

# SMITH & WILKINSON

## EXECUTIVE SEARCH SOLUTIONS

### 2016 COMMERCIAL LENDER SALARY SURVEY RESULTS

Smith & Wilkinson is excited to present the results from our eighth annual Commercial Lender salary survey. The results below are collected from all survey respondents; any responses specific to Individual Contributors or Team Leaders will be labeled as such.



**889**

Total Respondents



**516**

Individual Contributors



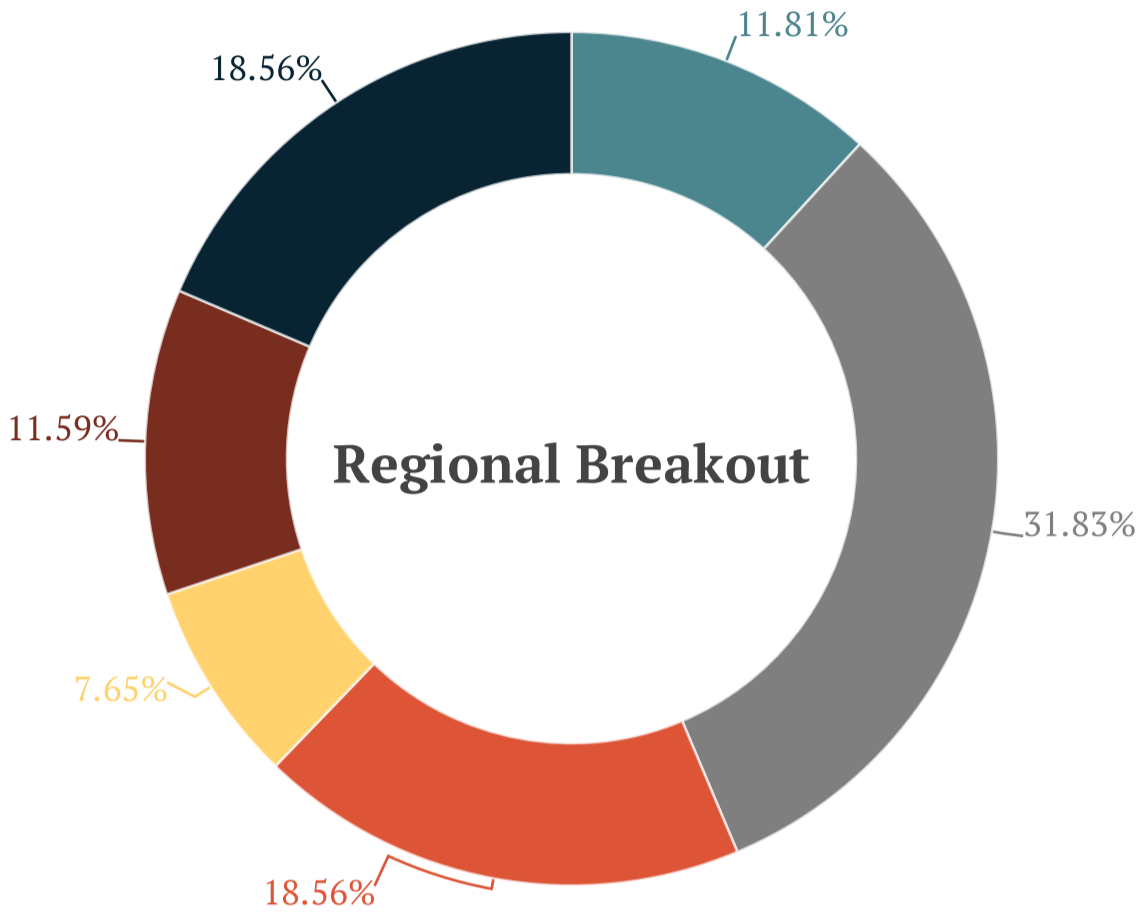
**373**

Team Leaders

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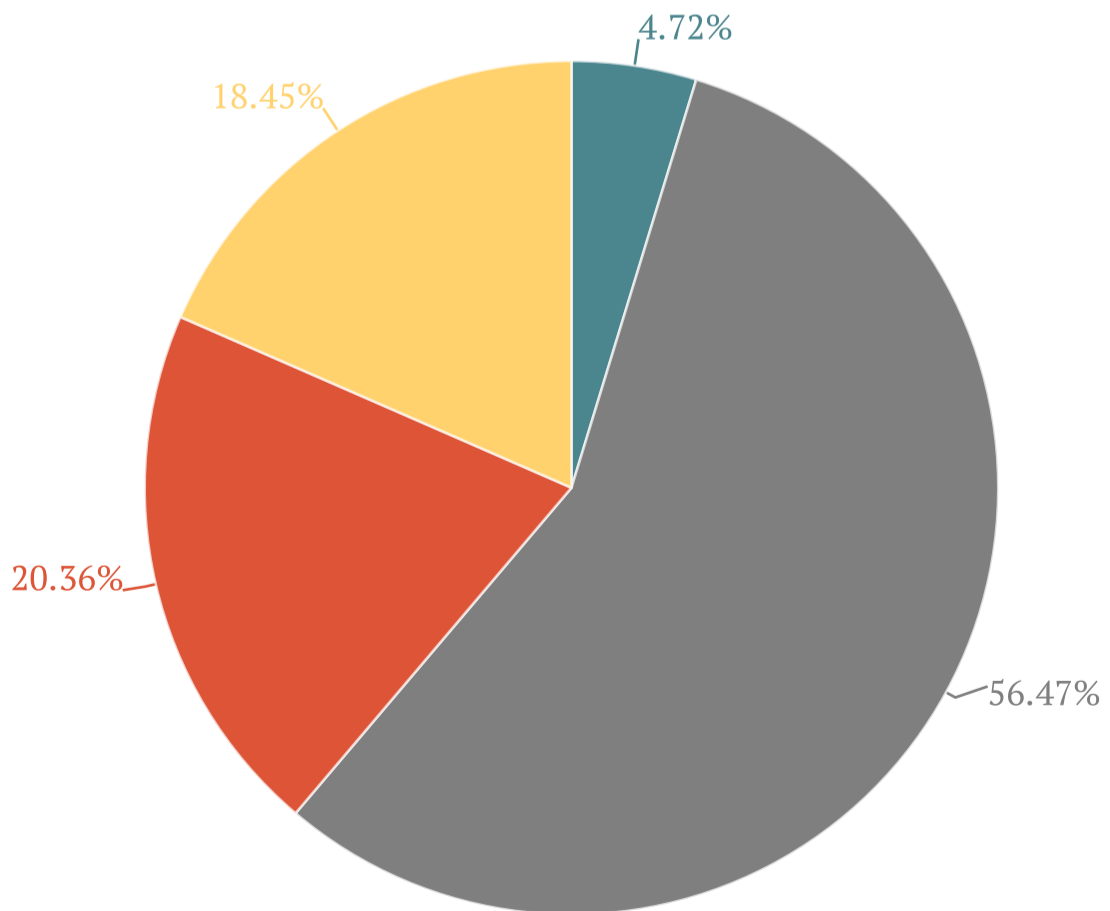
# Demographics

## Regional Breakout



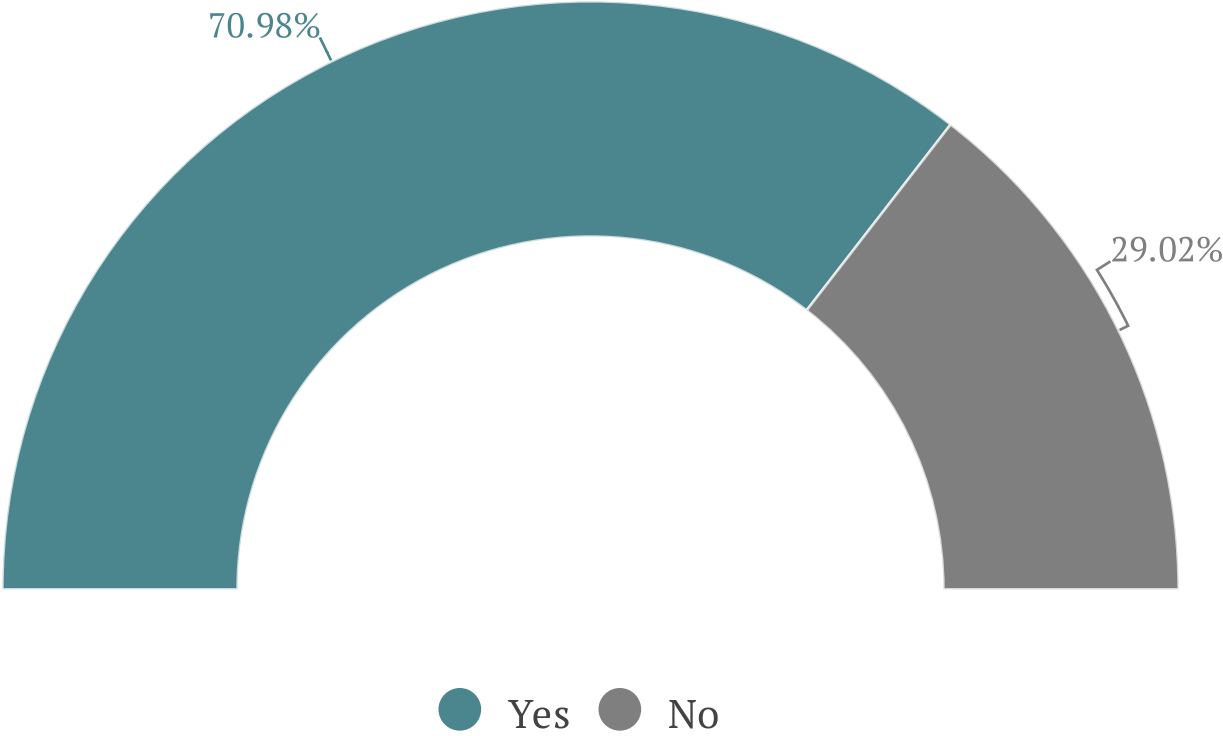
- Northern New England (ME, NH, VT)
- Southern New England (MA, CT, RI)
- North Atlantic (NY, NJ, PA)
- Mid Atlantic (DE, DC, MD, VA)
- Southeast
- Midwest

