-cost alternative to Silicon Valley.

## TOP OCCUPATIONS

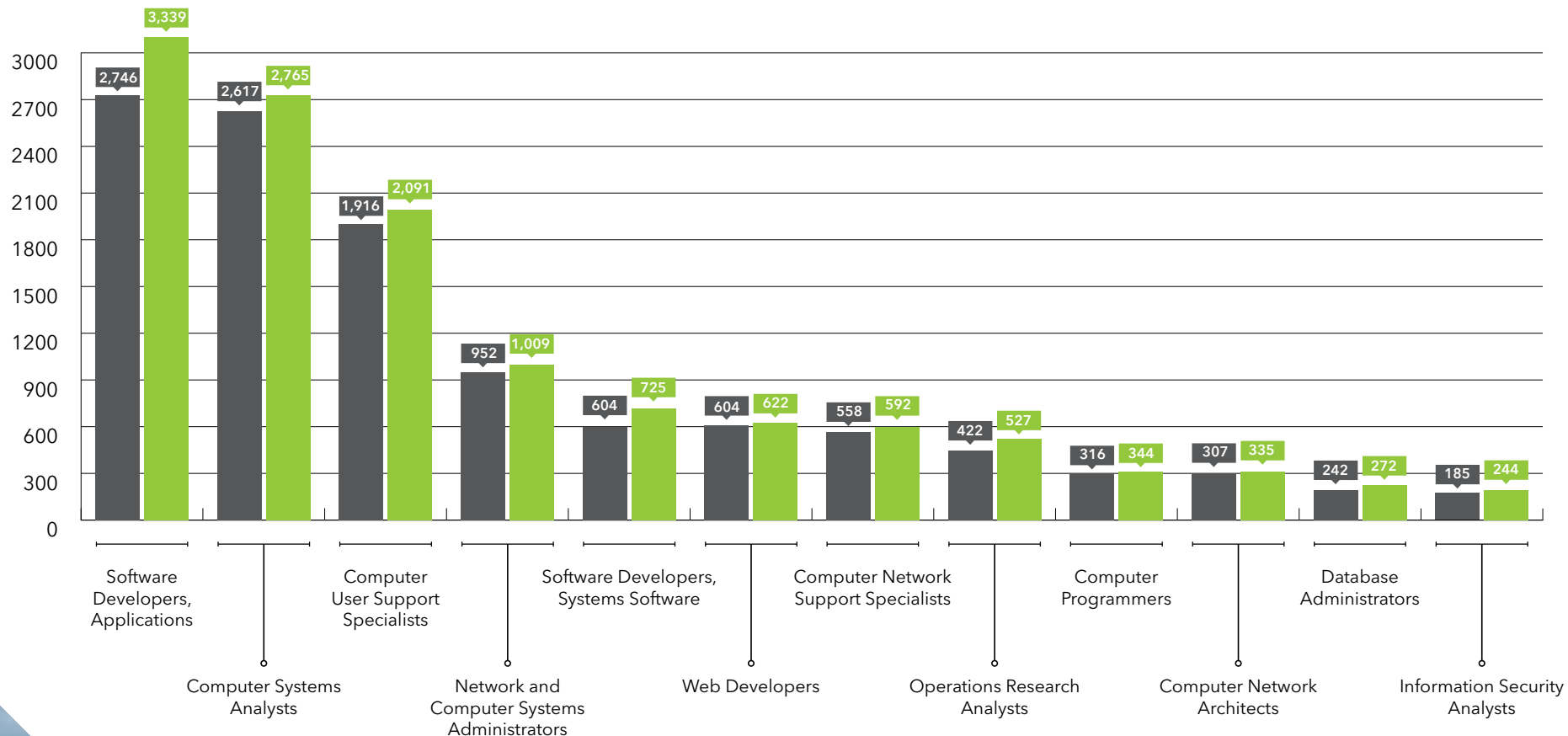
Description	Median Hourly Earnings	Annual Openings
Computer Network Architects	\$44.14	23
Computer Network Support Specialists	\$28.04	45
Computer Programmers	\$36.90	24
Computer Systems Analysts	\$41.55	185
Computer User Support Specialists	\$21.79	161
Database Administrators	\$42.36	19
Information Security Analysts	\$39.20	20
Network and Computer Systems Administrators	\$32.95	66
Operations Research Analysts	\$44.53	37
Software Developers, Applications	\$45.39	247
Software Developers, Systems Software	\$47.83	54
Web Developers	\$24.71	45
	\$37.45	926



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## EMPLOYMENT GROWTH BY OCCUPATION

■ 2018 Jobs ■ 2029 Jobs



## MAJOR EMPLOYERS IN THE DAYTON REGION

Company	Employees	Company	Employees
LexisNexis	3,000	Air Force Institute of Technology	526
Reynolds & Reynolds Co.	1,350	Chapel Electric Co.	460
DP&L Inc.	738	TACG	135
Trimble Navigation Ltd.	550	CDO Technologies	80