

APPLES-TO-APPLES ON FACULTY SALARIES



Compare average salaries for Illinois State's tenure-track faculty and those at our peer institutions—Carnegie Classification public R2 (High Research) universities in the U.S. Census Bureau Midwest region

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THE DATA

Sourced from a neutral third party, focuses only on average compensation paid to tenure-track faculty teaching in the same disciplines as those offered by ISU

- Adjusted for cost of living in Bloomington-Normal
- Only faculty salaries for Assistant, Associate and Full Professor titles
- Excludes faculty salaries for medical schools, law schools, and other highly-paid professional programs not offered at Illinois State

ILLINOIS STATE

CURRENT (2024-2025)

ASSISTANT

\$81,606

ASSOCIATE

\$93,783

FULL

\$107,894

REGIONAL PUBLIC

R2 - CURRENT

ASSISTANT

\$81,274

ASSOCIATE

\$96,071

FULL

\$115,022

ILLINOIS STATE

PROJECTED BY FISCAL YEAR 2027

(Under Most Recent University Proposal 3/24/25)

ASSISTANT

\$89,645

ASSOCIATE

\$106,892

FULL

\$123,243

ALL AT OR ABOVE PROJECTED FY 2027 MARKET AVERAGE FOR SIMILAR POSITIONS AT PEER INSTITUTIONS

ILLINOIS STATE

PROJECTED BY FISCAL YEAR 2028

(Under Most Recent university Proposal 3/24/25)

ASSISTANT

\$92,559

ASSOCIATE

\$111,310

FULL

\$128,710

ALL AT OR ABOVE PROJECTED FY 2028 MARKET AVERAGE FOR SIMILAR POSITIONS AT PEER INSTITUTIONS

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