Foreign-Born Green Jobs Workers in the US

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"Green jobs" are those that either benefit the environment directly or make their establishment's production more environmentally friendly.

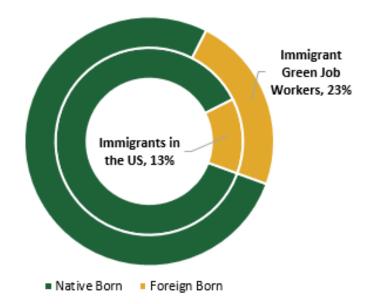


19 Green Occupations Divided into 4 Sectors

- Building and grounds cleaning and maintenance occupations (Cleaning)
- Installation, maintenance, transportation, and laborers (Installation)
- Supervision and business operations (Business)
- Environmental protection engineers and scientists (Science)

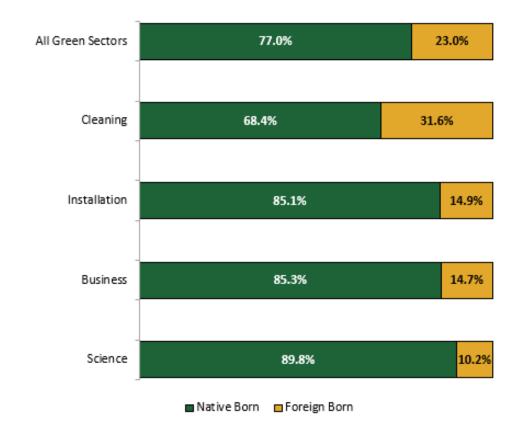


23% of Green Job Workers are Foreign Born





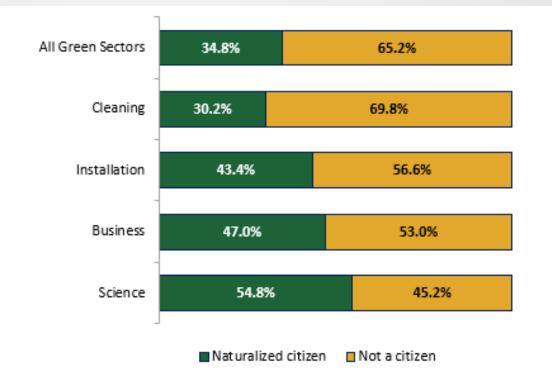
Variation by Sector



Source: IIR Analysis of the American Community Survey (ACS) 2013 – 2017 5-year sample data from Integrated Public Use Microdata Sample (IPUMS-USA) file.

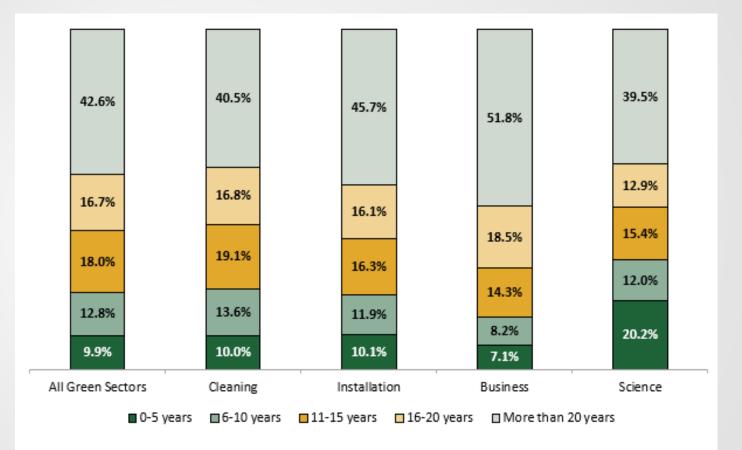
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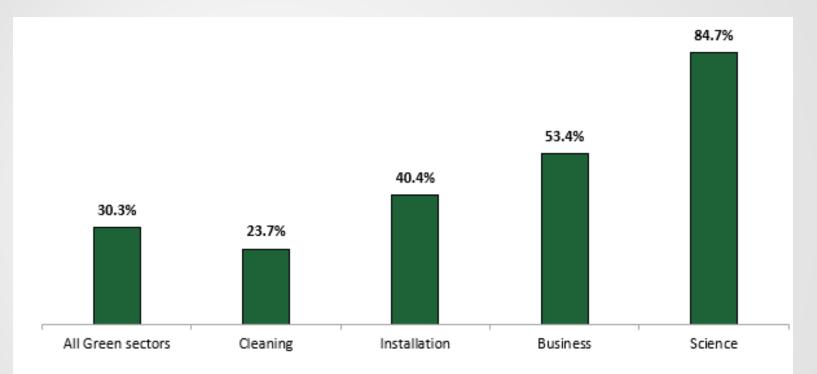


