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Scottsdale

CITY OF SCOTTSDALE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

Did you know Scottsdale, Arizona has:

- **Resorts, Recreation & Nightlife:** 125+ area golf courses and >600 restaurants
- **More than 300 days of sunshine per year**
- **30,000 contiguous acres of McDowell Sonoran Preserve** with almost 130 miles of trails
- **Thriving arts scene - No. 17 U.S. Arts Destination**, according to American Style Magazine

6 Reasons to Live and Work in Scottsdale:

1. **GREAT FOR FAMILIES:** Ranked #1 place to raise children and in Top 100 Best Communities for Young People - America's Promise Alliance, MyLife.com
2. **SAFE:** Rated the # 6 safest city in America - Movoto.com 2014
3. **ACTIVE LIFESTYLE:** Has a Gold Ranking as one of Top Ten Best Burbs for Biking with 75% of homes within ½ mile of a bike path or lane - Sunset Magazine 2012
4. **AMAZING FOOD:** The Second Best U.S. City for Foodies - Livability.com, 2014
5. **QUALITY EDUCATION:** Home to some of Arizona's top-performing public and private schools
6. **STRONG WAGES + AFFORDABILITY = HIGH QUALITY OF LIFE:** Second highest mean wage (\$58,800) among 6 comparable national communities



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Scottsdale is one of the top corporate and technology employment centers in the southwest. Having recently been identified as one of the Top 10 cities in the world with the potential to be the **NEXT SILICON VALLEY** it draws on talent from around the globe.

Did you know:

- 21% of Arizona corporate headquarters are in Scottsdale
- There are over 66,000 high tech jobs in the region in 3,770 companies - 68% above the national employment average
- 98% of Scottsdale's software companies are growing with 6,000 current open high tech positions
- 14% software employment growth in Arizona is forecast over the next 5 years, the highest in the Mountain West region
- Innovative companies love Scottsdale for expansion opportunities due to its creative atmosphere:
Zenefits, Yelp, ZocDoc, Yodle, Outbound Engine, Booker, McKesson and Weebly have chosen Scottsdale

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