A Ranking of America’s “Tech Hubs”

2021
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84% of working professionals say their city foster an environment of helping technology careers/companies to thrive.

*Blind received survey responses from a total of 1,085 users.
#1 City with a Thriving tech environment:

**Austin**

92% of professionals in Austin answered their city foster an environment of helping technology careers/companies to thrive.
#1 City for networking with like minded tech professionals:

New York City

76% of professionals in NYC answered they have met other like-minded professionals in their area to network with.
#1 City for tech career opportunities: SF Bay Area

Professionals in SF Bay Area rated the city 4.29 in terms of tech career opportunities.
SF Bay Area Highlights

Question: Does your city foster an environment of helping technology careers/companies to thrive?

85% said yes

Company Breakdown

- Facebook: 83%
- Apple: 80%
- Amazon: 83%
- Cisco: 88%
- Adobe: 83%
SF Bay Area Highlights

Have you met other like-minded professionals in your area to network with? 70% said yes

Company Breakdown

- Facebook: 78%
- Apple: 57%
- Amazon: 75%
- Cisco: 75%
- Google: 90%

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SF Bay Area Highlights

Question: On a scale of 1-5 how would you rate your city in terms of tech career opportunities?
Seattle
Seattle Highlights

Question: Does your city foster an environment of helping technology careers/companies to thrive?

85% said yes

Company Breakdown

- Facebook: 78%
- Microsoft: 83%
- Oracle: 80%
- Amazon: 87%
- Expedia Group: 100%
Seattle Highlights

Have you met other like-minded professionals in your area to network with?

72% said yes

Company Breakdown

- Facebook: 67%
- Microsoft: 71%
- Oracle: 20%
- Amazon: 79%
- Expedia Group: 100%
Seattle Highlights

Question: On a scale of 1-5 how would you rate your city in terms of tech career opportunities?
New York City
New York City Highlights

Question: Does your city foster an environment of helping technology careers/companies to thrive?

83% said yes

Company Breakdown

- Facebook: 80%
- Bloomberg: 88%
- JP Morgan Chase & co: 80%
- Amazon: 88%
- Google: 88%
New York City Highlights

Have you met other like-minded professionals in your area to network with?

76% said yes

Company Breakdown

- Facebook: 80%
- Bloomberg: 100%
- JP Morgan Chase & co: 67%
- Amazon: 50%
- Google: 67%
New York City Highlights

Question: On a scale of 1-5 how would you rate your city in terms of tech career opportunities?
Austin
Austin Highlights

Question: Does your city foster an environment of helping technology careers/ companies to thrive?

92% said yes

Company Breakdown

- Facebook: 100%
- Cisco: 67%
- Indeed.com: 100%
- Amazon: 100%
- Google: 75%
Austin Highlights

Have you met other like-minded professionals in your area to network with?

73% said yes

Company Breakdown

- Facebook: 75%
- Cisco: 67%
- Indeed.com: 100%
- Amazon: 67%
- Google: 67%
Austin Highlights

Question: On a scale of 1-5 how would you rate your city in terms of tech career opportunities?

- 1: 3%
- 2: 0%
- 3: 10%
- 4: 43%
- 5: 44%
Chicago
Chicago Highlights

Question: Does your city foster an environment of helping technology careers/companies to thrive?

63% said yes

Company Breakdown

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Chicago Highlights

Have you met other like-minded professionals in your area to network with?

60% said yes

Company Breakdown

- Uber: 60%
- ActiveCampaign: 67%
- Target: 50%
- Amazon: 67%

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Chicago Highlights

Question: On a scale of 1-5 how would you rate your city in terms of tech career opportunities?
About Blind:

What is Blind?
Blind is a trusted community where 4.1MM+ verified professionals connect to discuss what matters most. Professionals anonymously communicate in private community channels and openly users across industries. The community shares advice, provides honest perspectives, discuss company culture, and discover relevant career information.

What is Blind’s Mission?
Blind is a platform for change. Our mission towards transparency breaks down professional barriers, empowering informed decisions, and inspiring productive change in the workplace.

With an unprecedented year, users have been coming to Blind to continuously talk freely about the effects across the economy, their work, and other aspects of their lives.

For the past year, the community on Blind has been engaging with its users to share questions from their professional and personal lives. Through the freedom that only anonymity can provide, the honest conversations revealed on Blind are unlike any other social platform. As such, we surveyed our users as new issues unfolded over the past year. Some recent topics are how professionals are willing to earn less money to stay home, pet-friendly offices re-openings, and if they would quit if they had to go back into the office.

For more info, please feel free to email press@teamblind.com
Thank you!