

# The 2020 STEMdex

RCLCO, partnering with CapRidge Partners, has produced the **4th annual STEM Job Growth Index (“STEMdex”)**, once again highlighting a number of metro areas commonly recognized as STEM (aka Science, Technology, Engineering, Mathematics) strongholds, as well as three new entrants showing strong future potential. The STEMdex tracks STEM job growth momentum, not just to identify where these jobs are today, but where they might be going in the future based on changing local economies, migration of young households, and the presence of other factors that have historically been correlated with STEM job growth.

RANK	METROPOLITAN AREA
1	<b>Charlotte, NC</b>
2	<b>Austin, TX</b>
3	<b>Denver, CO</b>
4	<b>Seattle, WA</b>
5	<b>Raleigh, NC</b>
6	<b>Atlanta, GA</b>
7	<b>Orlando, FL</b>
8	<b>San Francisco, CA</b>
9	<b>Portland, OR</b>
10	<b>Phoenix, AZ</b>
11	<b>Detroit, MI</b>
12	<b>Nashville, TN</b>
13	<b>San Jose, CA</b>
14	<b>Las Vegas, NV</b>
15	<b>Dallas, TX</b>
16	<b>Indianapolis, IN</b>
17	<b>Salt Lake City, UT</b>
18	<b>Tampa, FL</b>
19	<b>New York, NY</b>
20	<b>San Antonio, TX</b>