

# JOB ROLE PLANNER

## LEVEL OF GROWTH FOR JOB ROLE



- > Projected Change +18.6%
- > From 13,600 in 2021 to 16,200 in 2026

## AVERAGE SALARY FOR OCCUPATION



**Entry level**  
(1-3 years' experience)



**Senior**  
(8+ years' experience)

## WHAT DO EMPLOYERS WANT?



### SPECIALISED SKILLS

- > Transport Planning
- > Scheduling
- > Town/Urban Planning
- > Stakeholder Management
- > Report Writing

### EMPLOYABILITY SKILLS

- > Communication Skills
- > Problem Solving
- > Time Management
- > Meeting Deadlines
- > Research

### DIGITAL SKILLS

- > Microsoft 365 Suite
- > Primavera
- > Enterprise Resource Planning (ERP)

## EMPLOYMENT PROSPECTS



### TOP SOUTH AUSTRALIAN INDUSTRIES WHO ADVERTISED FOR THIS JOB ROLE IN THE PREVIOUS 12 MONTHS:

- > Local Government Industries
- > Engineering Design and Engineering Consulting Services
- > State Government Administration
- > Water Supply

### TOP SOUTH AUSTRALIAN EMPLOYERS WHO ADVERTISED FOR THIS JOB ROLE IN THE PREVIOUS 12 MONTHS:

- > Kelsian Group
- > Government of South Australia
- > City of Playford
- > Town of Gawler
- > Mount Barker District Council

### LOOK FOR JOBS BEING ADVERTISED USING THESE JOB TITLES:

- > Town/Urban Planner
- > Transport Planner





## QUALIFICATION PATHWAYS

**Looking to progress your career?** TAFE SA can help you further your study with these courses (\*fees may apply)

- > Diploma of Local Government (Planning) (LGA50120)

Or undertake a range of short courses to supplement your existing knowledge or continue upskilling.

Further information available on the TAFE SA website.



## NETWORKING WITH INDUSTRY

Networking with industry provides you with opportunities to gain employment, advance your career and stay current with industry changes.

Conferences and workshops are an excellent way to introduce yourself to key industry contacts.

Upcoming events include:

- > **Tiny Homes Expo**  
1st – 3rd November 2024  
Adelaide Showgrounds
- > **2024 Urban Futures State Conference**  
14th March 2024  
Barossa Valley  
More information available [here](#).

Follow these organisations on social media:

- > Planning Institute of Australia
- > Urban Development Institute of Australia
- > Architecture AU

Consider these opportunities to find employment:

- > Send your resume to relevant businesses in your local area
- > Look for employment opportunities advertised on
  - the TAFE SA Jobs Board
  - online employment websites like Seek
  - the job board on your local Regional Development Australia (RDA) website



## CAREER SUPPORT

**Not sure where to start?** TAFE SA's Student Services can provide you with a range of career planning support including:

- > career planning
- > write a winning resume
- > how to respond to selection criteria
- > cover letters that stand out
- > preparing for job interviews

**To find out more, or to book an appointment, visit TAFE SA's Career Support Page: Career Support ([tafesa.edu.au](http://tafesa.edu.au))**

### Data sources:

Burning Glass Technologies. "Labor Insight™ Real-Time Labor Market Information Tool." <http://www.burning-glass.com>. 2021, data sourced 2023

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