

# NARAC Survey Cost of Living and Salary Results

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Lunch Session – Survey Results September 25, 2019



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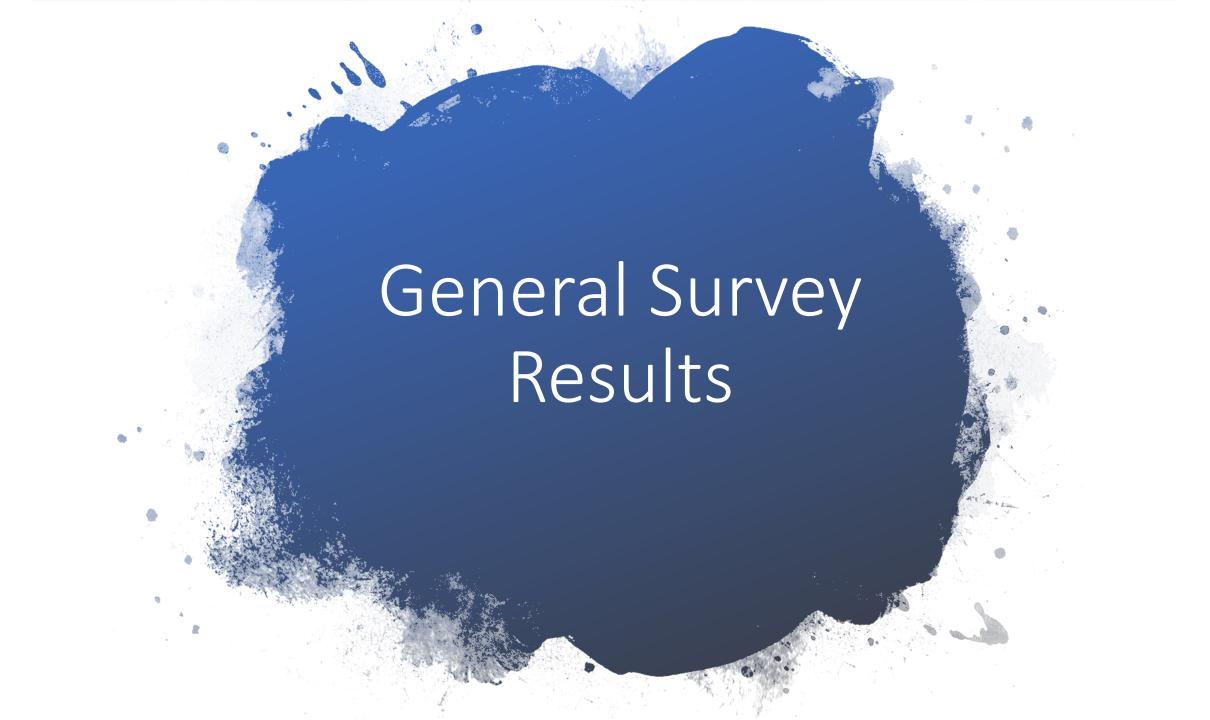
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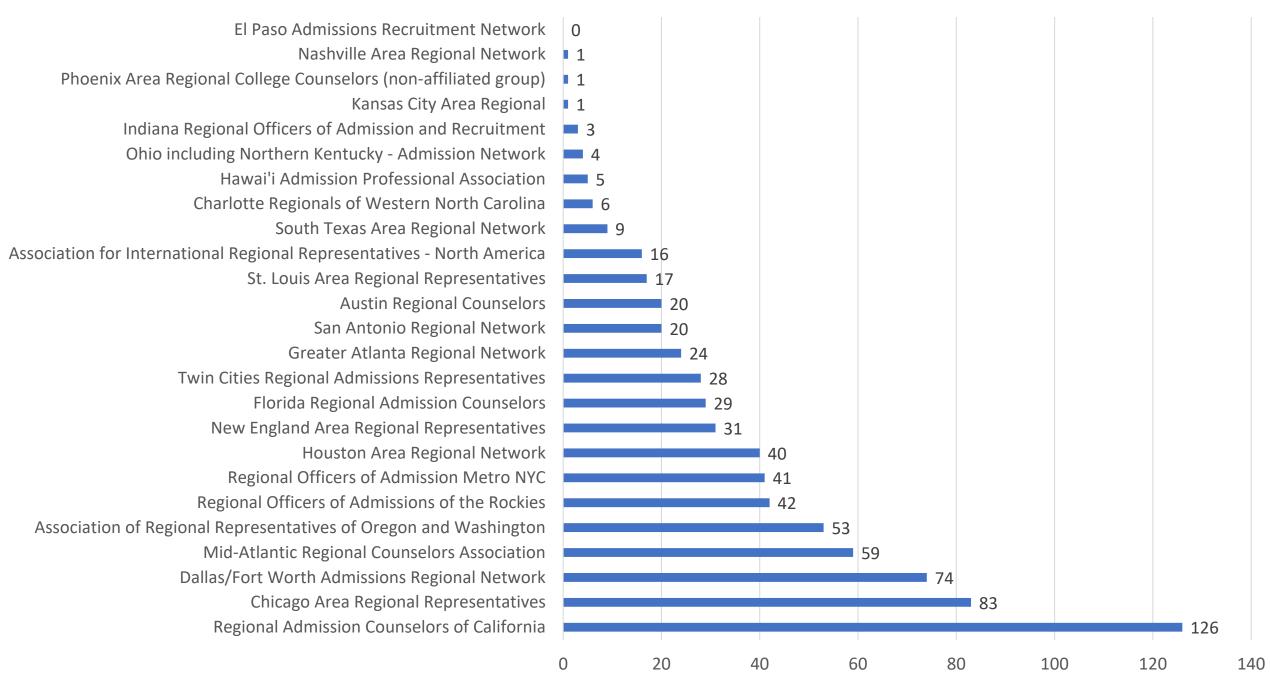
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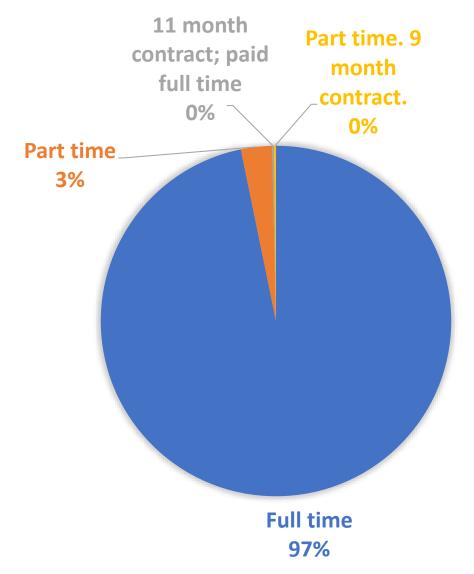
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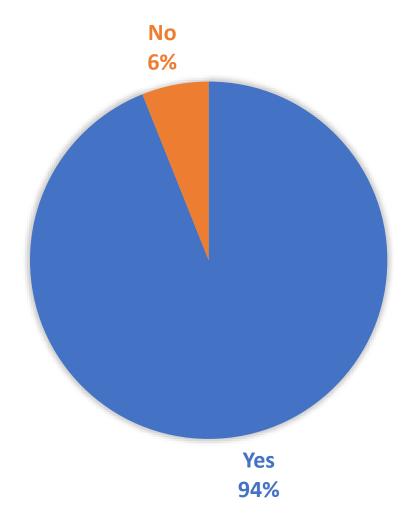