## Type of Financial Institution Worked For



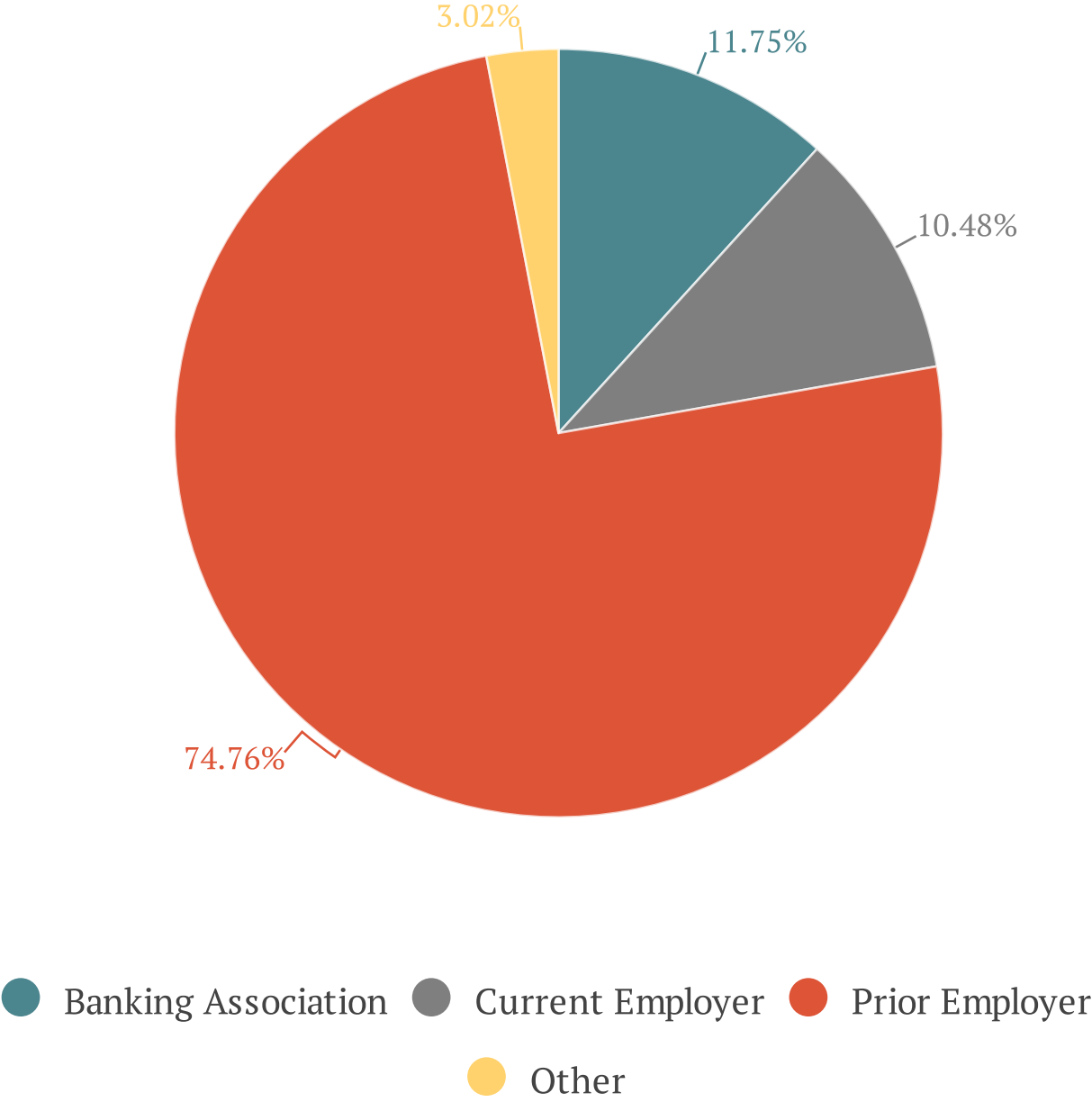
- Credit Union
- Publicly Traded
- Privately Owned/Closely Held
- Mutual/Cooperative

# Have you been formally credit trained?



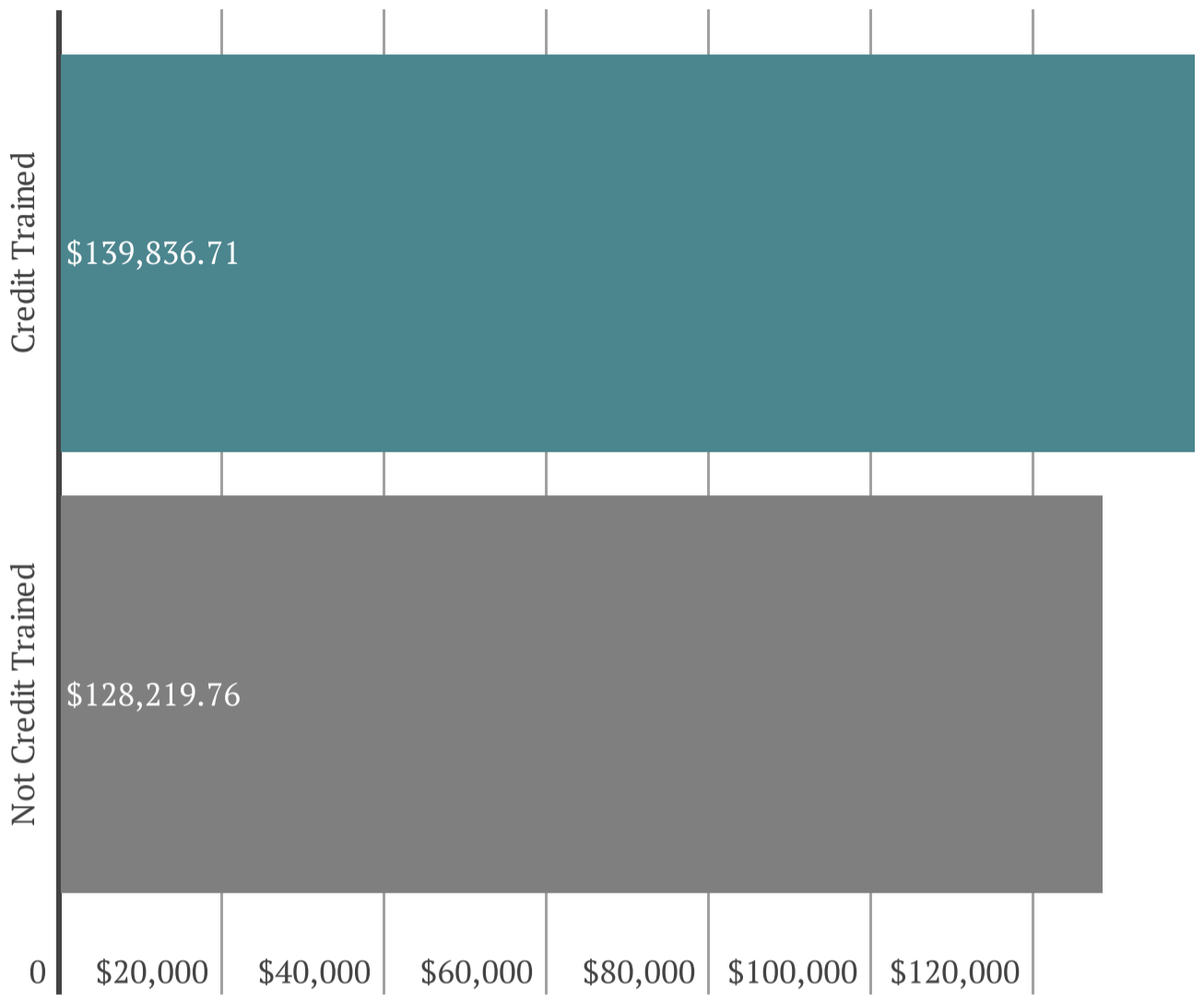
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# Where were you credit trained?

