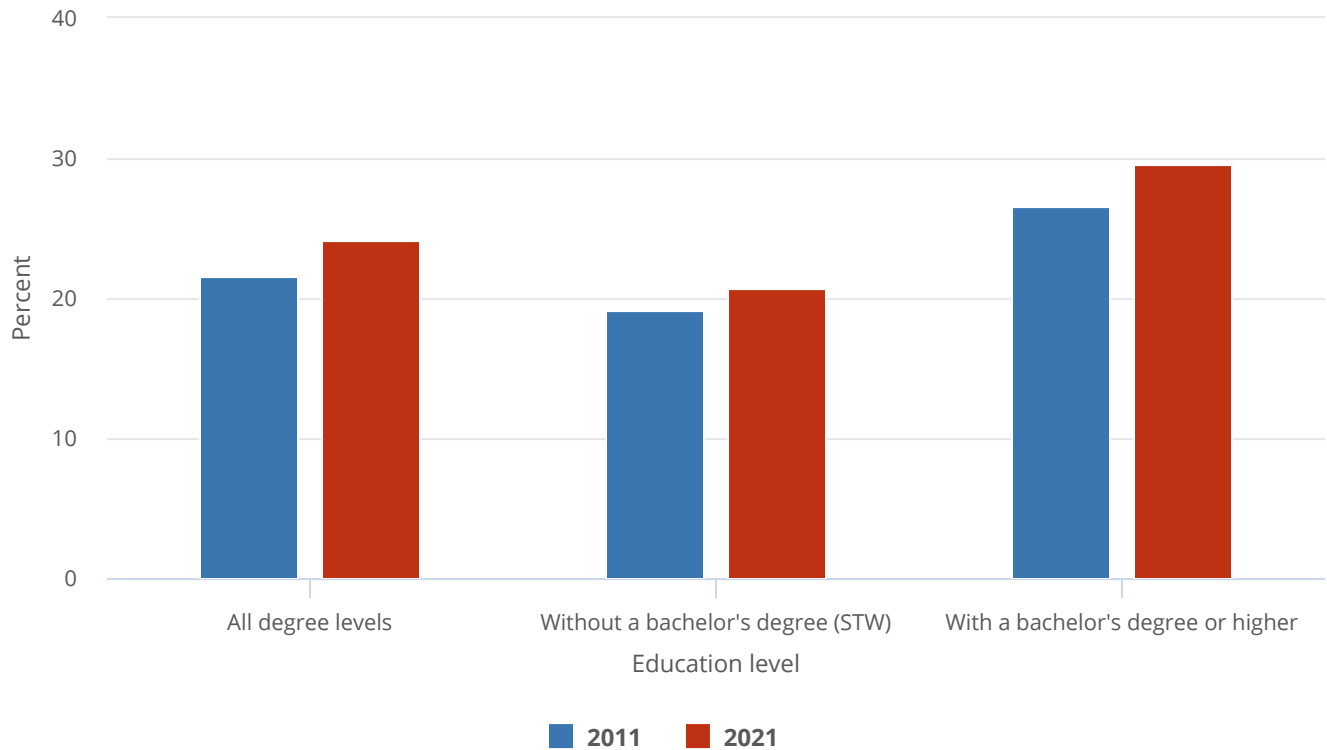


**Figure LBR-2****Change in the percentage of STEM workers, by educational attainment: 2011 and 2021**

STEM = science, technology, engineering, and mathematics; STW = skilled technical workforce.

**Note(s):**

Data include the employed, civilian, non-institutionalized population ages 16–75 and exclude those currently enrolled in primary or secondary school. Coding of occupations into STEM categories reflects changes to American Community Survey (ACS) occupation codes following the 2018 update to the Standard Occupational Classification (SOC) implemented by the Bureau of Labor Statistics. Data from 2011 use occupations from the 2010 occupation list, while data from 2021 use occupations from the 2018 occupation list.

**Source(s):**

Census Bureau, American Community Survey (ACS), 1-Year Public-Use File, 2021, data as of 25 October 2022.

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