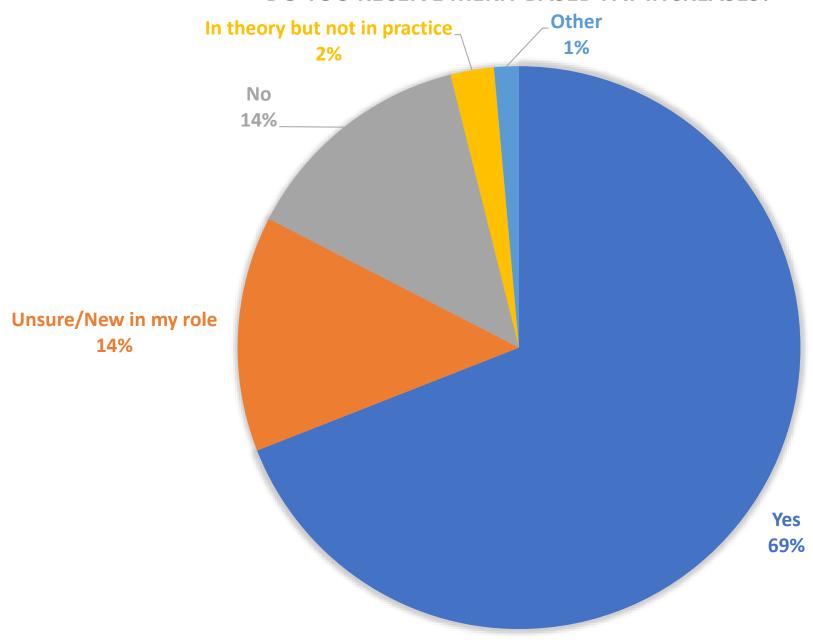
#### WHAT IS YOUR EMPLOYMENT STATUS



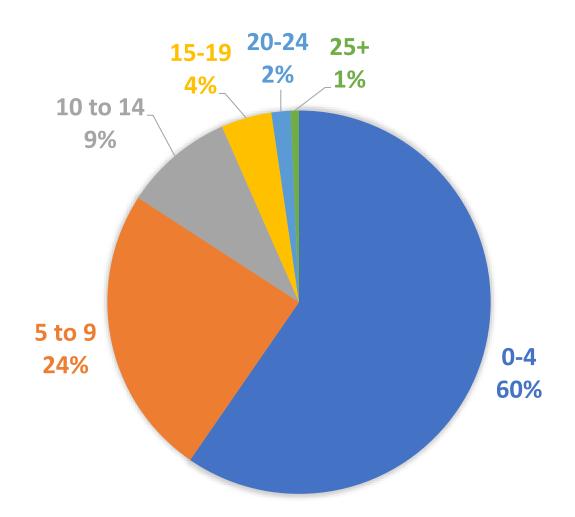
#### **ARE YOU SALARIED?**



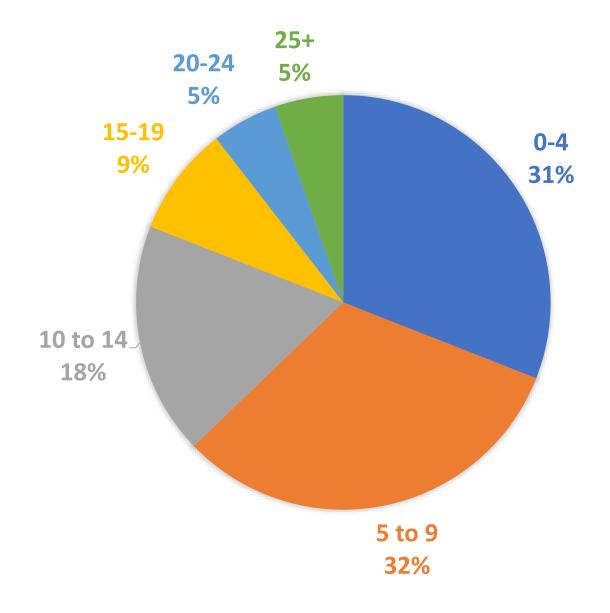
#### DO YOU RECEIVE MERIT BASED PAY INCREASES?



## HOW MANY YEARS HAVE YOU BEEN A REGIONAL?



## HOW MANY YEARS HAVE YOU WORKED IN ADMISSIONS?



	Completely or Mostly False	Neutral	Completely or Mostly True
[I feel like part of the team, equal to campus based staff]	27%	14%	60%
[I receive compensation and benefits on par with campus based employees in similar roles]	19%	15%	67%
[I am recognized for my work and accomplishments]	18%	17%	65%
[I receive the resources need to do my job]	12%	11%	78%
[Expectations from campus are clear and reasonable]	15%	20%	65%
[My campus based colleagues understand and respect my role]	25%	22%	53%
[My supervisor understands and respects my role]	6%	8%	86%
[I have opportunities to grow at my current institution]	44%	24%	32%
[I am currently looking or plan to look for a new regional position]	63%	20%	17%
[I am currently looking or plan to look for a new position in admissions]	63%	19%	17%
[I am currently looking or plan to look for a new position within higher education]	57%	20%	23%
[I am currently looking or plan to look for a new position outside of higher education]	62%	18%	20%

