

A CAREER IN MINING

Join one of America's most valuable industries.

MINING JOBS

SURVEY YOUR OPTIONS

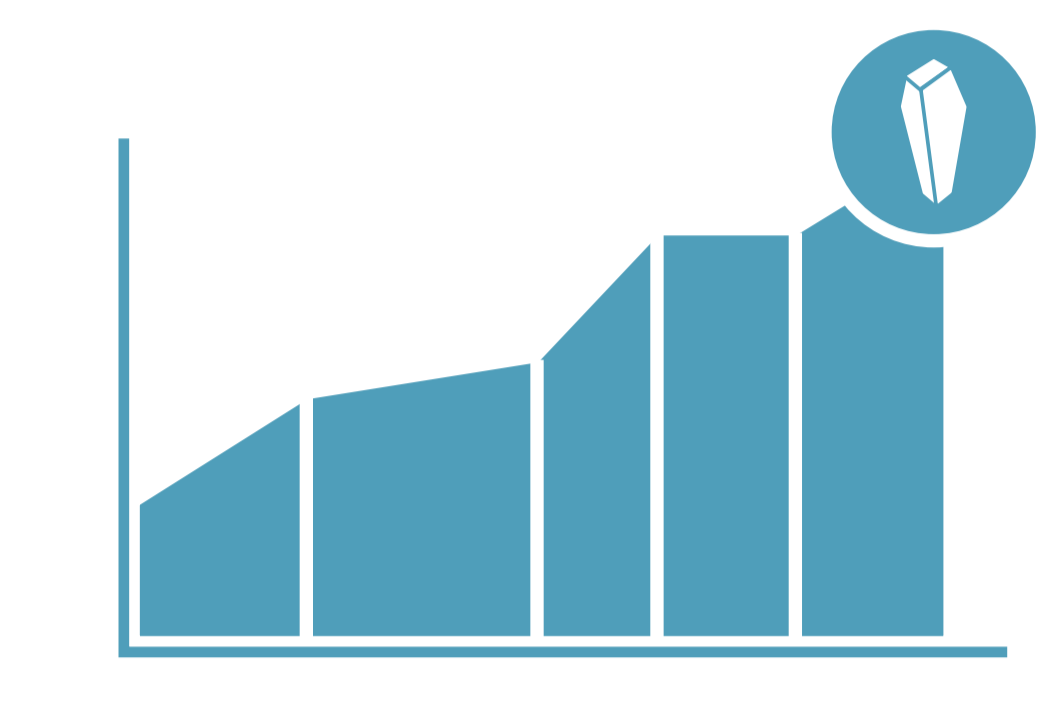


Have you ever considered a career in mining? Set aside your perceptions of pickaxes; today's mining industry is using some of the most advanced technologies in the world to deliver the materials required for virtually every supply chain. The opportunities in this critical – and booming – industry are nearly endless!

