

# Hispanics: College Majors and Earnings



## Prevalence of Hispanic Bachelor's Degree Holders



22%

of International Business Bachelor's degree holders are Hispanic\*  
\*the highest concentration

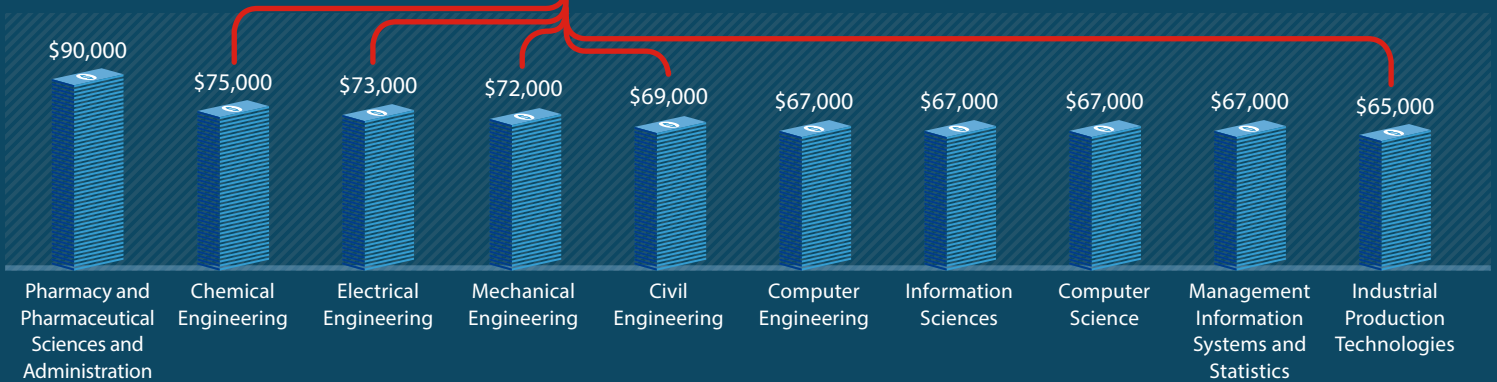
### Top 10 Majors by Percentage of Hispanic Bachelor's Degree Holders

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| 1 – International Business, 22%  | 6 – International Relations, 15%                             |
| 2 – Multi/Interdisciplinary Studies, 19%                                 | 7 – Linguistics and Comparative Language and Literature, 14% |
| 3 – Industrial and Manufacturing Engineering, 17%                        | 8 – General Education, 12%                                   |
| 4 – French, German, Latin and Other Common Foreign Language Studies, 16% | 9 – Human Services and Community Organization, 12%           |
| 5 – Biomedical Engineering, 15%  | 10 – Language and Drama Education, 12%                       |

## 10 Highest-Earnings Majors for Hispanics



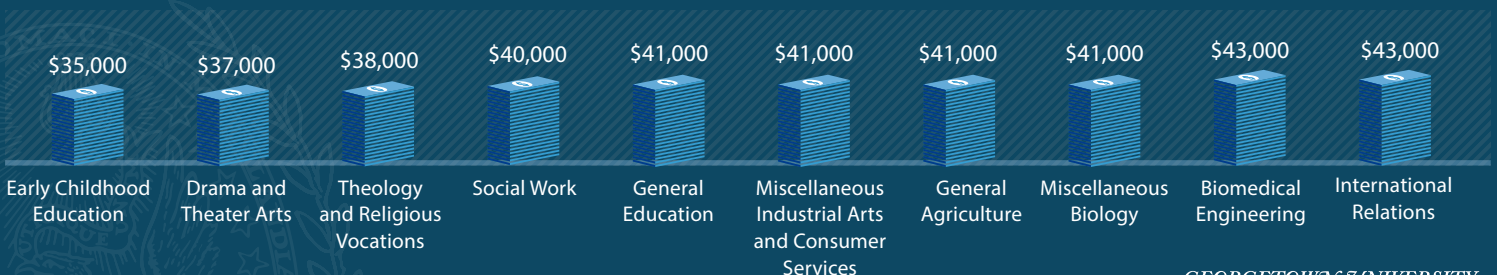
The highest median earnings for Hispanics, by major, are in **Engineering** fields. After engineering, the industries with the highest median earnings for Hispanics are **Computers, Statistics, and Mathematics**, **Health** and **Business**.



## 10 Lowest-Earnings Majors for Hispanics

The occupations with the lowest median earnings are **Education**, **Psychology** and **Social Work**, and the **Arts**.

Majors play a large part in earnings, with salaries in STEM fields often **60%** more than the median earnings in Education and Liberal Arts and Humanities.



Bachelor's degree holders refers to adults between the ages of 21 and 59 with a Bachelor's degree but no graduate degree. Earnings data are reported for workers employed full-time, full-year. Source: Georgetown University Center on Education and the Workforce analysis of U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey micro data, 2009-2013.

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