## Salary and Cost of Living Results (Only Regions/Groups with More than 10 Respondents Included)



#### Average Salary By Region



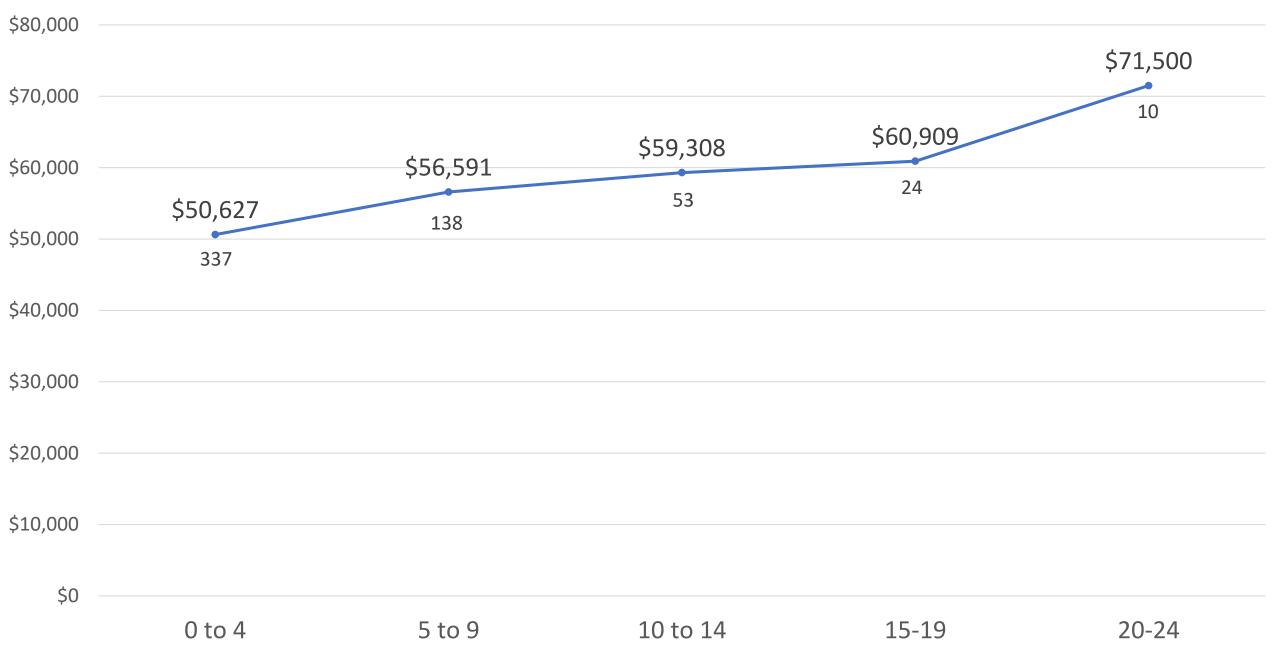


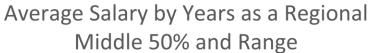
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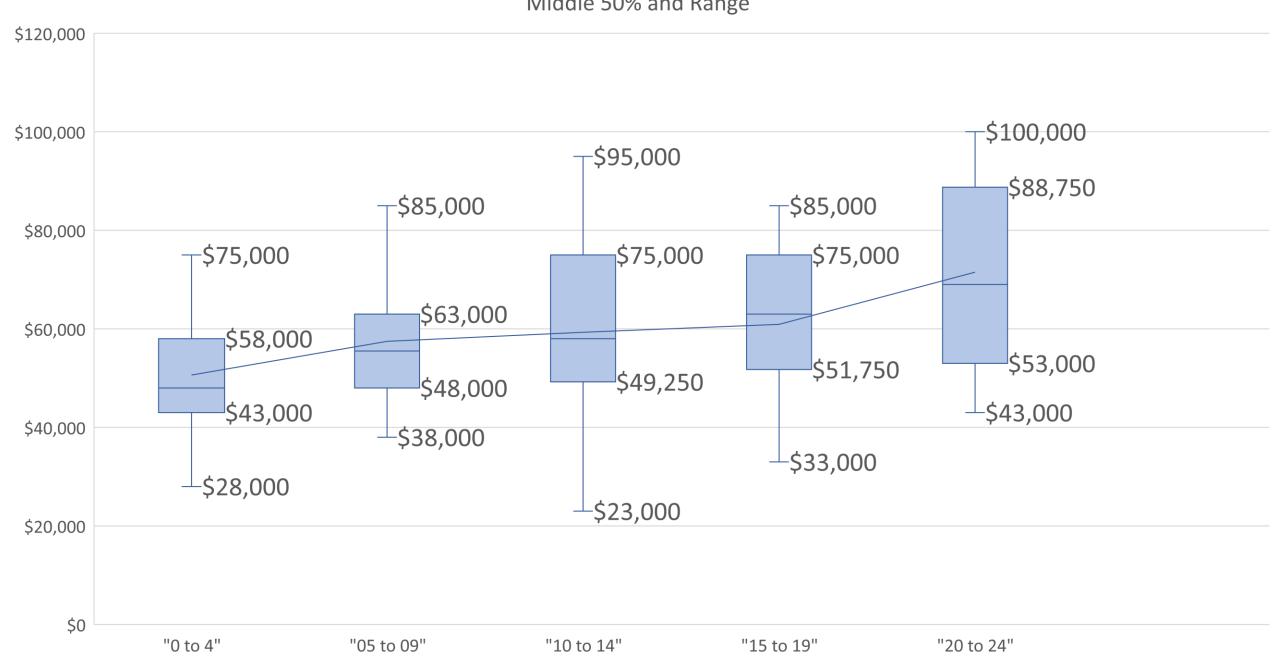
## Average Salary by Approximate Job Title Middle 50% and Range



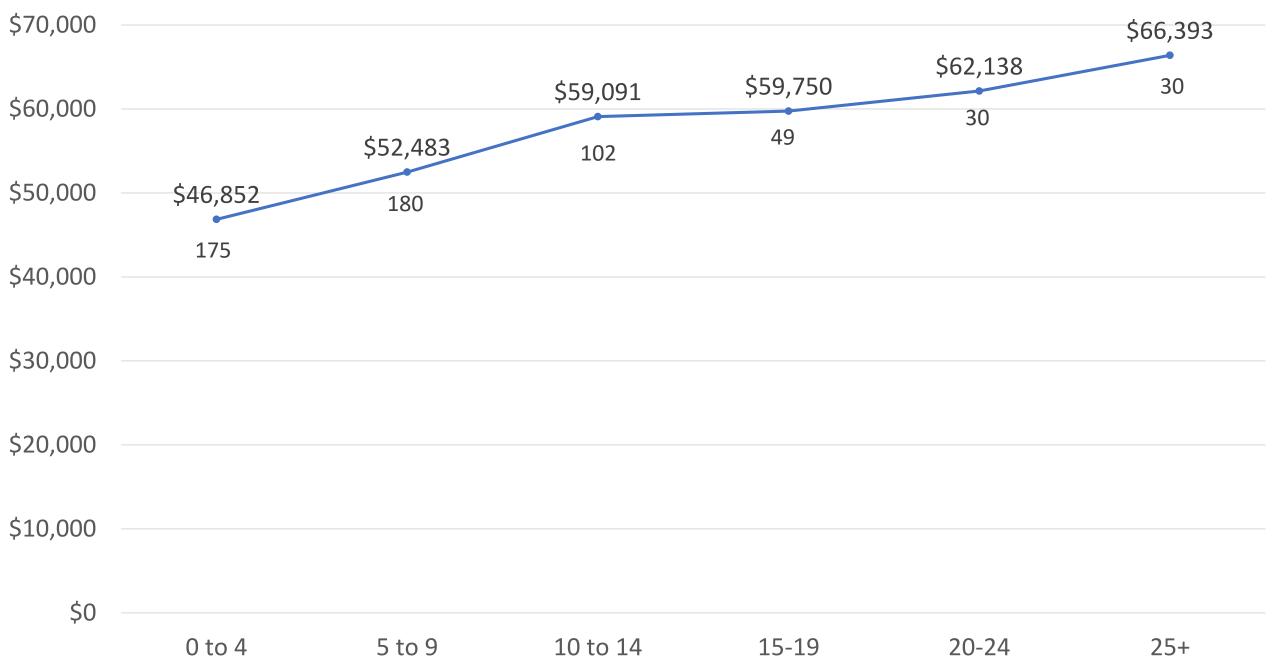
#### Average Salary by Years as Regional