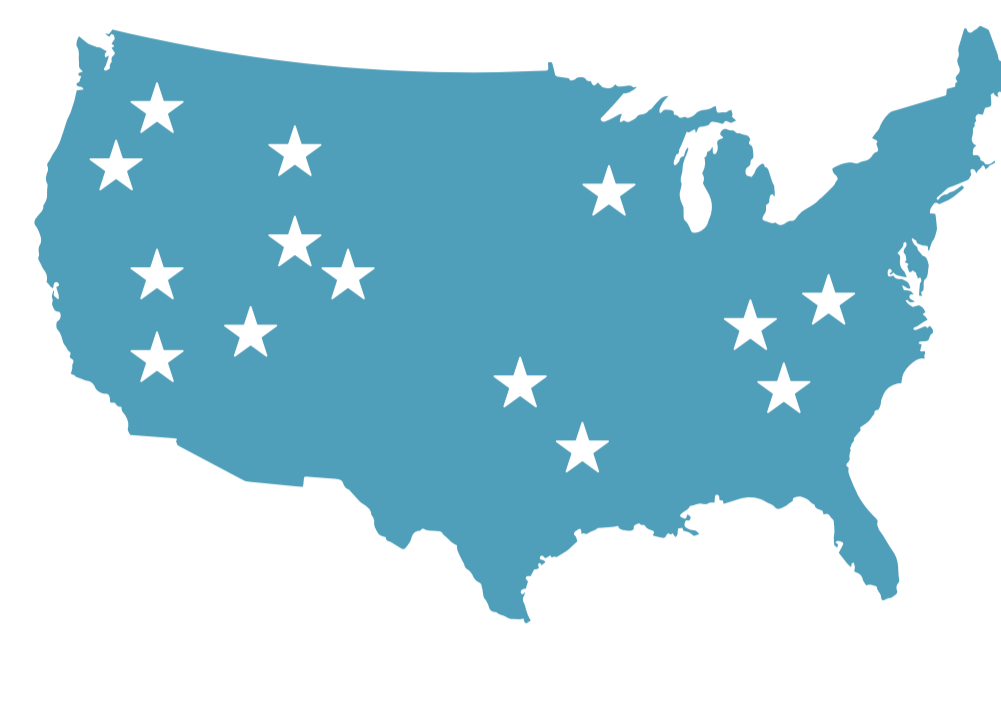
THE BOOM

INDUSTRY GROWTH

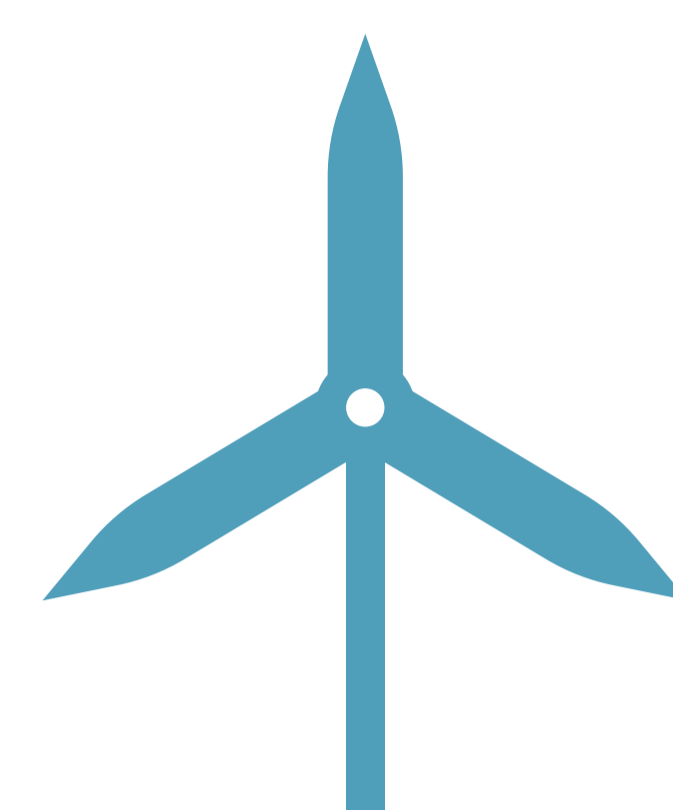
Mineral demand is expected to increase rapidly between now and 2040 as governments and industries move to electrify the economy.



