



Financial Services & Insurance

The Austin Region is defined by a thriving local economy, availability of an educated talent base, a robust telecom infrastructure, favorable tax and regulatory climate, and a high quality of life. Austin is one of the strongest communities on every level, from small businesses to corporate giants.



2.2 M
regional population



1.2 M
in the workforce



32.7%
population growth (2008-2018)



3.9%
average annual job growth
(2013-2018)



Economic Success

Recent economic success stories such as Dimensional Fund Advisors, Charles Schwab, and PIMCO have enhanced and strengthened Austin's regional financial services industry cluster.



Talent

- A fifth of Austin's workforce is employed in management, business and financial occupations.
- Four-year universities in the metro area generate nearly 5,200 business graduates annually.
- The University of Texas at Austin McCombs School of Business is a premier business school at a world-class public research university.



174,000
College Students



27
Higher Education
Institutions



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Major Employers

Charles Schwab
Deloitte
Dimensional Fund Advisors
Farmers Insurance Group
Netspend
Progressive Insurance Co.
Q2
State Farm Insurance Co.
Visa

Texas: Best State for Business

Chief Executive

Austin: Top 10 Global Technology Innovation Hubs

KPMG

Austin: No. 3 Best-Performing City

Milken Institute

Austin: Best Place in America for Starting a Business

Inc.

The Austin region has lower business and living costs than most major U.S. metropolitan areas.

0% personal income tax

2% below national cost of living

34.7 median age

"Austin will play an important part in PIMCO's continued growth and we are excited to become part of this vibrant, innovative community."

Emmanuel Roman
CEO & Managing Director, PIMCO

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