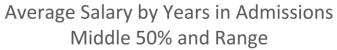


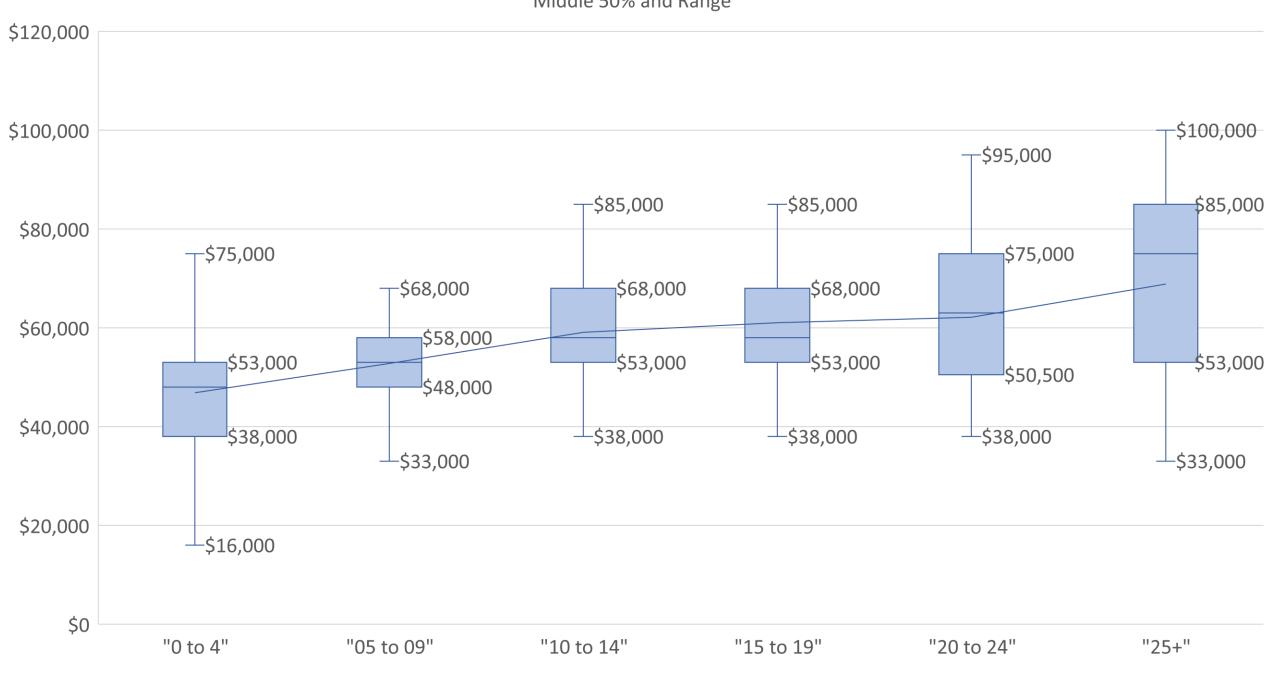




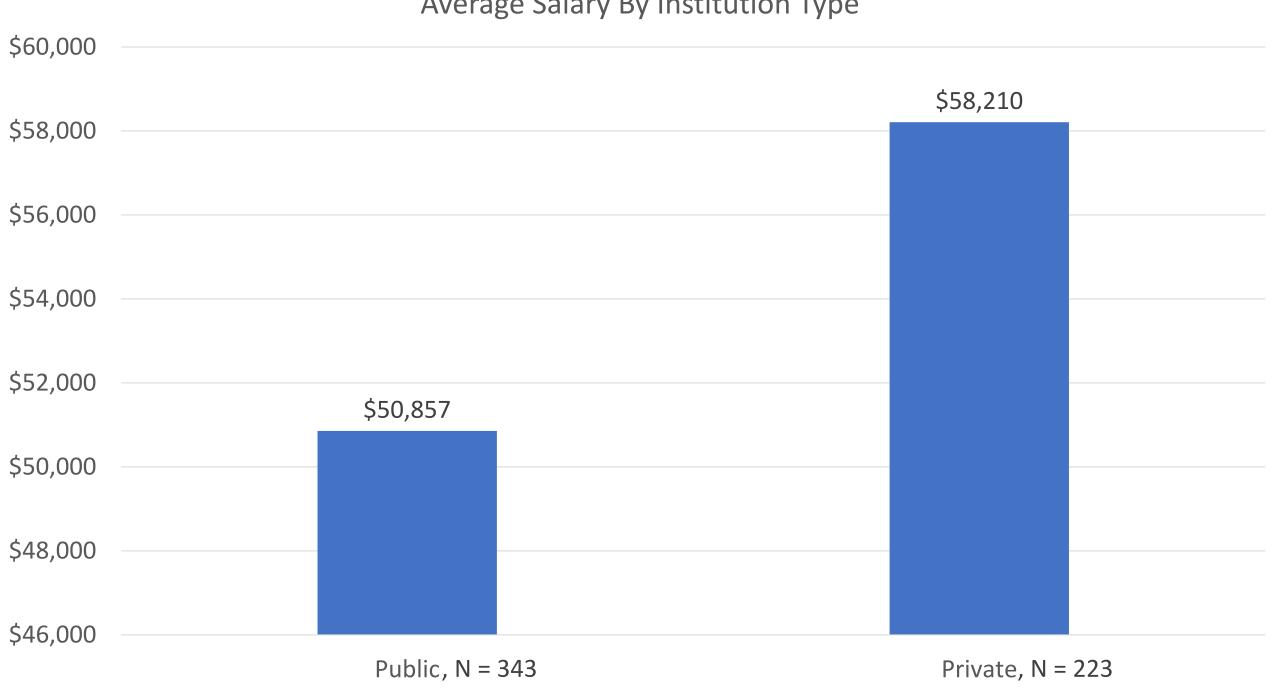
#### Average Salary By Years In Admissions



