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Communication Faculty Salaries

The salary data below (on the right) was taken from NCA's [2011 Department Chairs Survey](#), as well as general faculty information from the [Bureau of Labor Statistics](#) (BLS) and [The Chronicle of Higher Education](#) reporting of the [Association of American University Professors](#) (AAUP) salary data (on the left). This information provides a general overview of faculty salaries for communication faculty, as well as national averages.

2012 AAUP Faculty Salary Data
(N=1,251)

Position	Average Salary
All Ranks	\$82,556
Instructors	\$47,847
Assistant Professors	\$66,564
Associate Professors	\$78,565
Full Professors	\$113,176

2011 BLS Occupational Employment and Wages, May 2011 - Communications Teachers, Postsecondary

Type of Institution	Average Salary
Colleges, Universities, and Professional Schools	\$65,240
Junior Colleges	\$72,810
Technical and Trade Schools	\$57,320

2011 NCA Chairs Survey
(N=271)