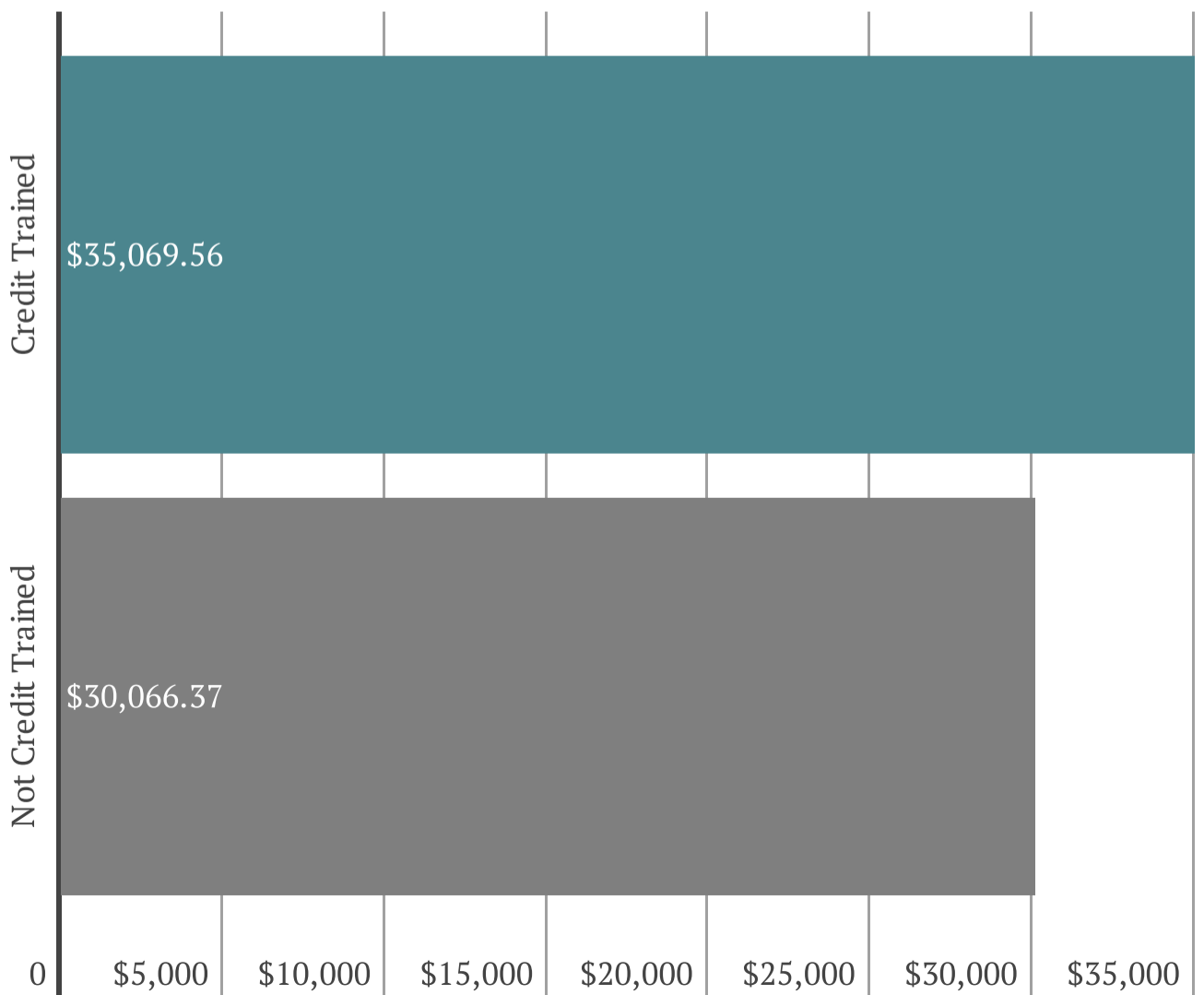


# Average Salary & Bonus based on Formal Credit Training

## Salary

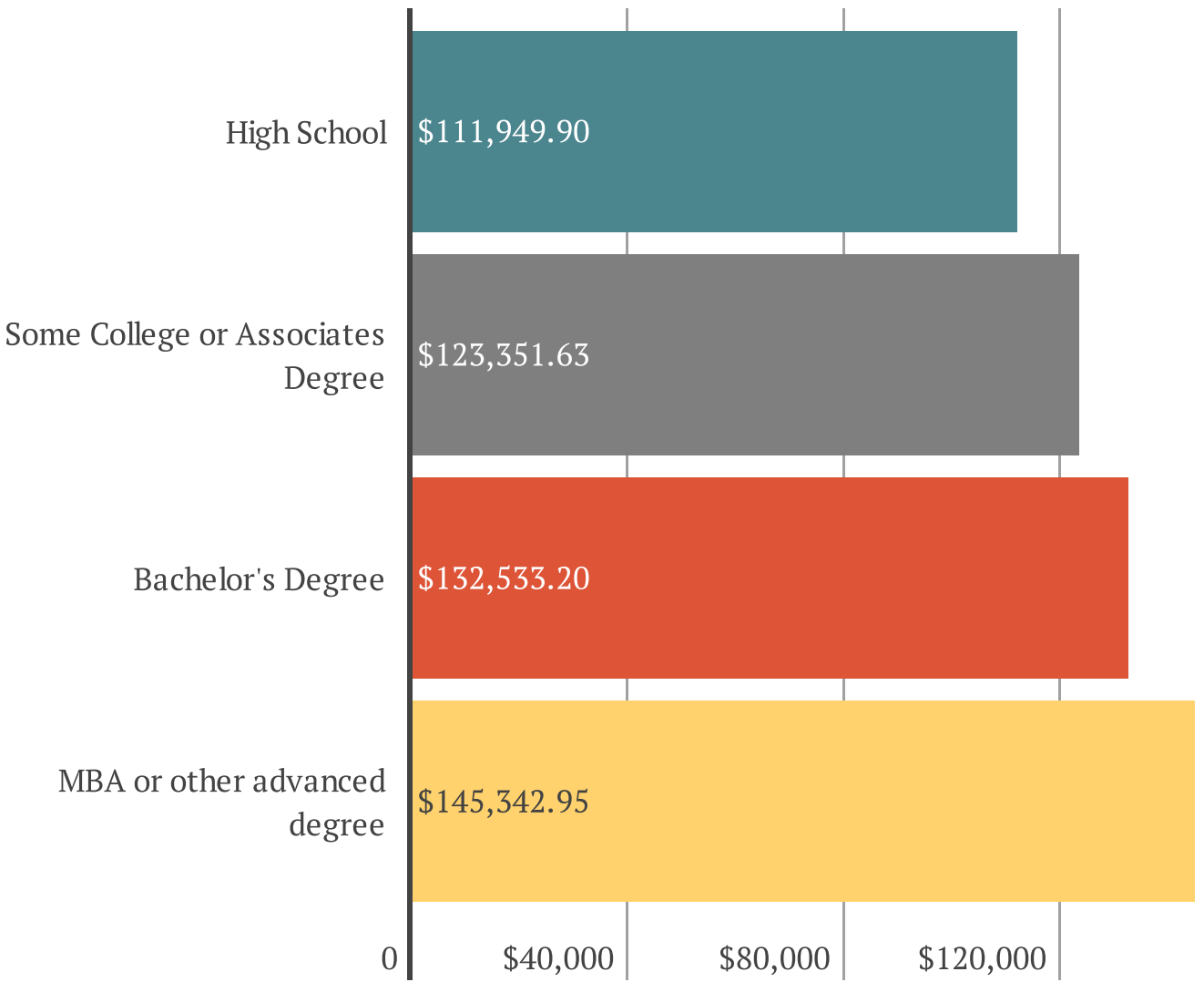


## Bonus

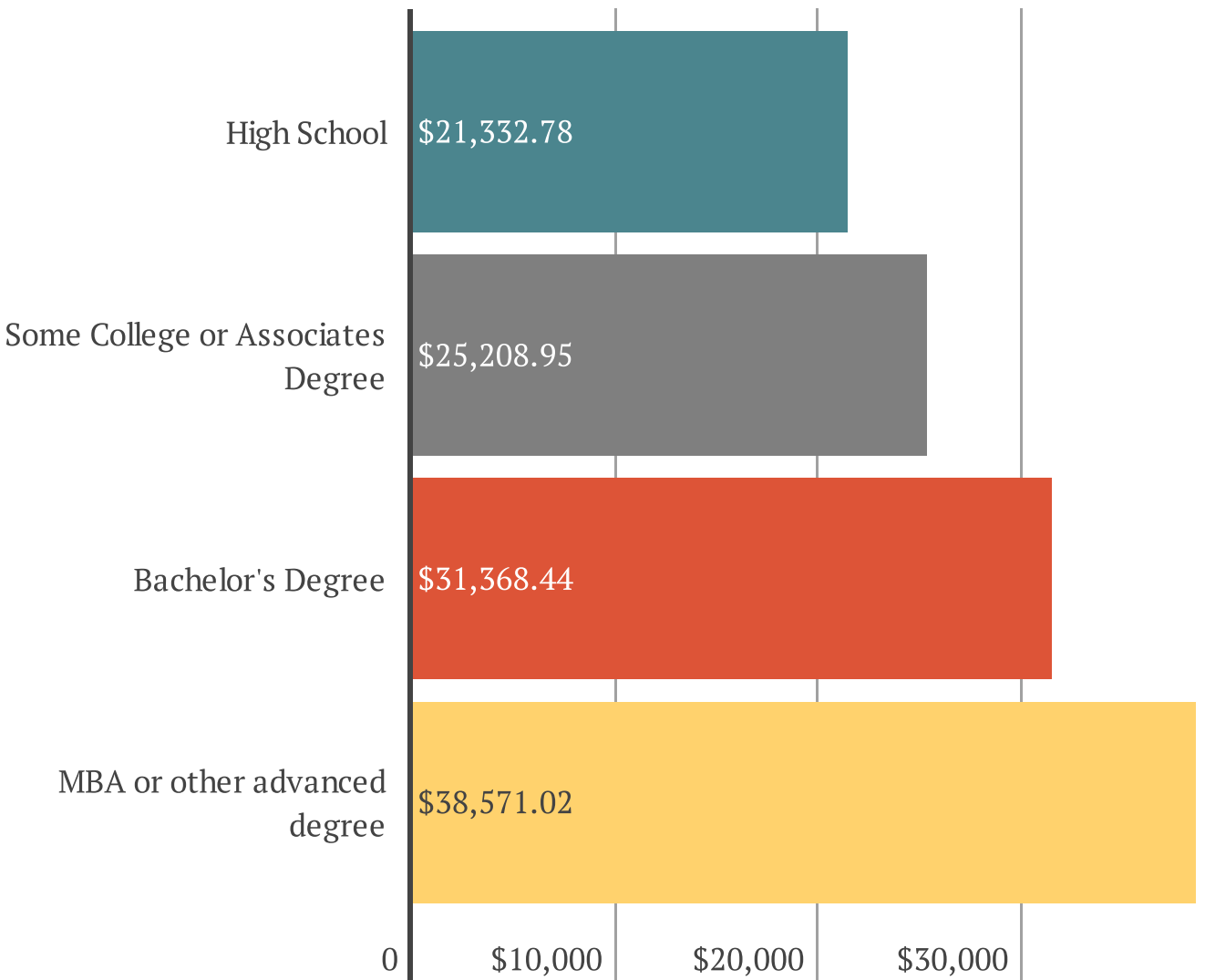


# Average Salary & Bonus by Education Level

## Salary



## Bonus



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**Based on survey responses, formal credit training in addition to an advanced degree results in higher overall earnings for commercial lenders.**

