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Hot Jobs - Construction

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Three market segments

Residential – building, modifying, and selling buildings that are primarily housing units. (single family homes, multi-family homes, manufactured homes)

Commercial - building and selling or leasing medical centers and hospitals, retail shopping centers, and standard space for offices or other commerce activities.

Industrial – building and selling or using power plants, refineries and factories



Understanding the construction industry

Why Construction?

Market Demand

- 78% of construction companies in Texas are reporting workforce shortage

Rewarding

- Part of Houston's history - 60% of commercial and industrial construction in the US between now and 2025 will be in Houston metro area

Career

- Room to grow from laborer to CEO

Compensation

- Earn and learn programs, competitive wage scales, earn earlier and longer



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Top Jobs - Craft

Pipelayers

Electricians

Sheet Metal
Workers

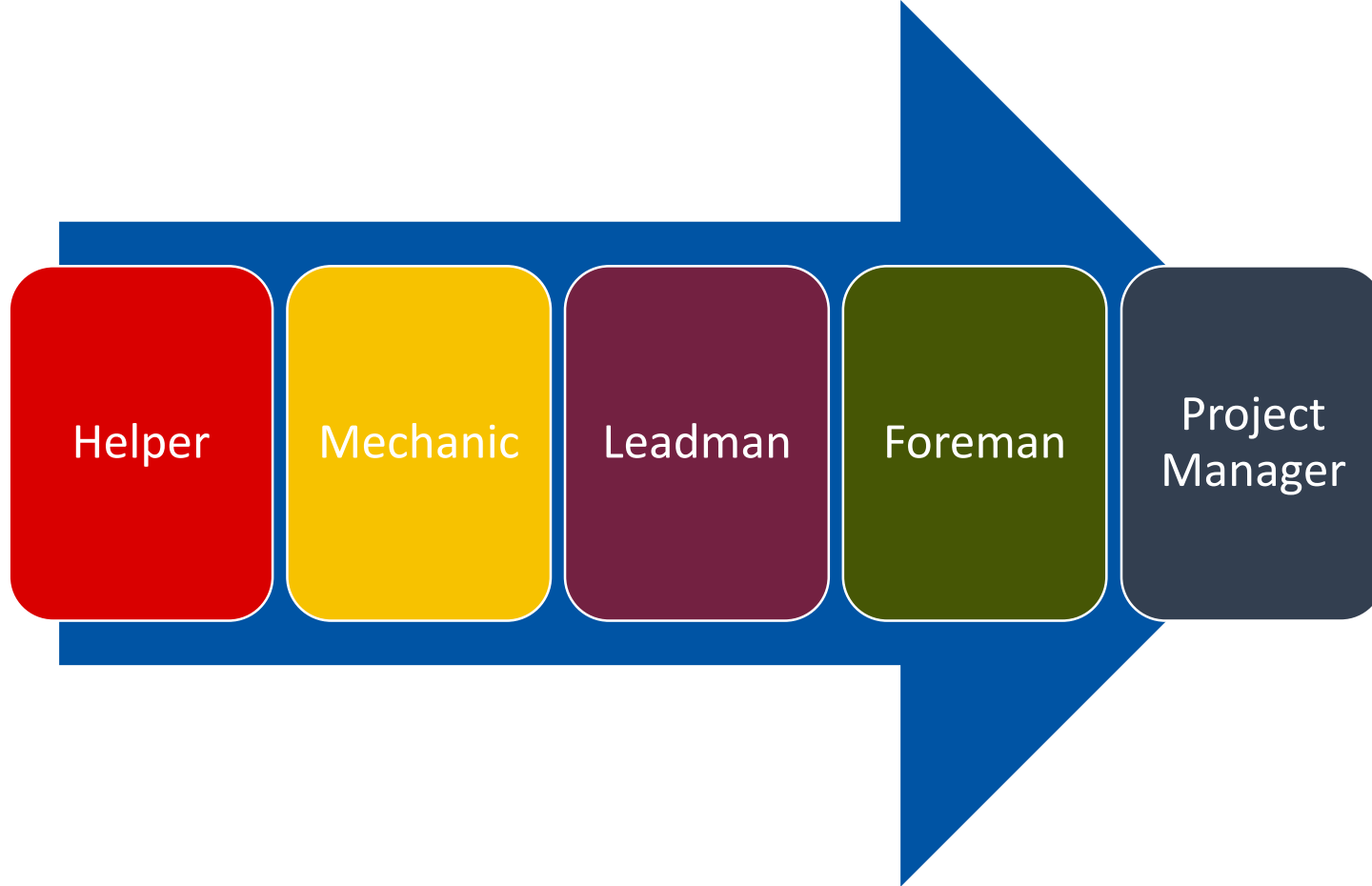
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Plumbers



CTE

Career & Technical Education



Building your Future –
Career Paths in Construction

Salaries

- Pipefitter \$27,040 - \$95,680
- Plumber \$33,280 - \$95,680
- Electrician \$37,440 - \$122,720
- Mason \$29,120 - \$74,880
- Sheet Metal Worker \$35,360 - \$ 74,880
- Tower Crane Operator \$57,533 - \$114,400
- Welder: Pipe \$41,600 - \$108,160
- Program Manager \$34,000 - \$226,000



Getting Involved in Construction Trades



- CTE programs
- Apprenticeships
 - Union or Merit shop
- Laborer pools
 - Staffing Agencies
- Technical Schools
- Junior Colleges