

WORKFORCE

Auburn’s workforce consists of Auburn citizens and residents from around Lee County. A significant portion of the city’s workforce also commutes from the surrounding counties within a 60-minute drive. No unions exist in Auburn. Alabama is a “Right-to-Work” state.

AUBURN LABOR:

CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE	EMPLOYMENT	UNEMPLOYMENT	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE
30,904	30,268	636	2.1%

Alabama Department of Labor - December 2021

LEE COUNTY LABOR:

CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE	EMPLOYMENT	UNEMPLOYMENT	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE
76,566	74,823	1,743	2.3%

Alabama Department of Labor - December 2021

LABOR WITHIN 60-MINUTE DRIVE

CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE	EMPLOYMENT	UNEMPLOYMENT	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE
441,525	428,113	13,412	3.0%

Alabama Department of Labor - December 2021; Georgia Department of Labor - December 2021



AUBURN TRAINING CONNECTION (ATC): Assists the training needs of area industry. ATC offers programs including Career Technical Education at Auburn High School, Dual Enrollment, and Industrial Maintenance Technology at Southern Union State Community College. The non-profit has been recognized nationally and internationally with awards in workforce development. ATC is managed by the City’s Economic Development Workforce division. www.auburnalabama.org/workforce

AUBURN TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE CENTER (ATAC): Assists businesses, industry, not-for-profits and government agencies learn how to improve and enhance their competitiveness and efficiency through a variety of educational, training, consulting/outreach services. ATAC is Auburn University’s affiliate of the Alabama Technology Network (ATN), Economic Development Administration University Center and the College of Business. www.auburnworks.org



ALABAMA INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT TRAINING (AIDT): A division Alabama’s Department of Commerce, AIDT encourages economic development through job-specific training. Services are offered at no cost, to new and expanding businesses throughout the State. AIDT is the first state workforce training organization in the U.S. to earn international certification for its quality management system. www.aidt.edu

ALABAMA CAREER CENTERS: Serves job seekers in employment opportunities as well as employers in job posting and job training. www.joblink.alabama.gov/ada/r