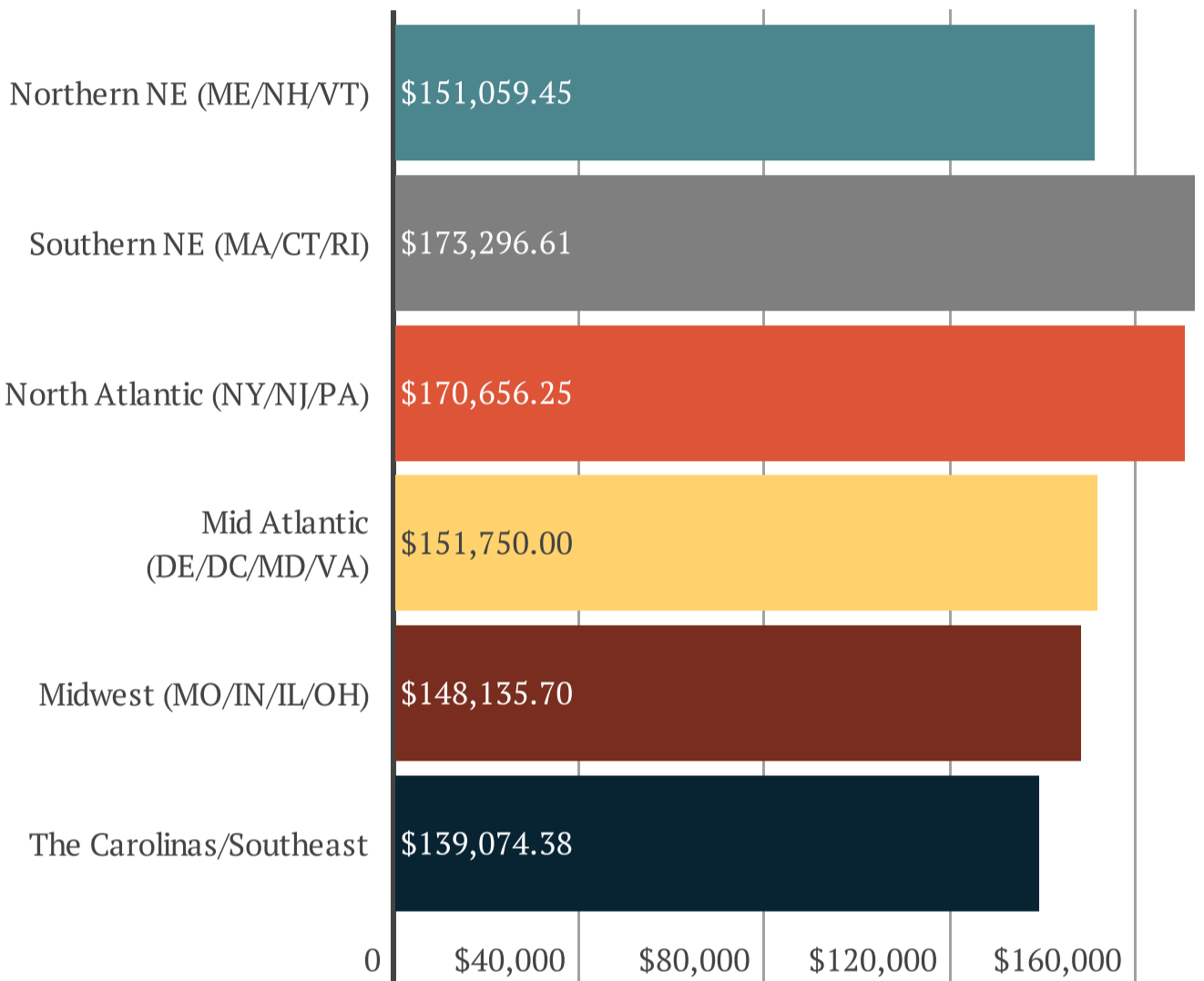
Carll Wilkinson, Managing Partner

# Salary & Bonuses

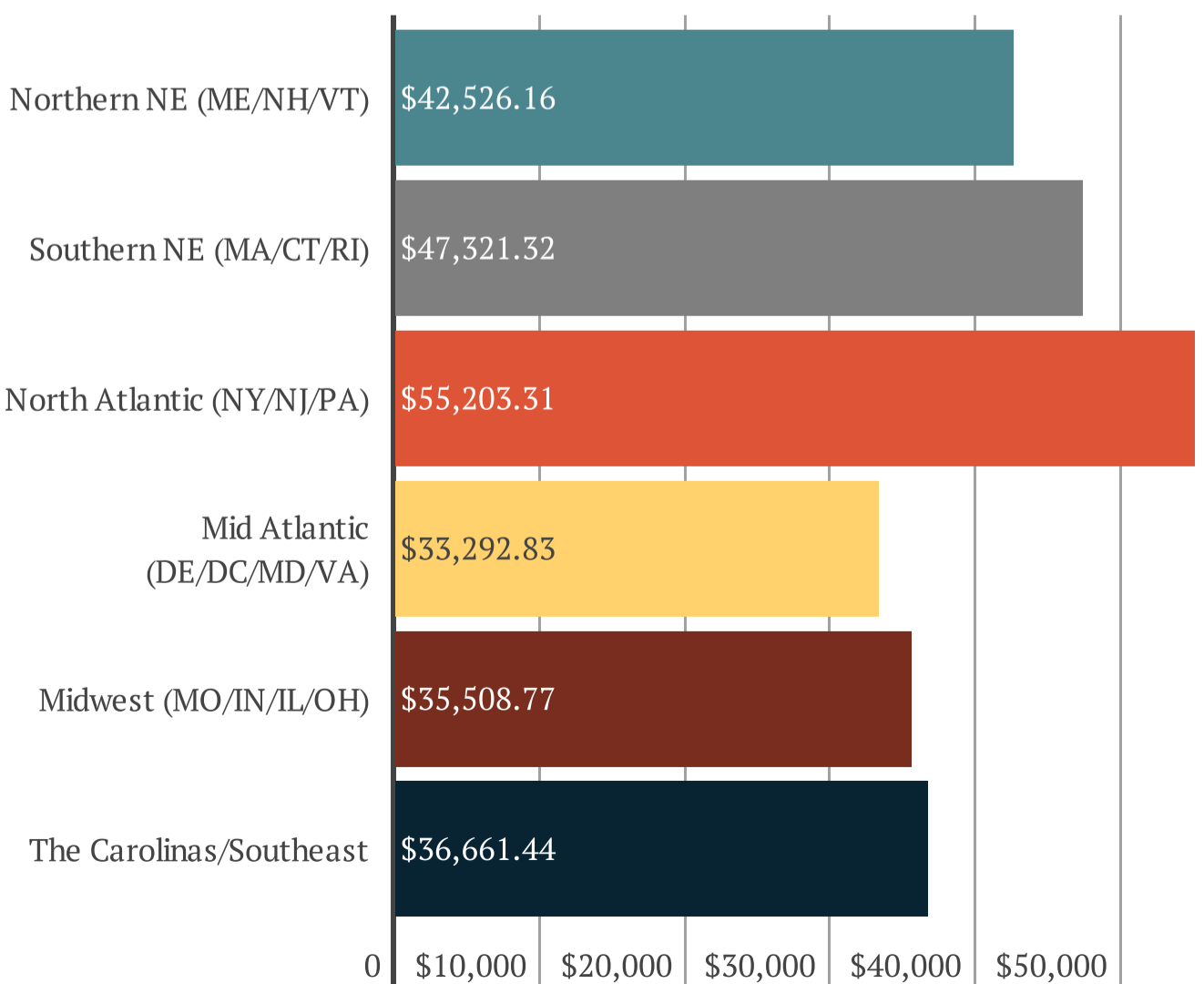
## Results from Team Leaders

### Average Salary and Bonus by Region

#### Salary