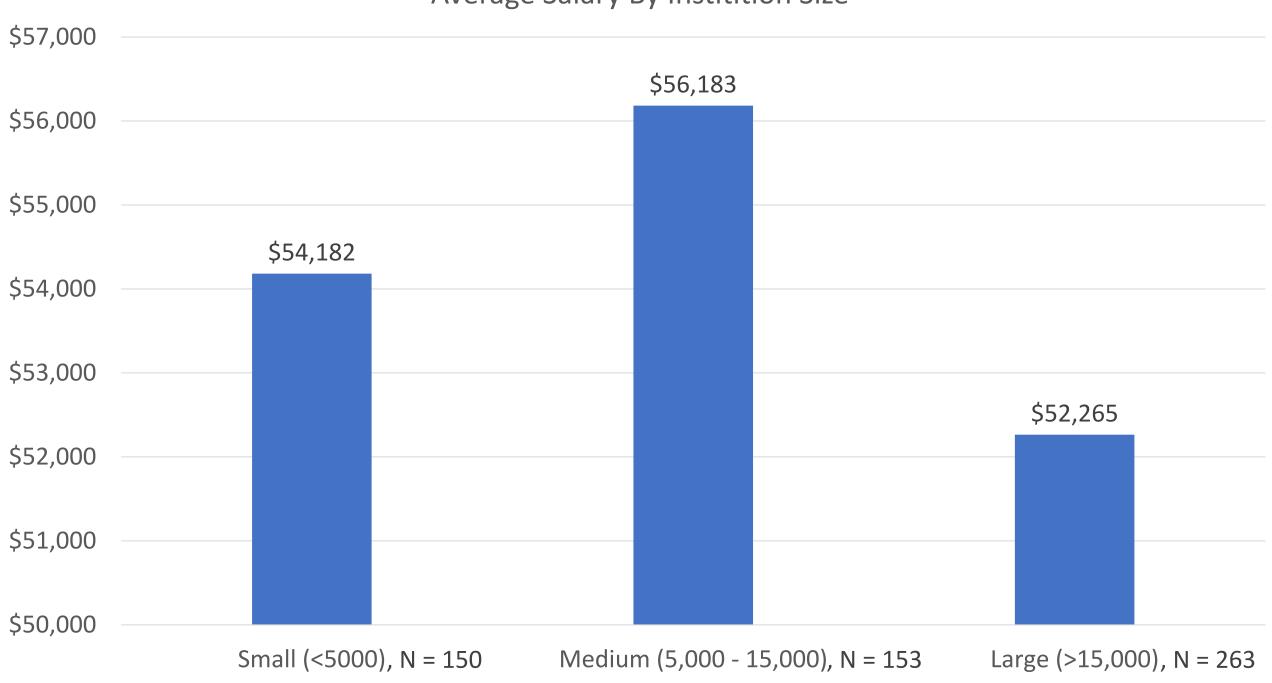


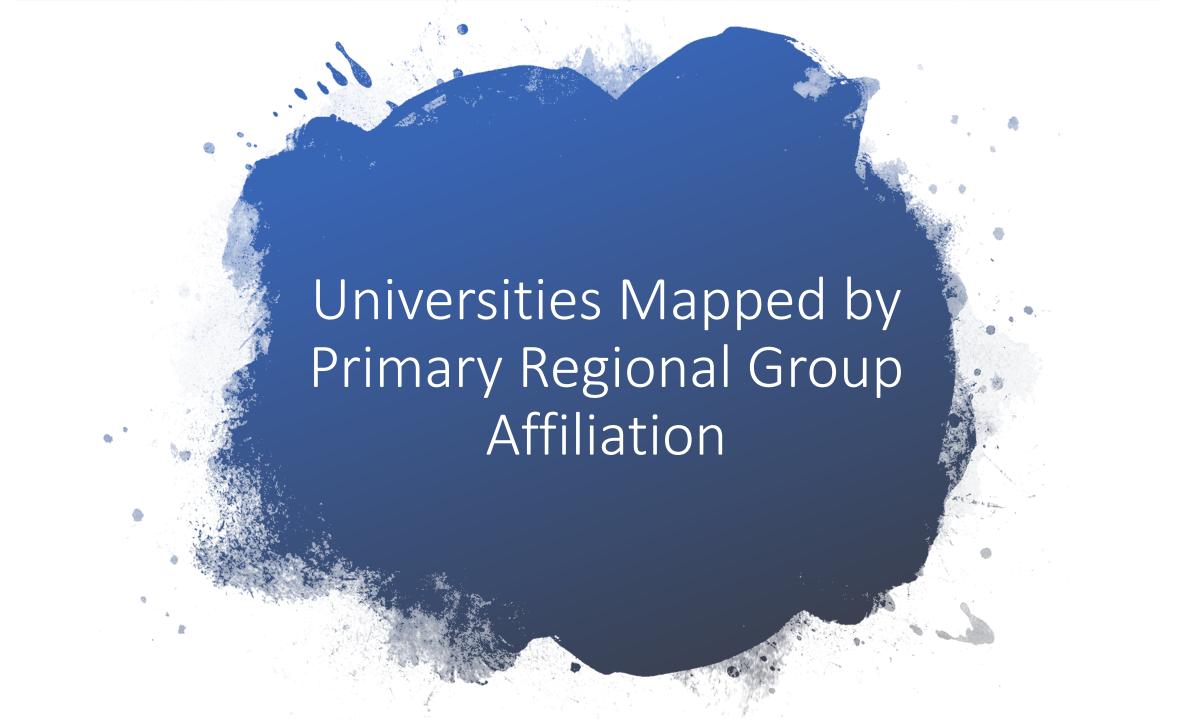


#### Average Salary By Institution Type



#### Average Salary By Institition Size







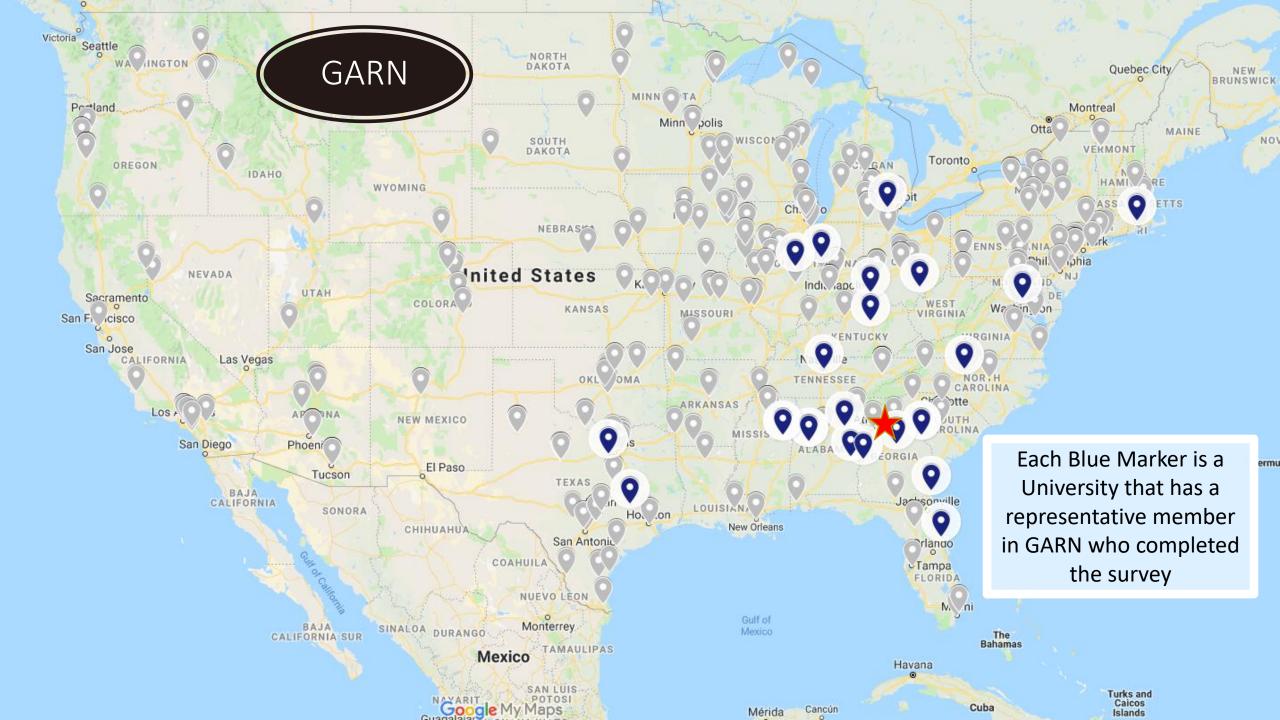


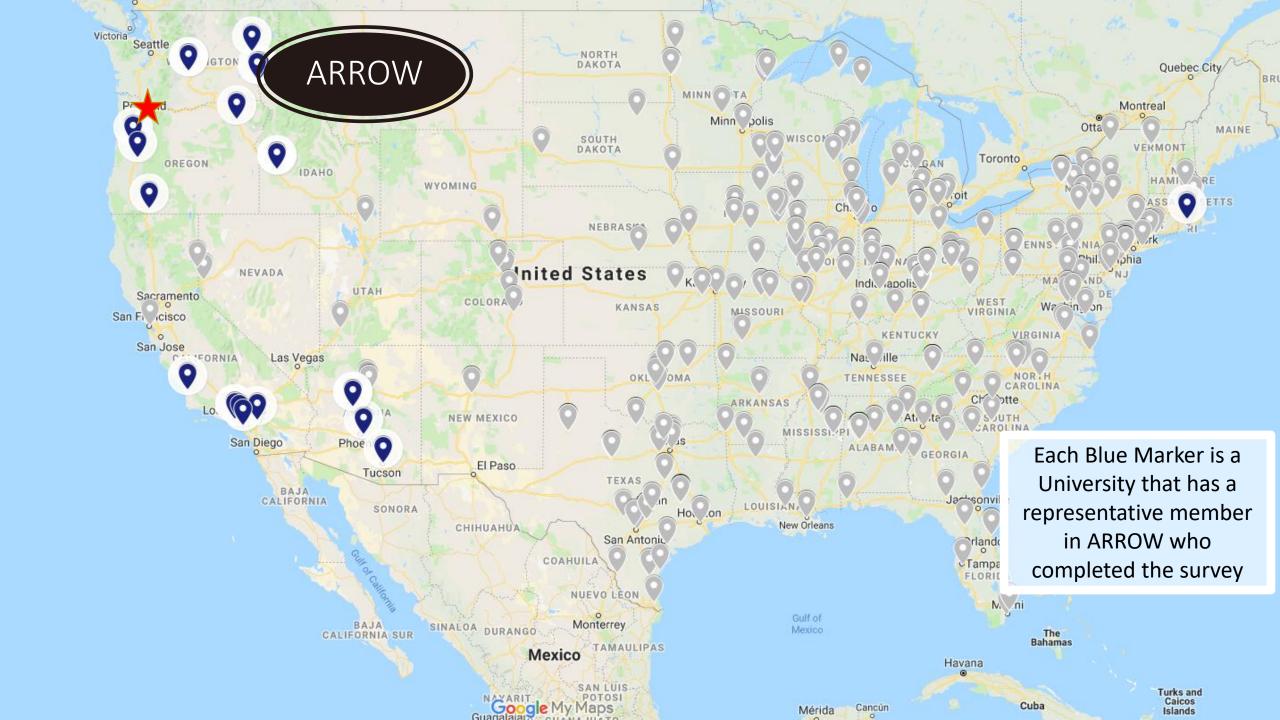








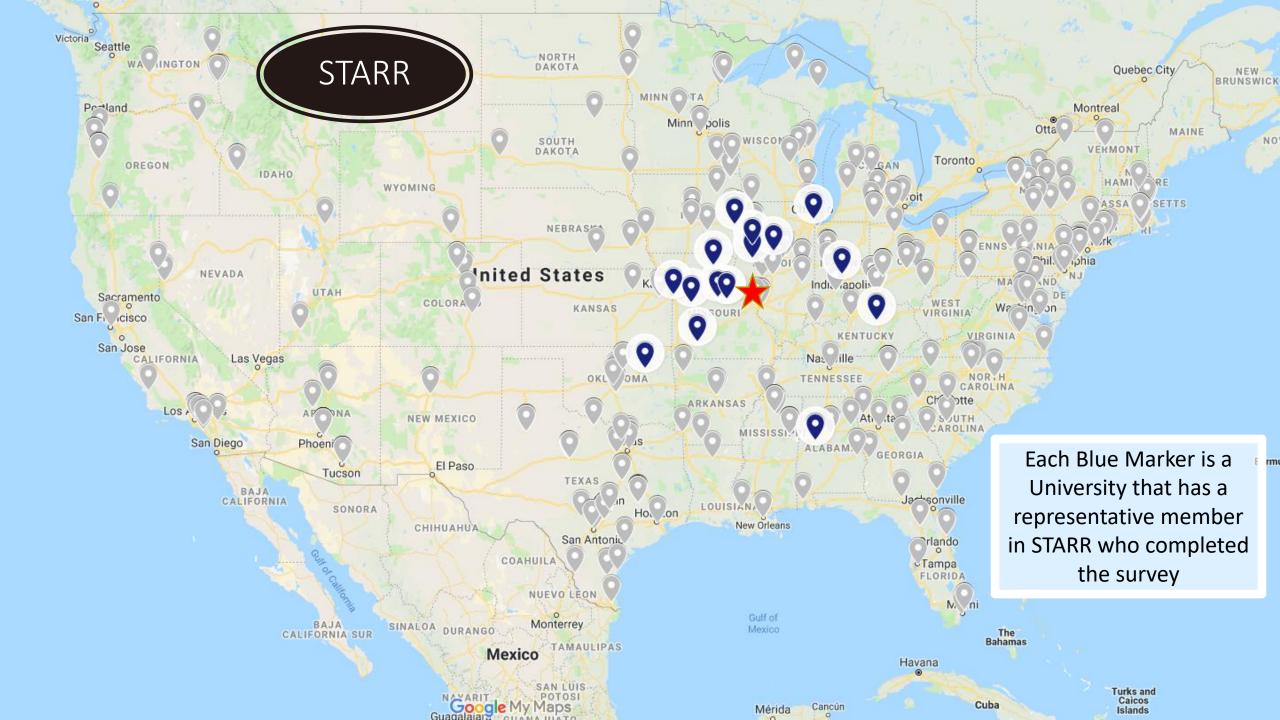






