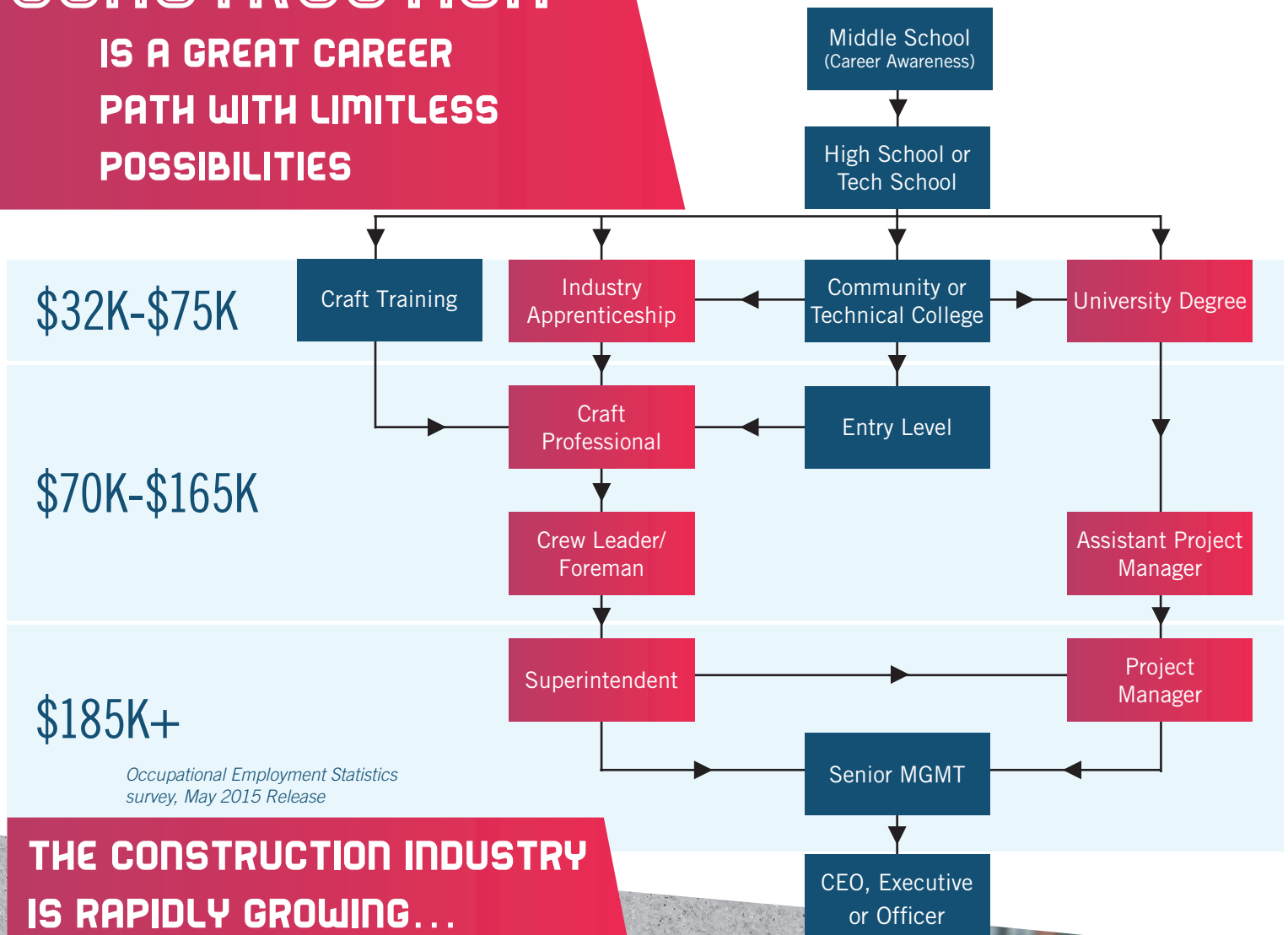


CONSTRUCTION

IS A GREAT CAREER
PATH WITH LIMITLESS
POSSIBILITIES



THE CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRY IS RAPIDLY GROWING...

Employment will
grow at an
annual rate of

2.6%

*ABC's 2017 Construction Economic
Forecast Report*

Over **60%**
of ABC members plan to
increase staffing levels over
the next 6 months.

ABC Construction Confidence Index

For the 4th consecutive
year, **skilled trade
workers** are reported
as the hardest positions for
companies to fill.

*Manpower Group 2016
Talent Shortage Survey*

5X

More than five time as fast as
the average of all industries.

U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis

Average wages for
construction professionals are

16%

higher than the typical worker

*U.S. Department of Labor's 2015
Occupational Outlook Handbook*

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**ABC IS DOING
ITS PART
TO TRAIN
THE FUTURE
WORKFORCE**

ABC members
annually invest
\$1.1 BILLION
in training their
workforce

ABC chapters and training
affiliates have over

800

apprenticeship, craft
training, safety and
management programs

**SCHOOLS
COMMITTED
TO CAREER
AND
TECHNICAL
EDUCATION
ARE HAVING
GREAT
SUCCESS**

High School CTE

Graduates earn
\$284
more per quarter on average and are
2% more employable long term.

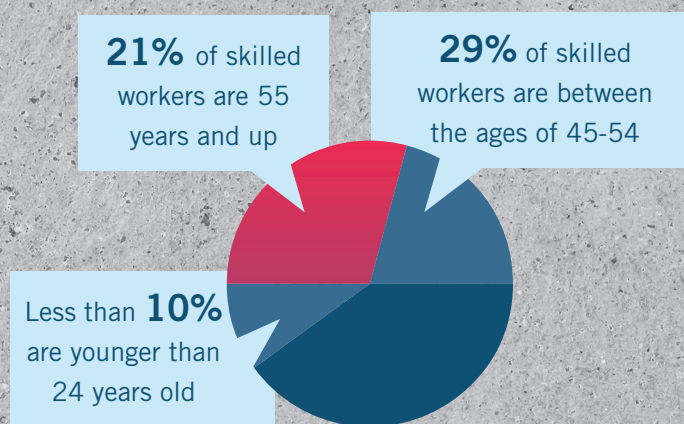
Post-Secondary CTE

Graduates earn
\$1,000
more per quarter on average and are
6.7% more employable long term.

*National Research Center for Career and Technical Education, conducting return on investment analyses
for secondary and postsecondary CTE: A framework, January 2011*



**AMERICA IS
STILL FACING A
HUGE SHORTAGE
OF SKILLED
CONSTRUCTION
CRAFT
PROFESSIONALS**



U.S. Department of Labor's Bureau of Labor Statistics



80% of ABC members report
that their company is facing a
shortage of skilled labor

FMI study of ABC member firms

1 MILLION

new skilled workers will be needed through 2020 to support
\$3.5 trillion in non-residential construction spending.

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