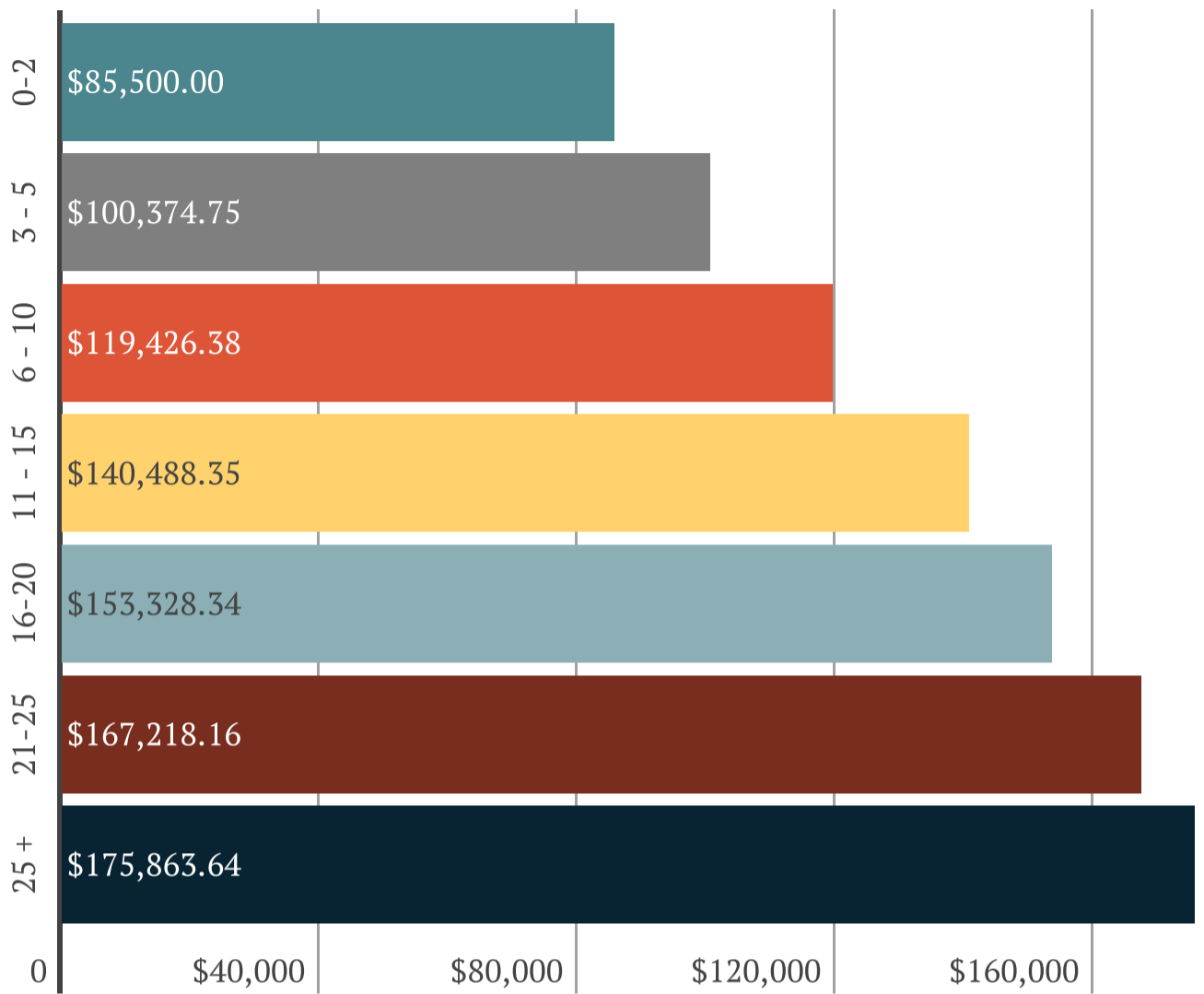


#### Bonus

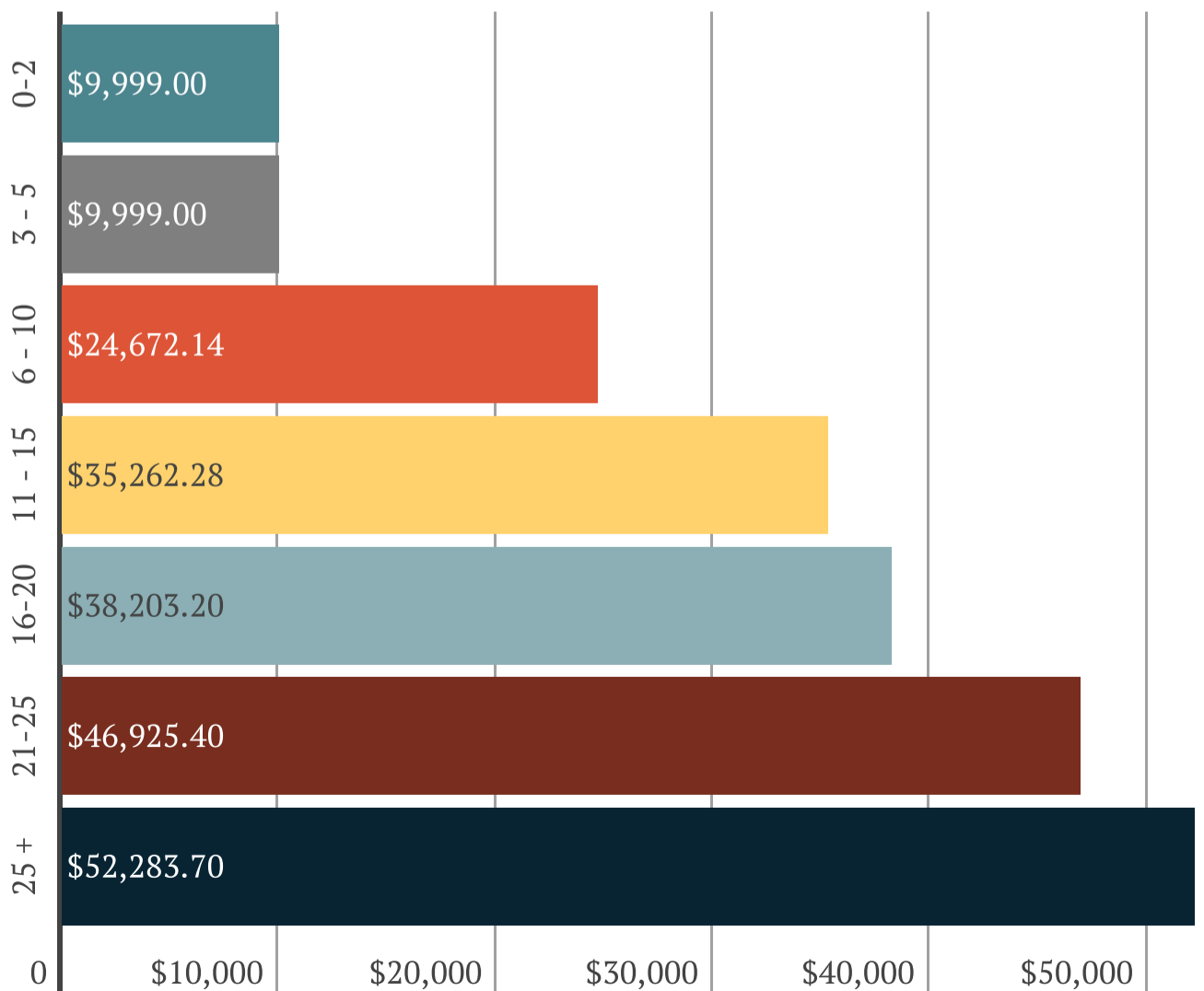


# Average Salary & Bonus by Years of Experience

## Salary

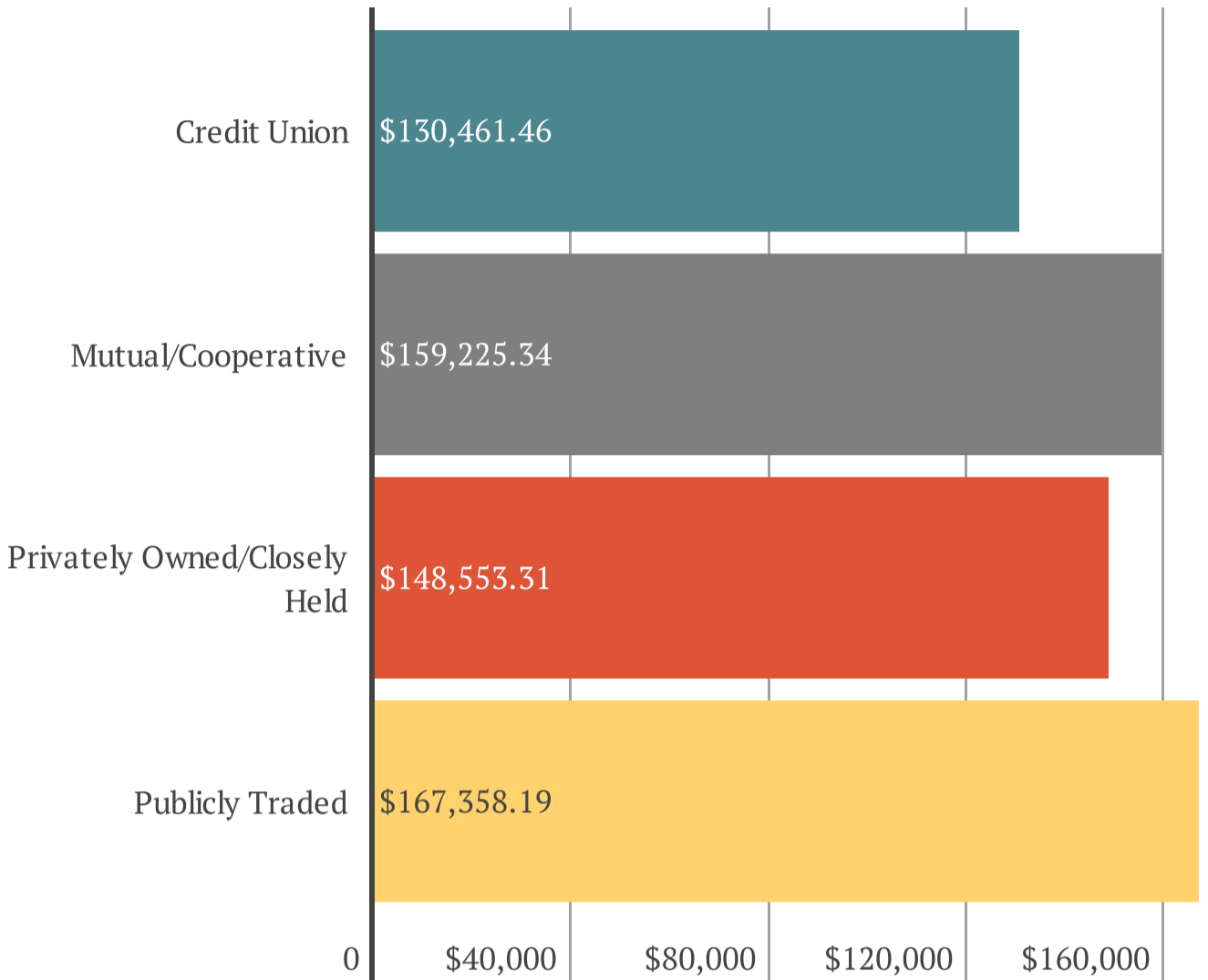


## Bonus

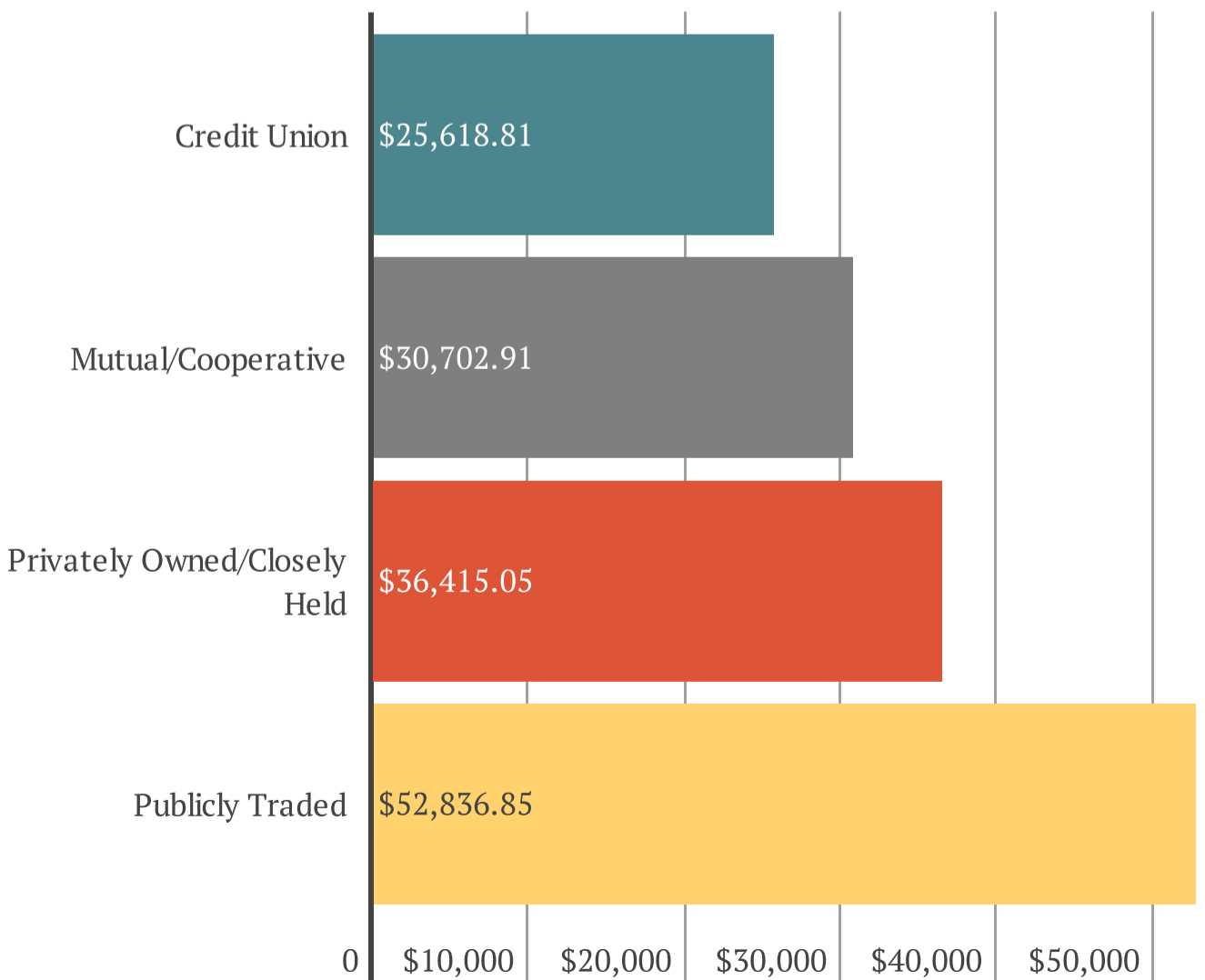