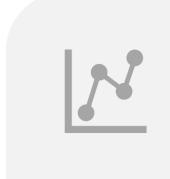






## What is a Cost of Living Index



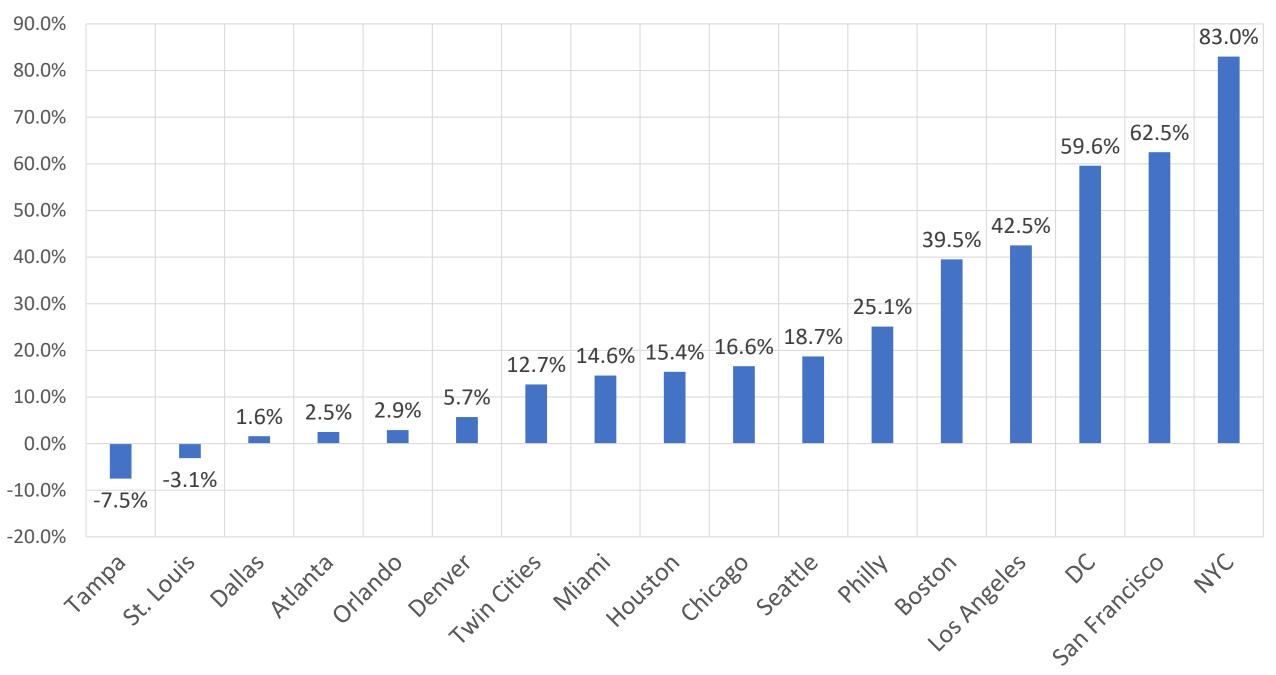


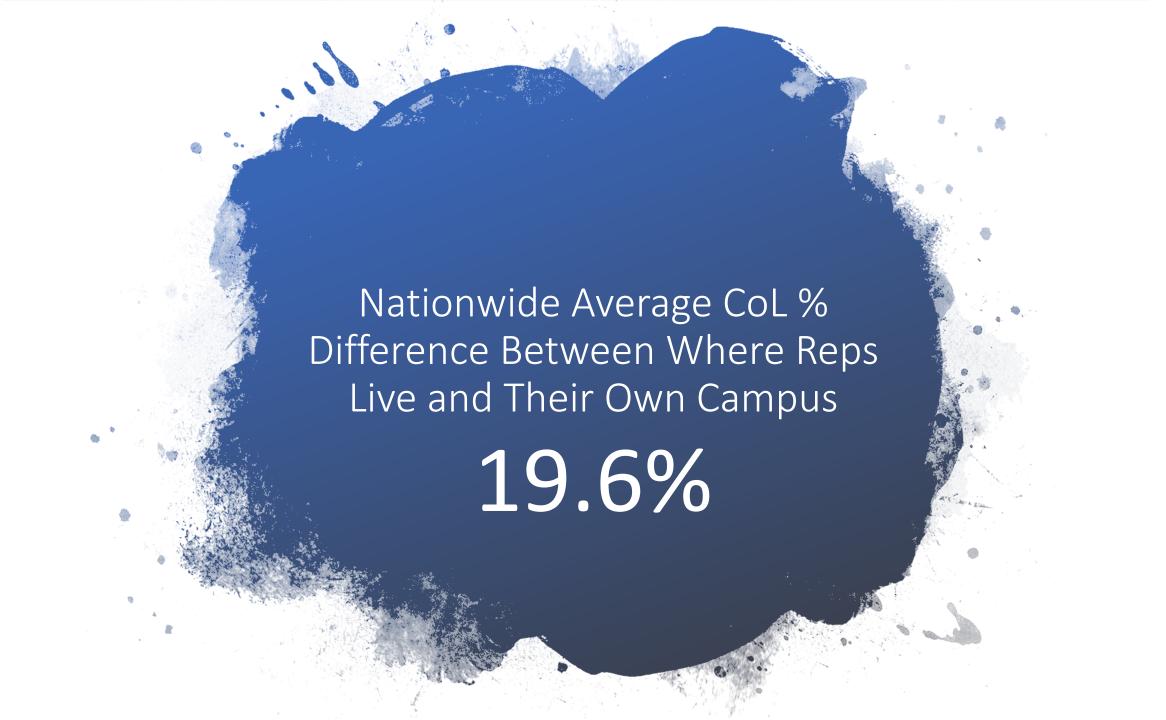


A Cost of Living Index estimates the cost for basic necessities such as housing, food, transportation, taxes, healthcare, and other items CoL data comes from the
Consumer Price Index