Years in the United States



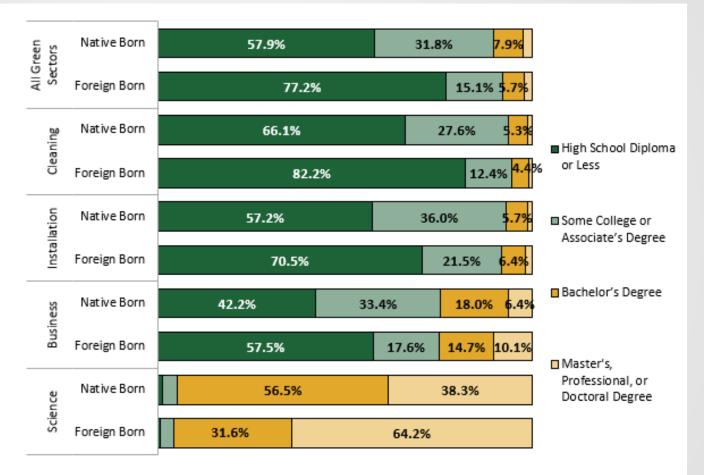


English Proficiency





Education



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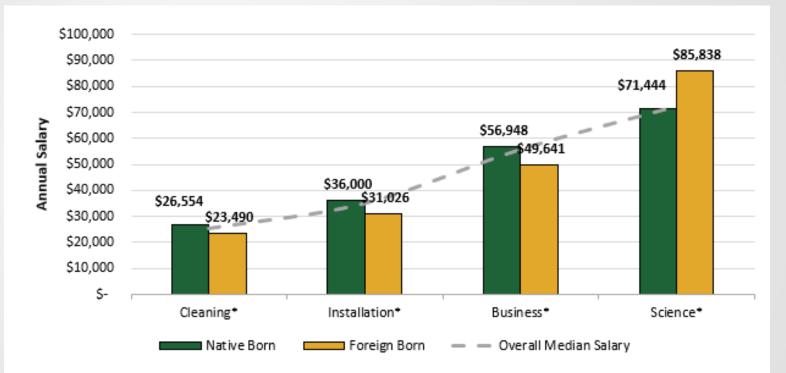
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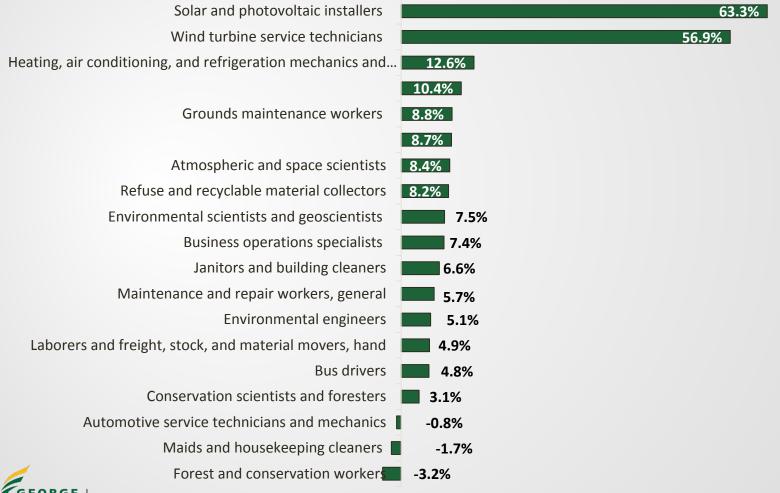
Personal Earned Median Income (Full Time, Age 16+)



*Differences are statistically significant at the 0.05 level



Projected Job Growth 2018-2028





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Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics

"The transition to a green economy is not only urgent for the sake of the planet, but is also compatible with improvements in decent work."

> Greening with Jobs, International Labour Organization







QUESTIONS?

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