Demand for certain minerals could double by 2030 and quadruple by 2040.¹

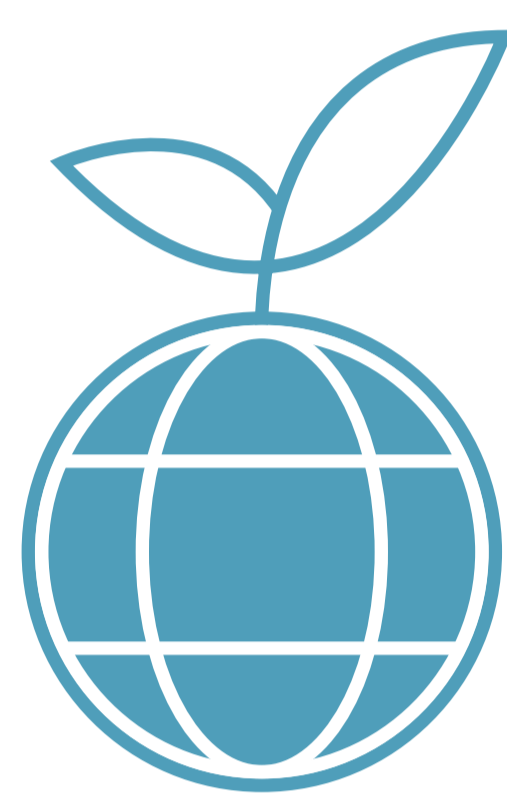


More than 380 new mines are needed to deliver on electric vehicle commitments.²

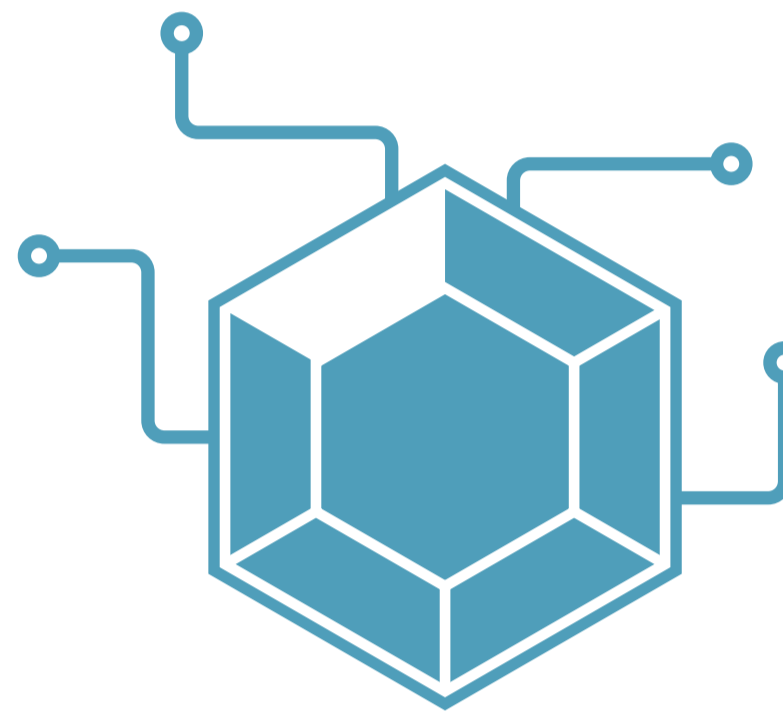


Mineral demand will help deliver a new generation of wind and solar power, battery storage, EVs and technology.

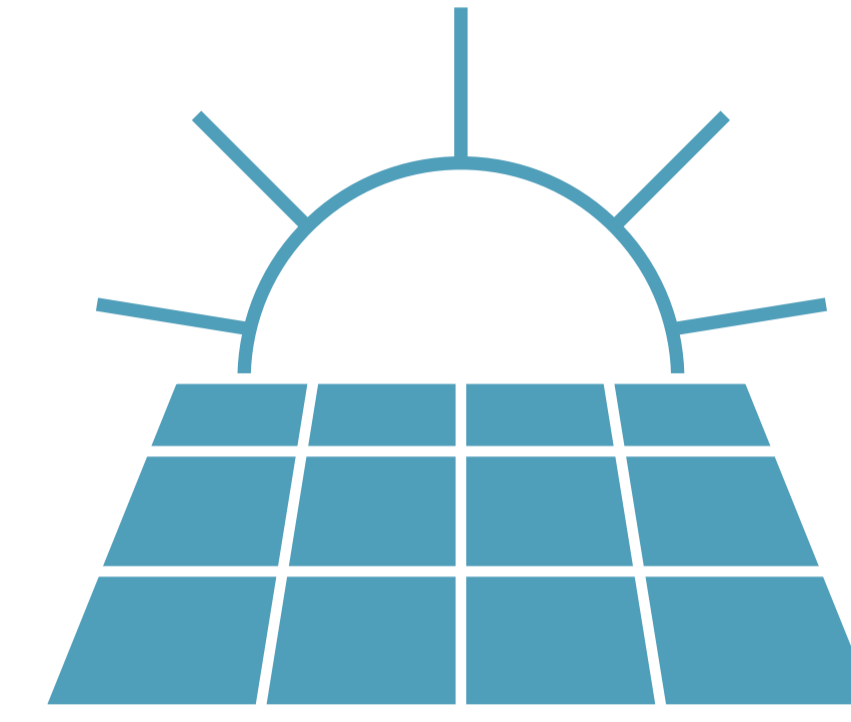
Minerals deliver positive impacts on our economy and the environment.



Miners respect the environment while delivering the materials needed to fuel the energy transition.



Modern mining uses cutting-edge technologies. They're more automated and digitized than ever.

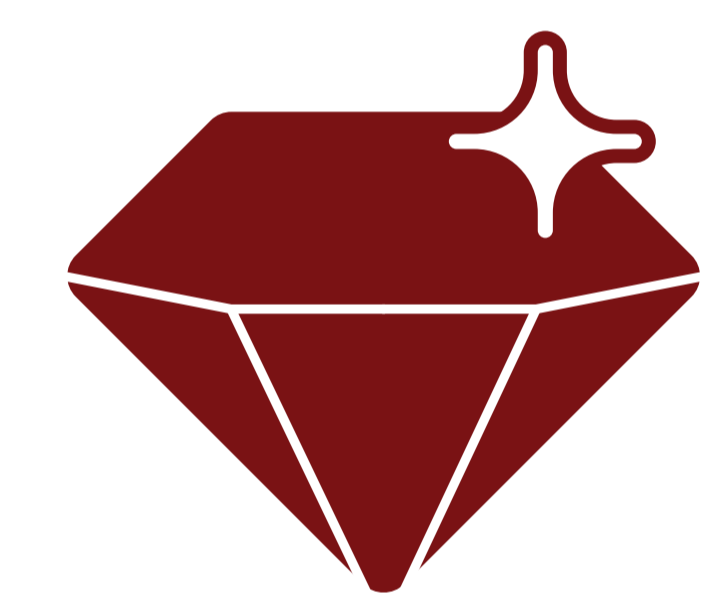


New miners will play an important role in helping advance more sustainable technologies.