# Average Salary & Bonus by Institution

## Salary

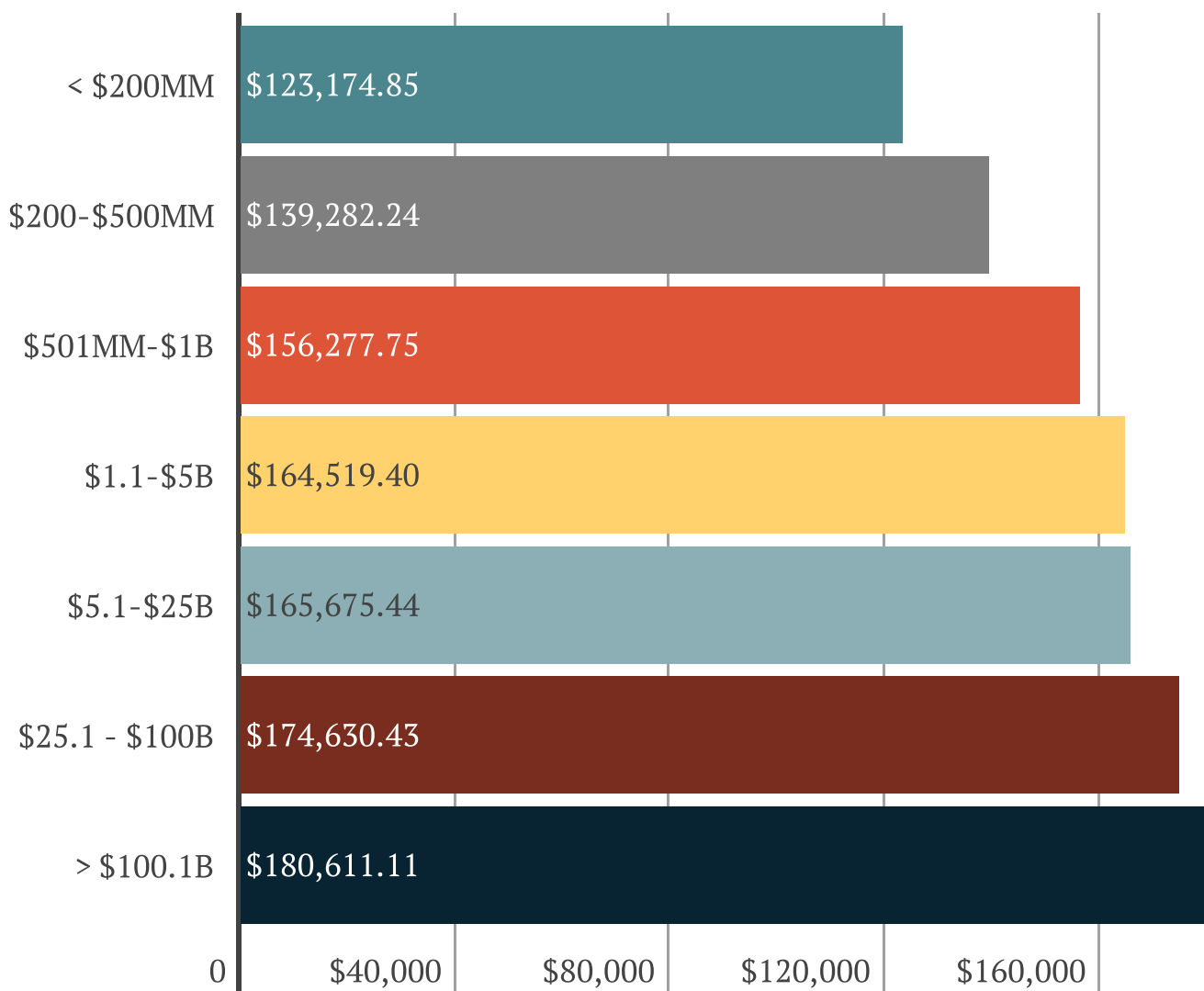


## Bonus

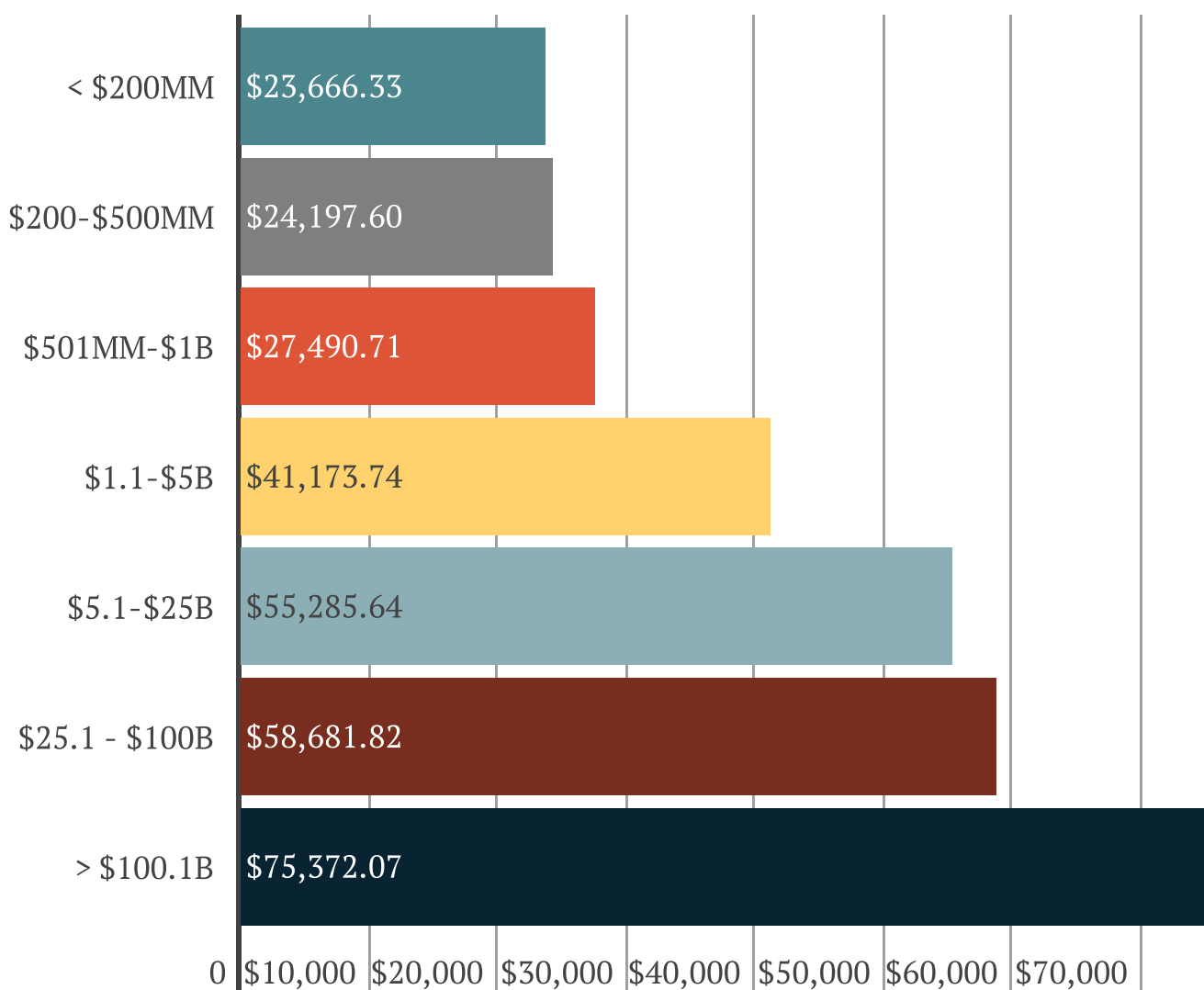


# Average Salary & Bonus by Institutional Asset Size