published by the US Bureau
of Labor Statistics and other
publicly available cost data
sets

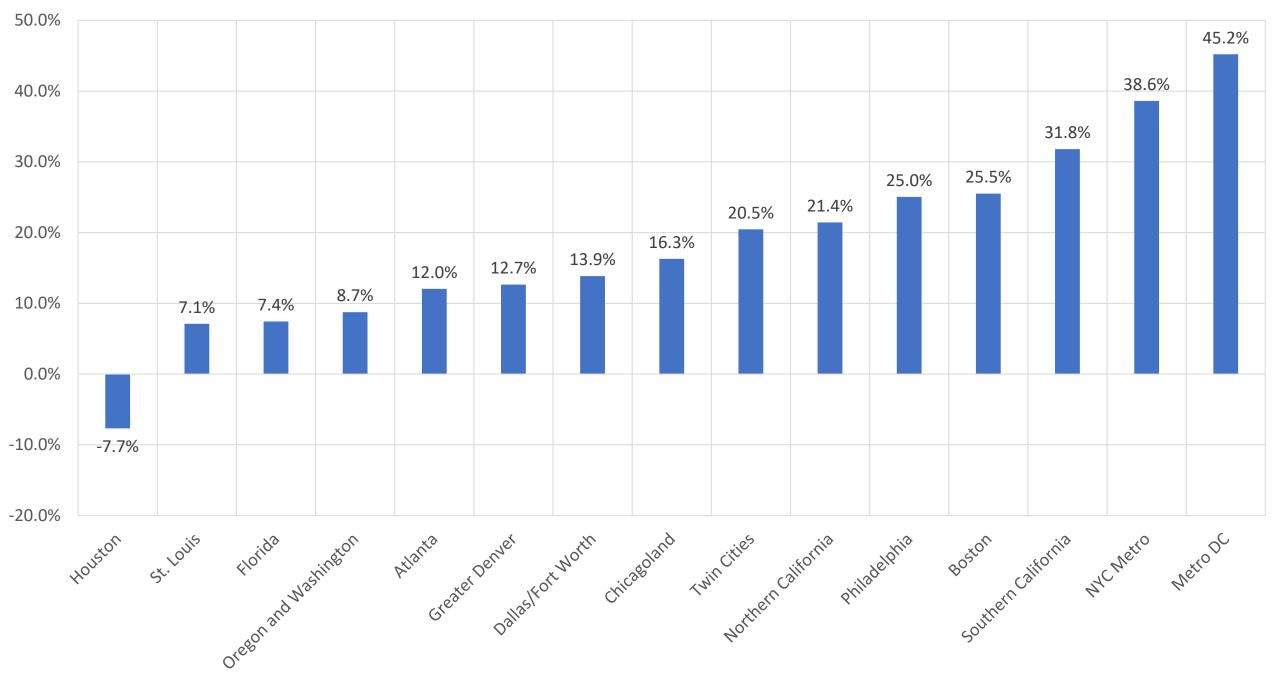
CoL differences estimate the cost differences to <u>maintain</u> the same standard of living

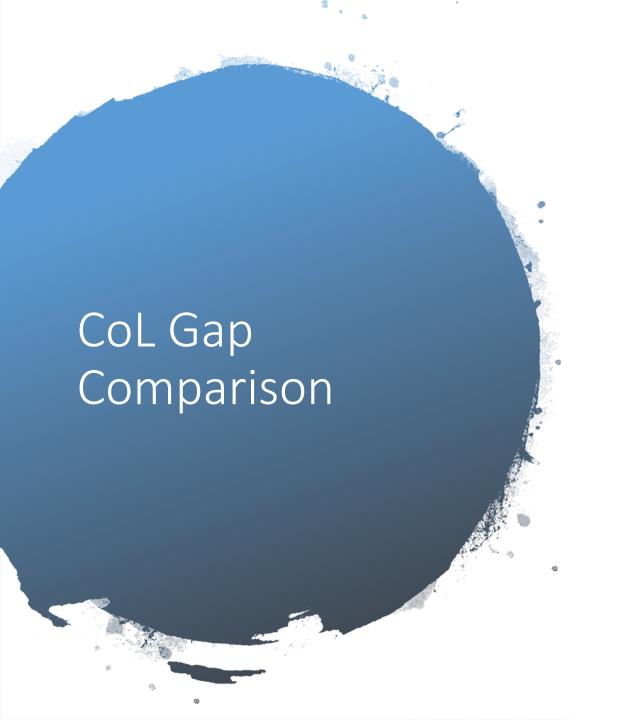
#### Average CoL For Major Cities Compared to National Average