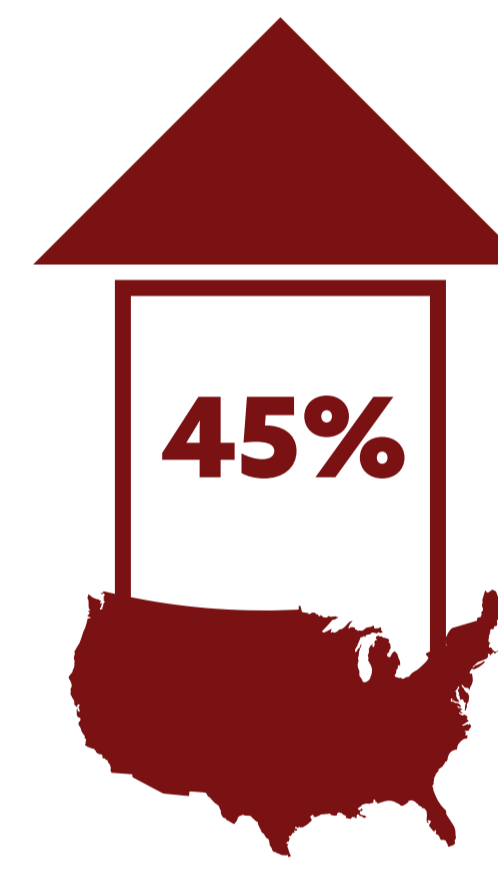
THE BENEFIT

OF BEING A MINER

Mining careers offer excellent salary and benefits packages, challenging and interesting work, vibrant opportunities for career advancement and the opportunity to work in rural or urban environments.

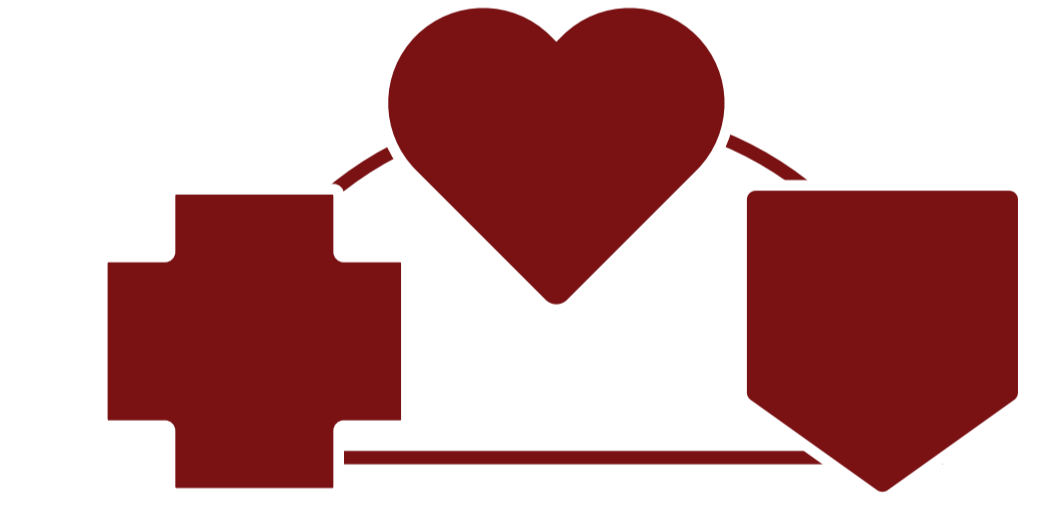


Metal and coal mining wages are well above the average for all other U.S. industries, providing the basis for a comfortable and secure lifestyle.