## Salary

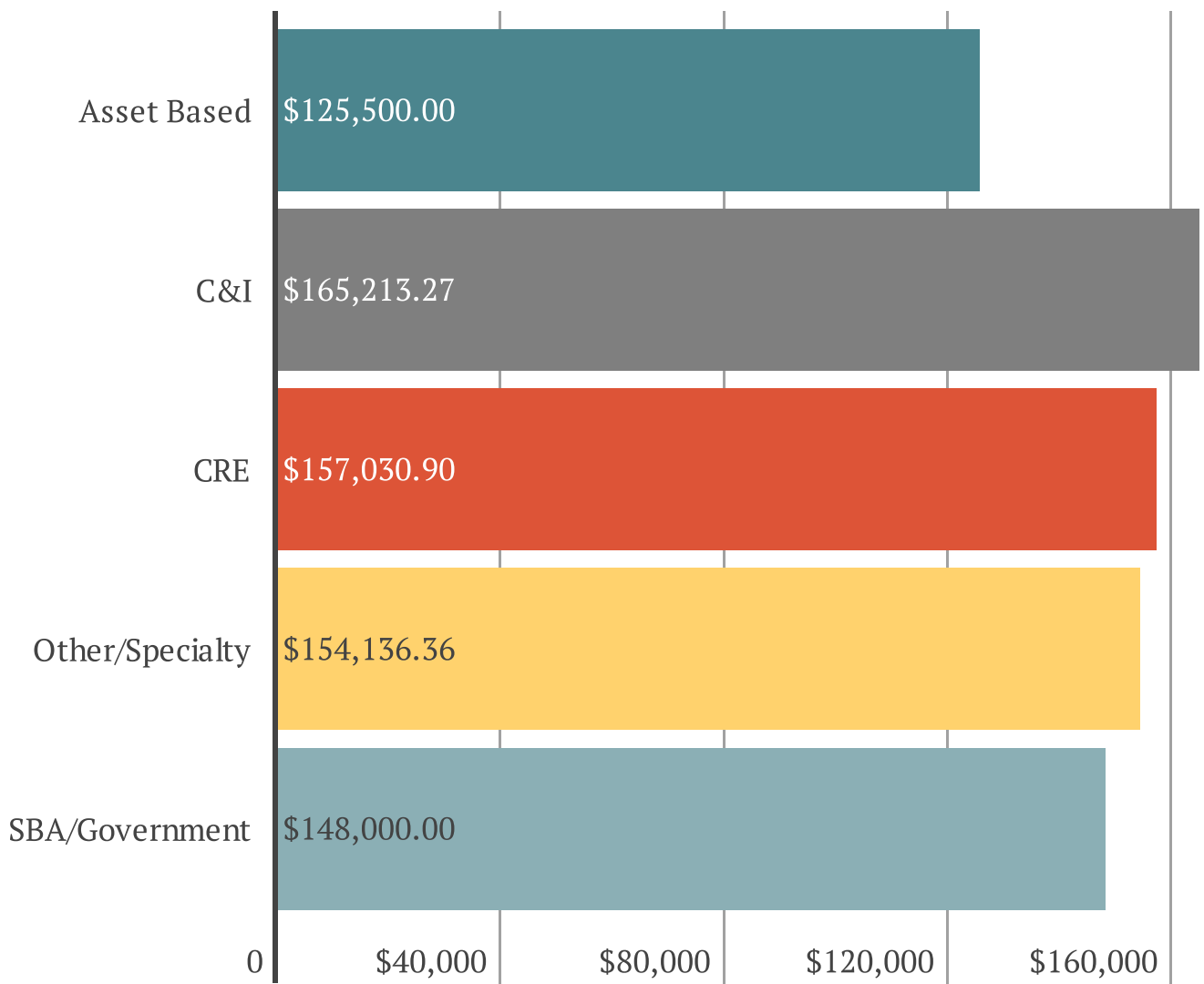


## Bonus

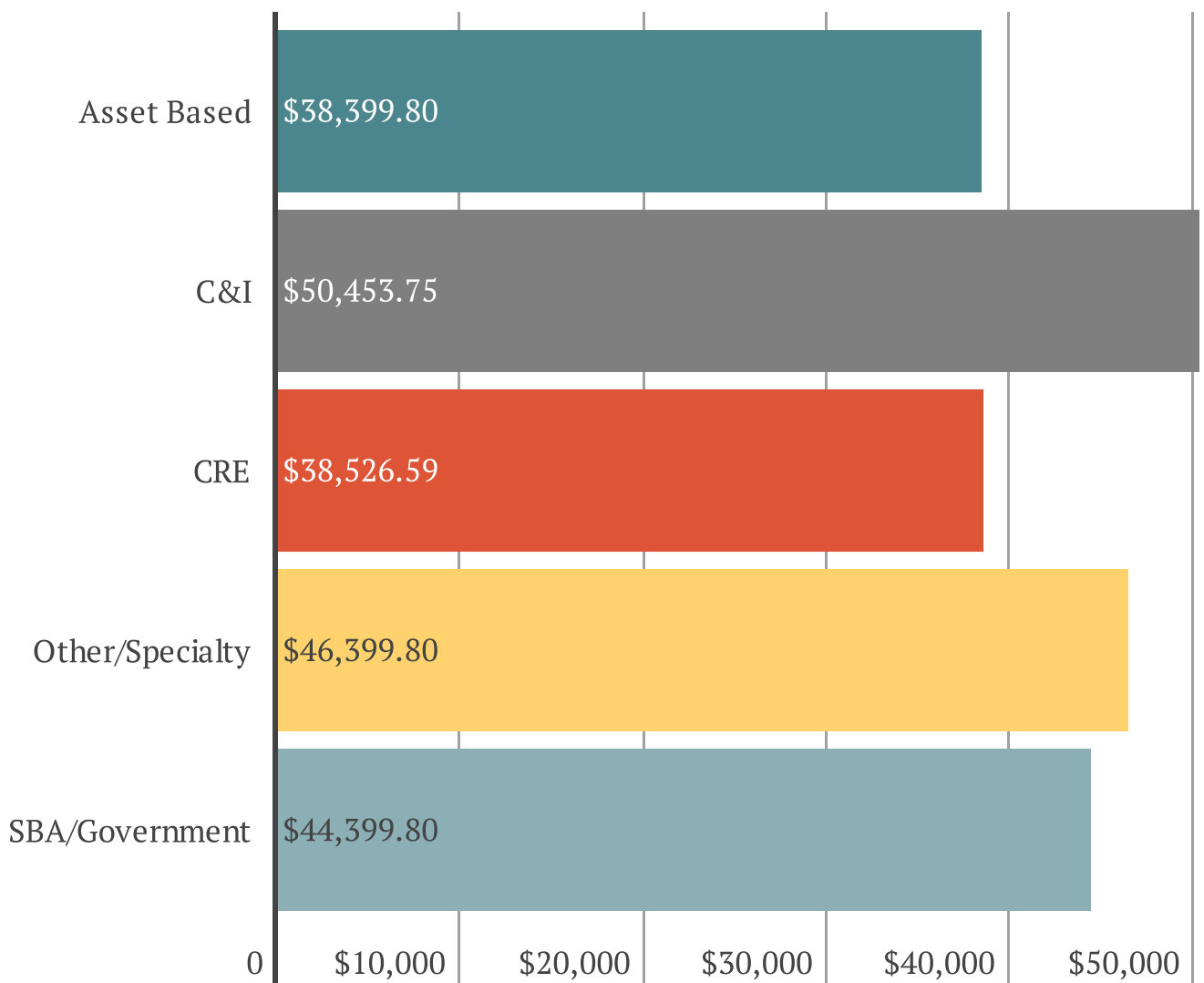


# Average Salary & Bonus by Lending Type

## Salary

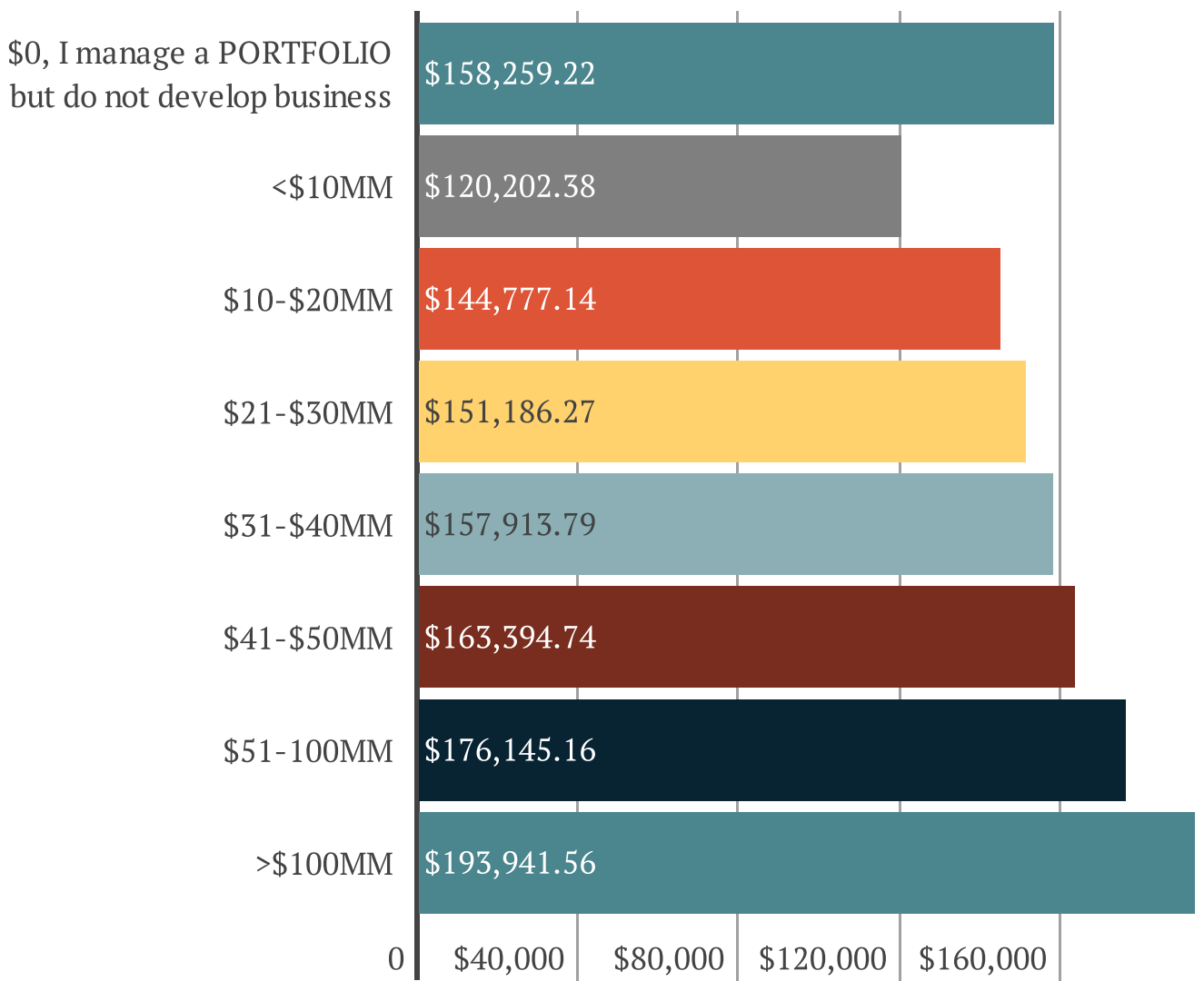


## Bonus

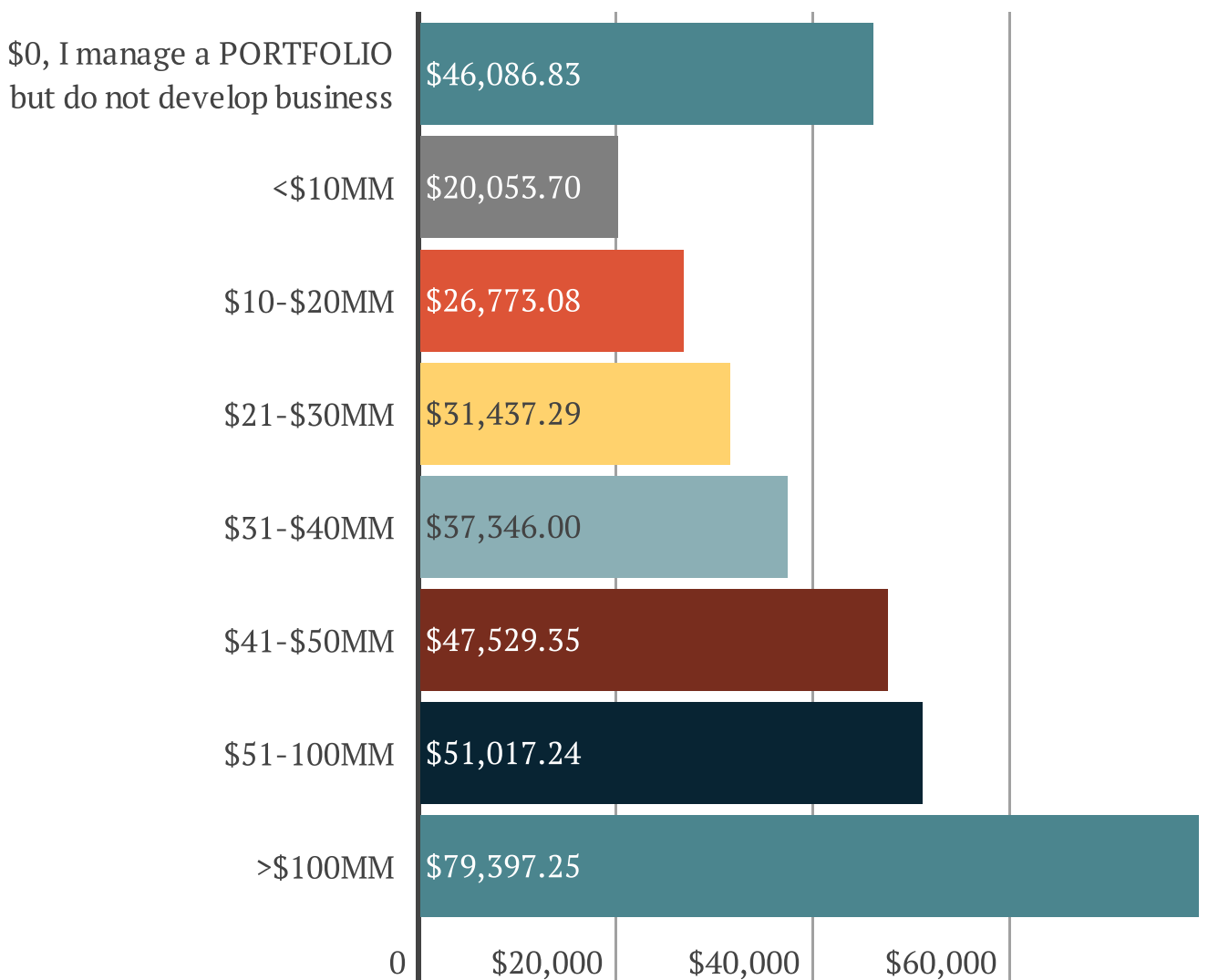