Average CoL % Difference Between Where Reps Live and Their Own Campus (By Region)





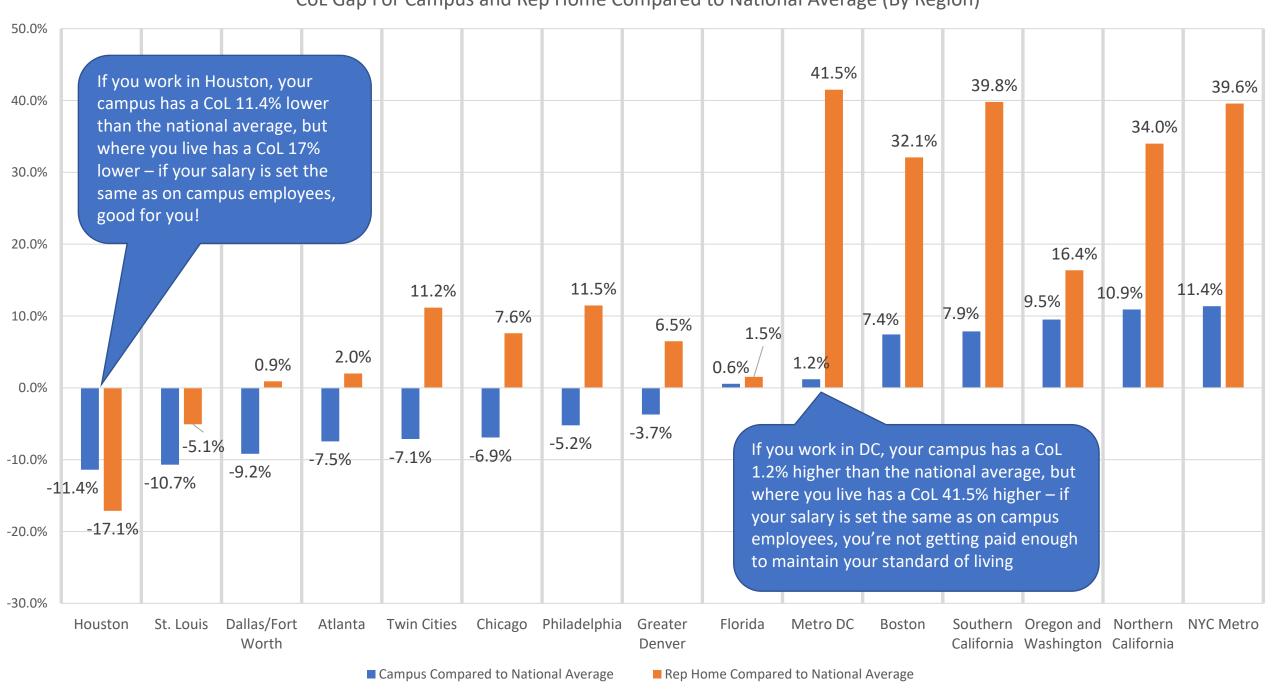
Average CoL
Gap Between
Campuses and
National
Average

•-0.5%

Average CoL
Gap Between
Where Reps Live
and National
Average

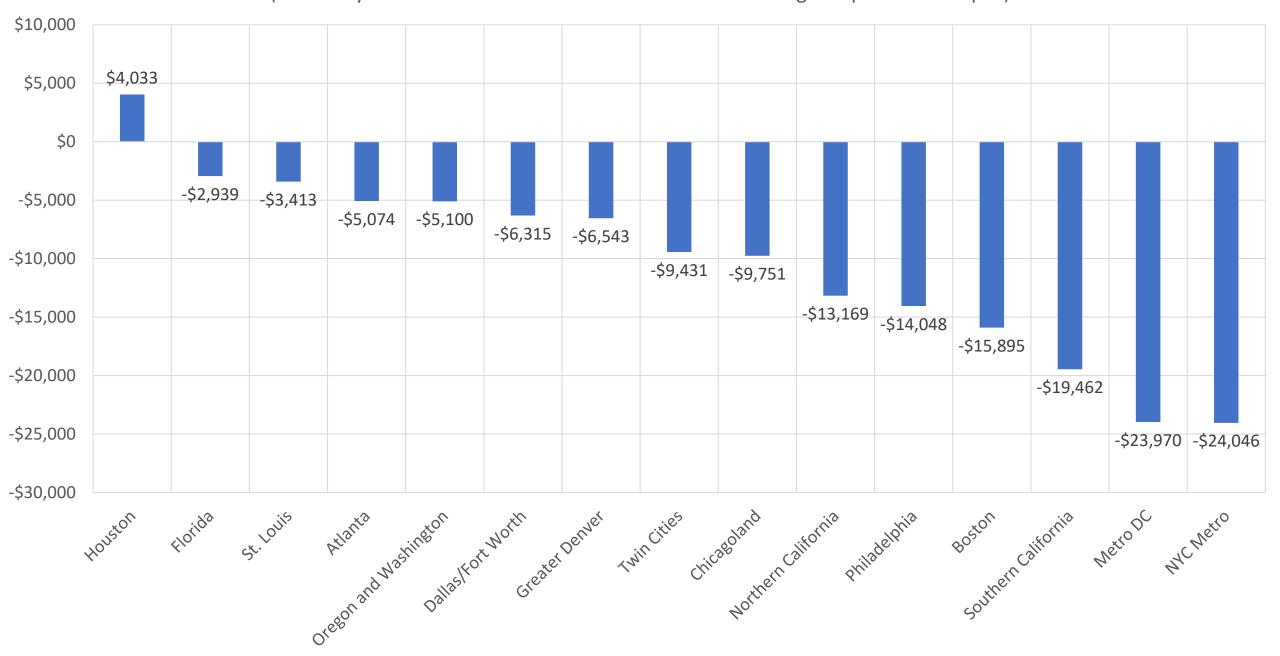
•17.1%

CoL Gap For Campus and Rep Home Compared to National Average (By Region)





Average CoL Salary Gap For Reps (By Region)
(the salary difference needed to maintain standard of living compared to campus)



## Takeaways

#### Primary Point

 There is a disparity between the Cost of Living of regionally based staff and the campuses that employ them

#### What Next

- More research we need more information

   especially related to demographics
   (gender, race, ethnicity, age, etc.)
- Think individually about where you are in this data and what you can do with it
- Let us know what else we should research going forward

Resources to help consider cost of living – CoL Calculators

Resources

Salary.com

https://www.salary.com/research/cost-of-living

SmartAsset.com

https://smartasset.com/mortgage/cost-of-living-calculator#cmsgwwcMWp

### Further Questions



#### **Happy Hour Meet-Up**

Today, 5:00 – 6:30pm

Louisville Marriott Downtown



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