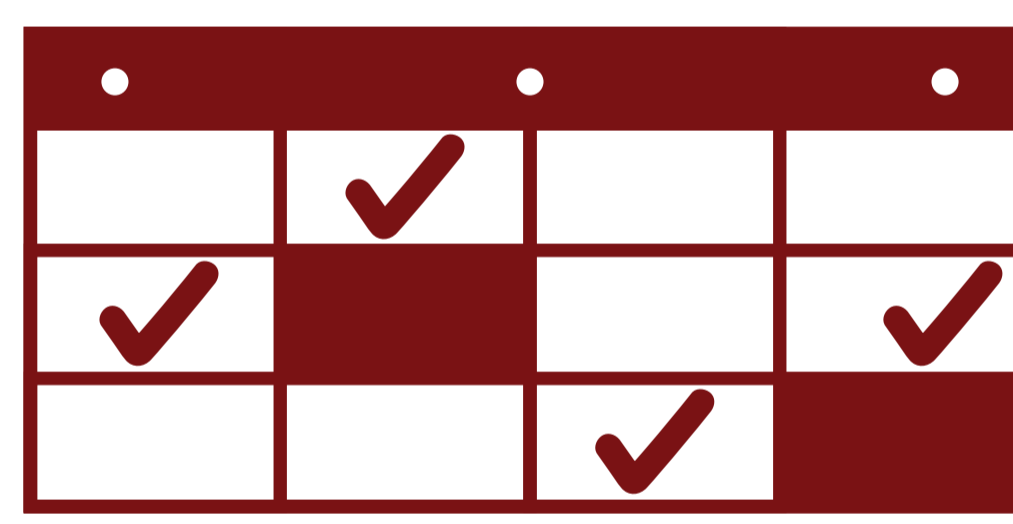


Average annual pay ranges from **\$102,800 [coal]** to **\$110,600 [metal]** and is more than **45 percent higher** than the average wage of \$70,000 for all U.S. workers.³

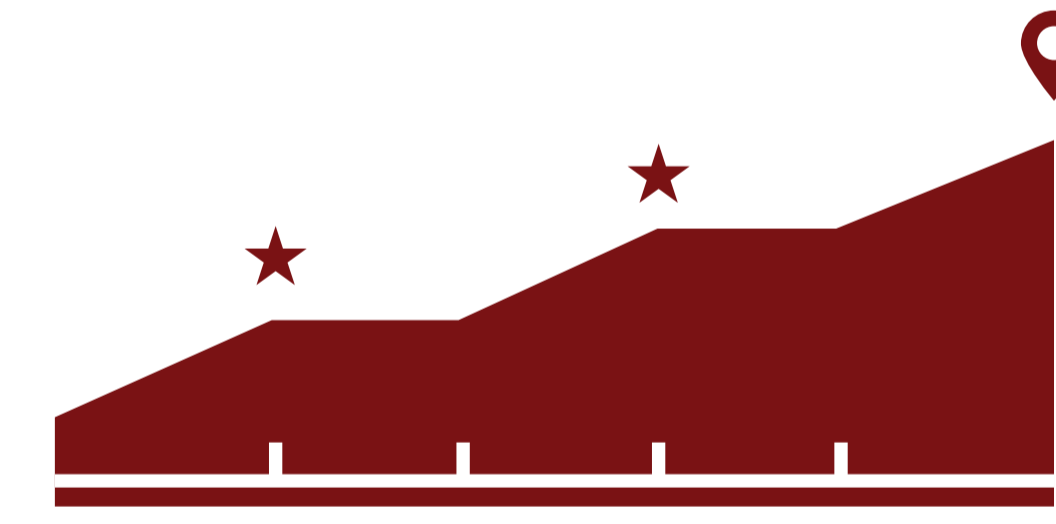
The industry offers generous benefits packages and job security as well as extensive education and training opportunities.



You'll find competitive **medical, dental and vision** plans as well as **retirement savings support, paid time off** and other employee assistance programs.



Many companies offer **flexible work schedules** and programs dedicated to career and education development with **tuition assistance**.

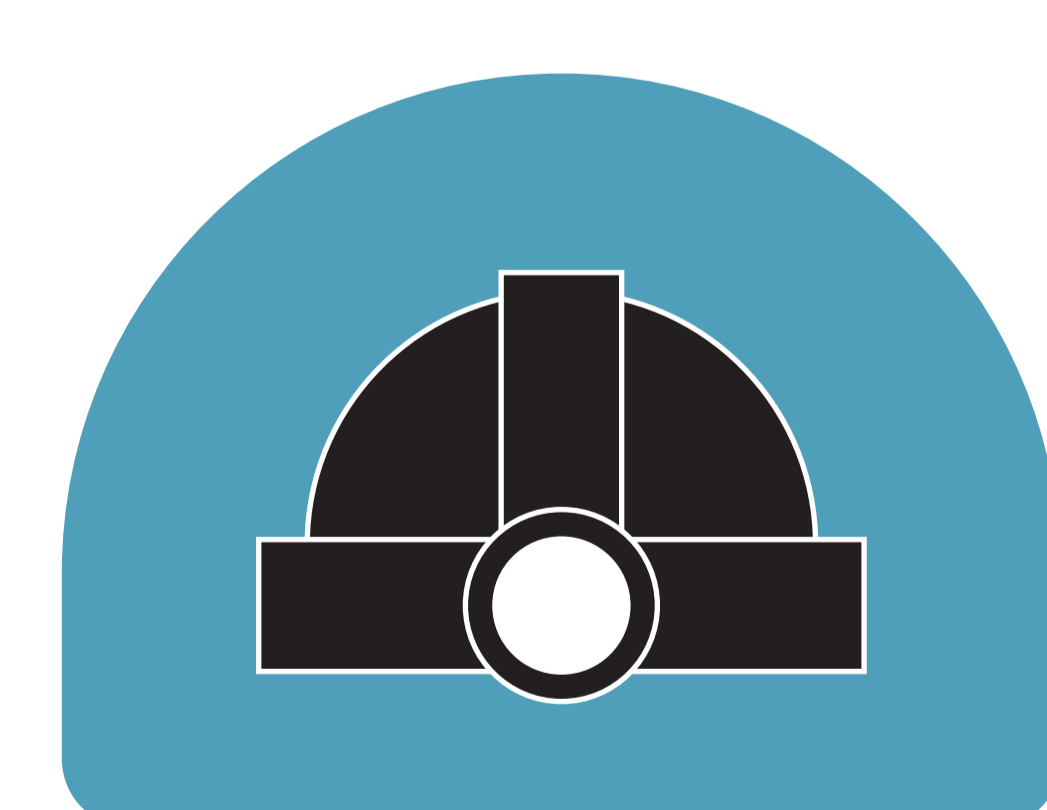


No matter what career you pursue, **the industry supports you throughout** to help you achieve what you want to do.

DIG DEEPER

CAREERS IN THE INDUSTRY

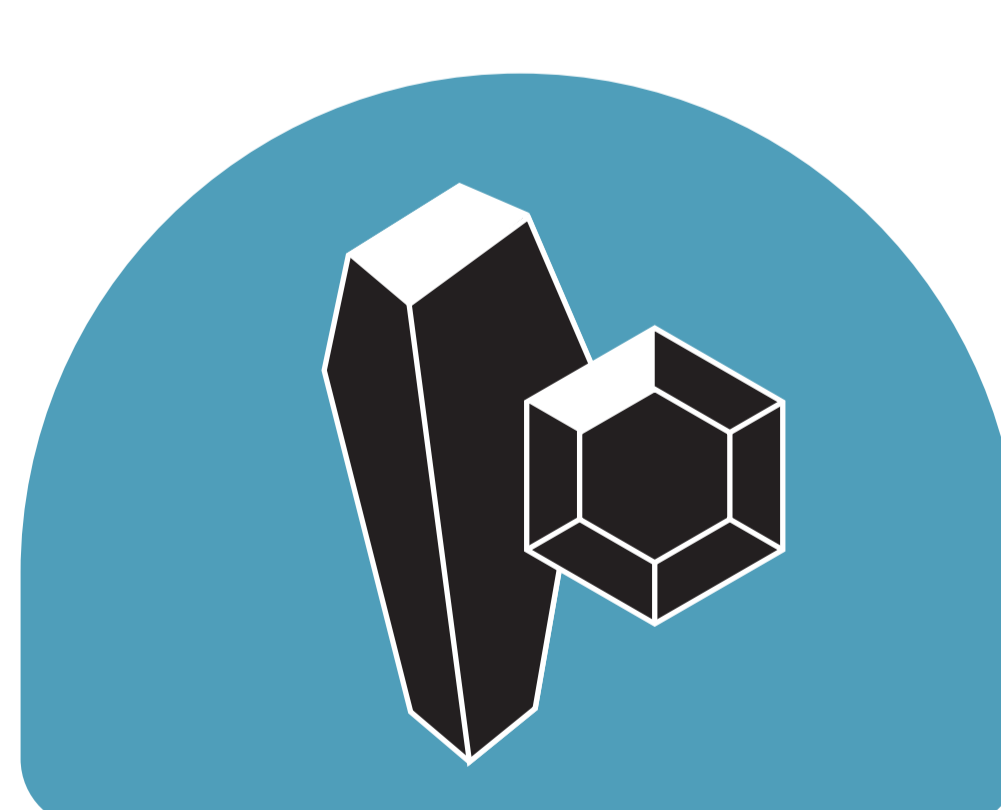
Ready to see yourself in a mining career? Below are just a few examples of positions the mining industry is looking to fill:



Engineering

Design mines to safely and efficiently remove minerals for use in manufacturing and utilities.

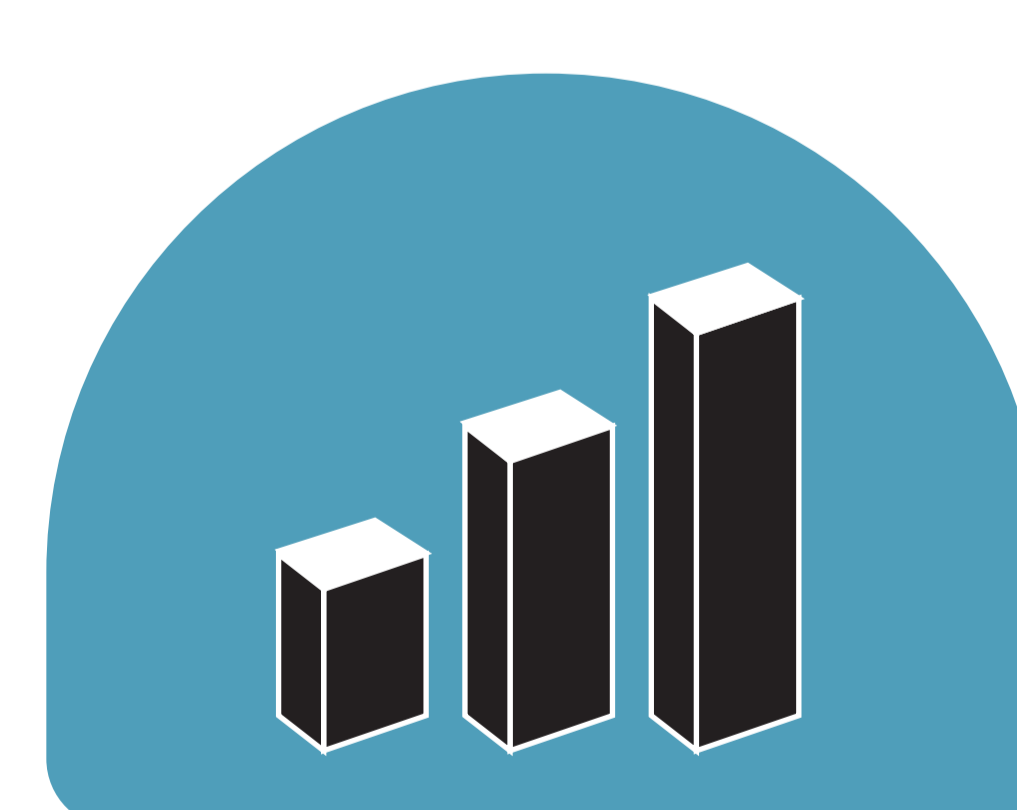
\$ Average pay: \$97,090/yr; \$46.68/hr



Geologist/Metallurgy

Study the Earth's materials, minerals and rocks. They often split their time between working in an office setting, in laboratories, and outdoors.

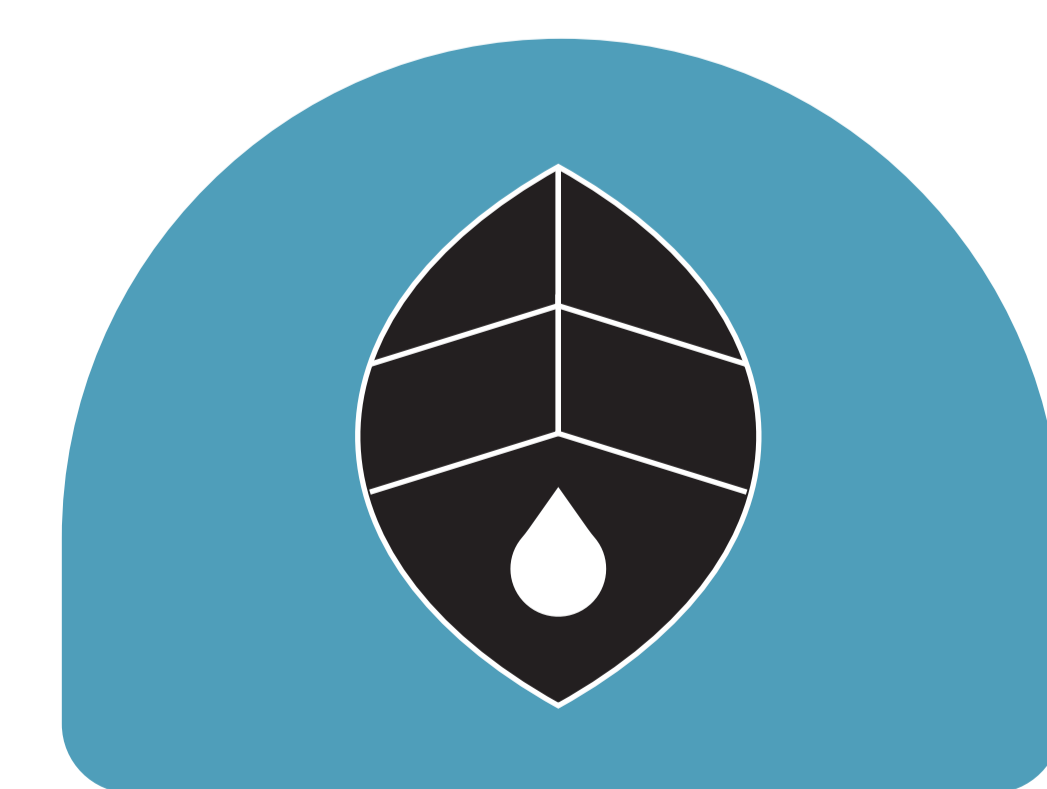
\$ Average pay: \$83,680/yr; \$40.23/hr



Data Analysts

Extract insights from data used to increase the efficiency of mineral extraction and improve productivity and safety.

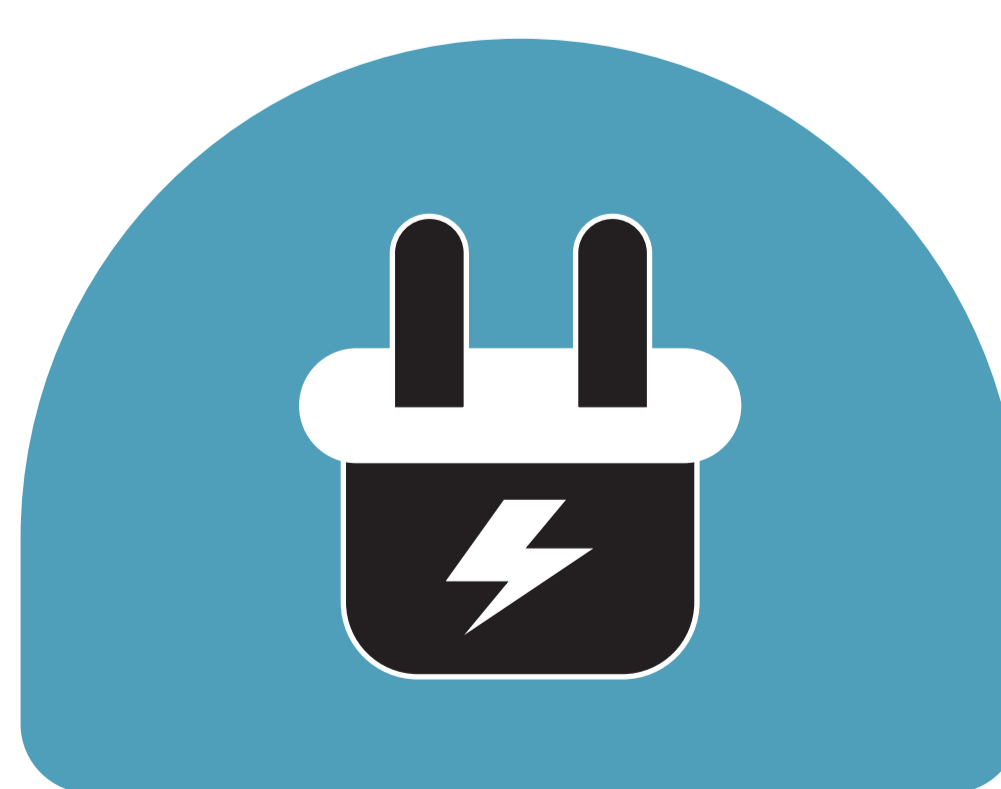
\$ Median pay: \$100,910 (\$48.52/hr)



Environmental Scientists and Specialists

Leverage your knowledge to help monitor, preserve and restore natural resources with cutting-edge, hands-on fieldwork.

\$ Median pay: \$76,530 (\$36.79/hr)



Electrician

Install, maintain and repair electrical wiring, equipment and fixtures keeping mines safe and operational.

\$ Average pay: \$75,000 (\$35.90/hr)



Surveyor

Make precise measurements to determine land boundaries and data relevant to the shape and contour of the land surface.

\$ Average pay: \$69,000 (\$33.16/hr)

Find out if a mining career is right for you! Watch [this video](#) to learn more about the vast opportunities in this critical industry.

¹ IEA

² Benchmark Minerals

³ U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, Census of Employment and Wages database