# Average Salary & Bonus by Production

## Salary

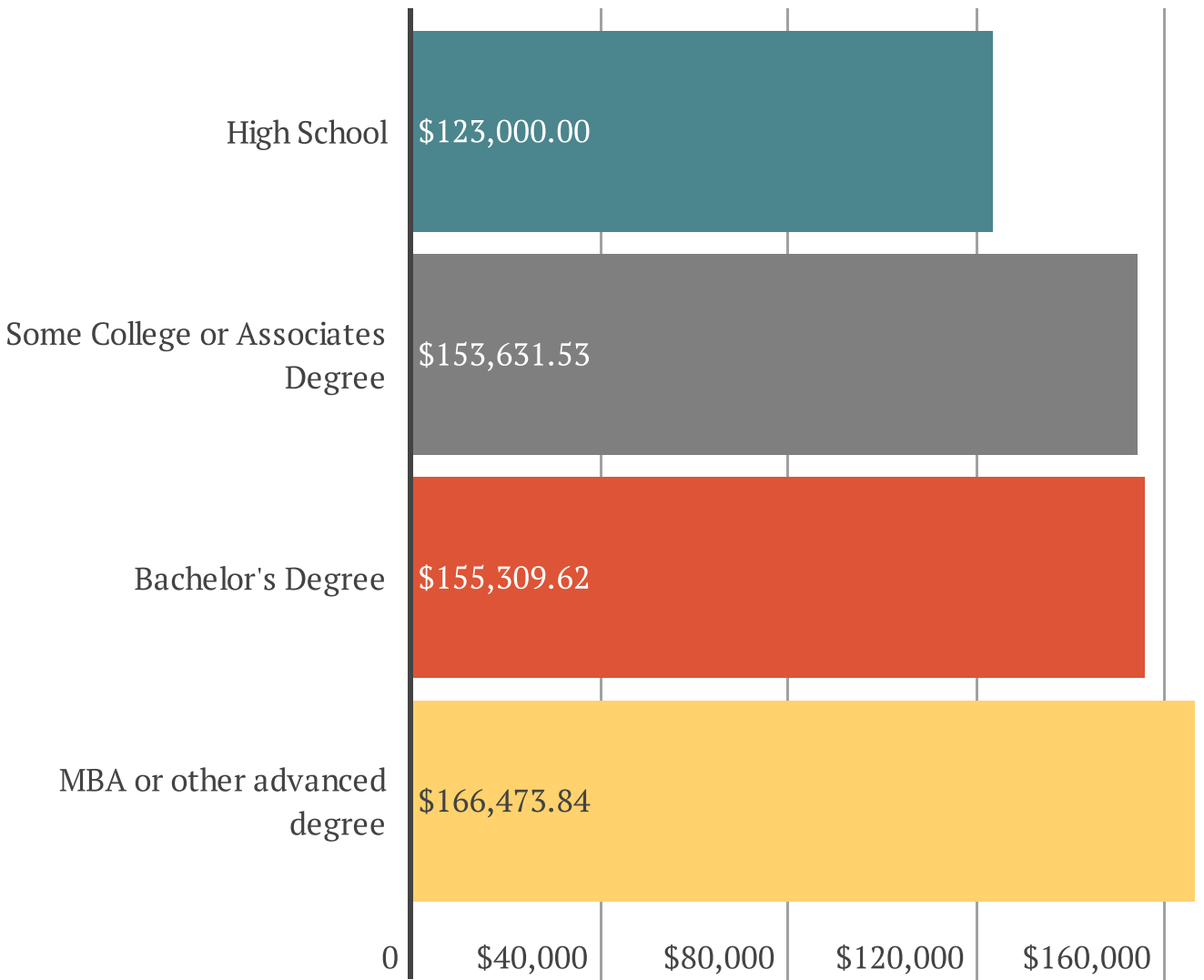


## Bonus

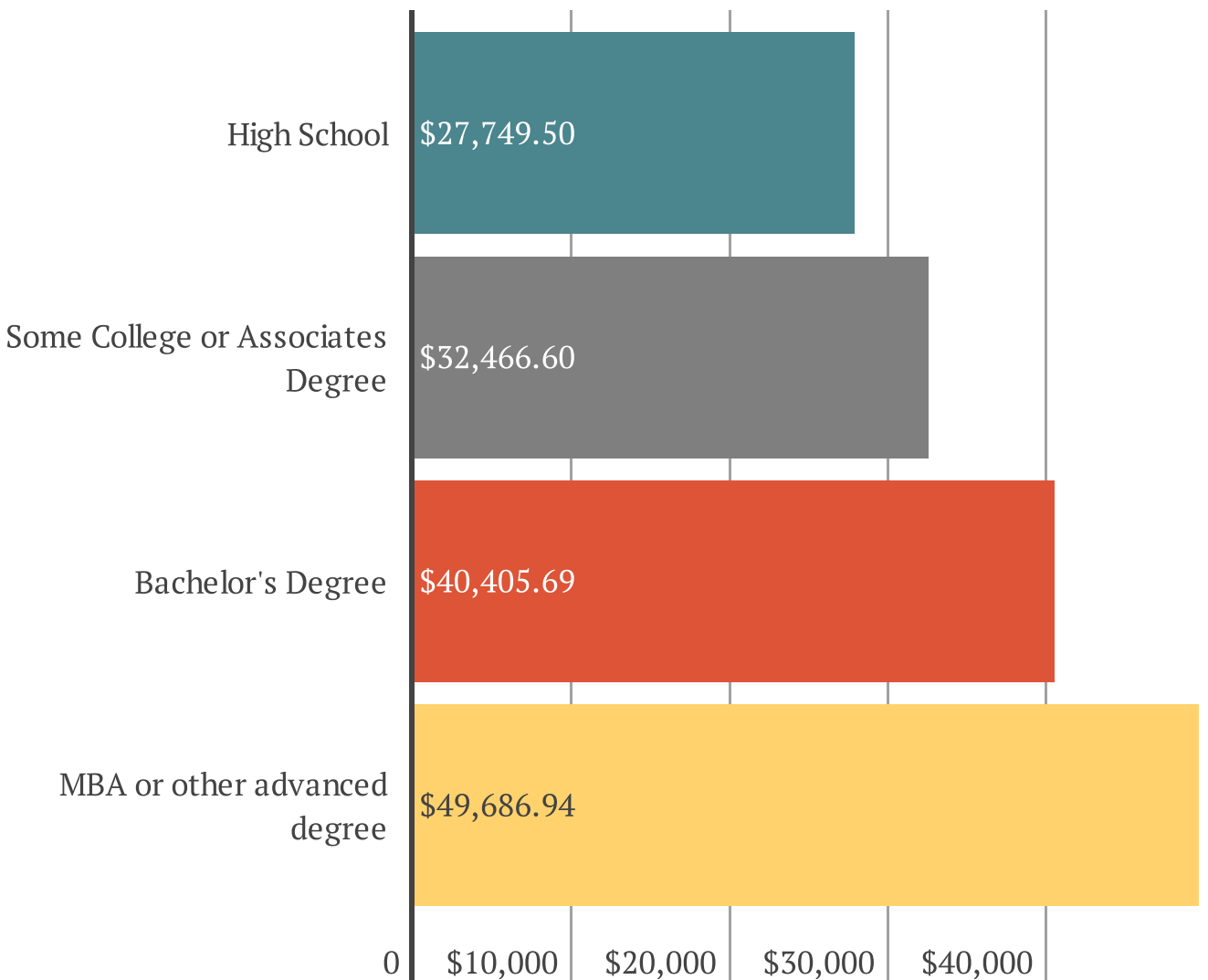


# Average Salary & Bonus by Education Level

## Salary

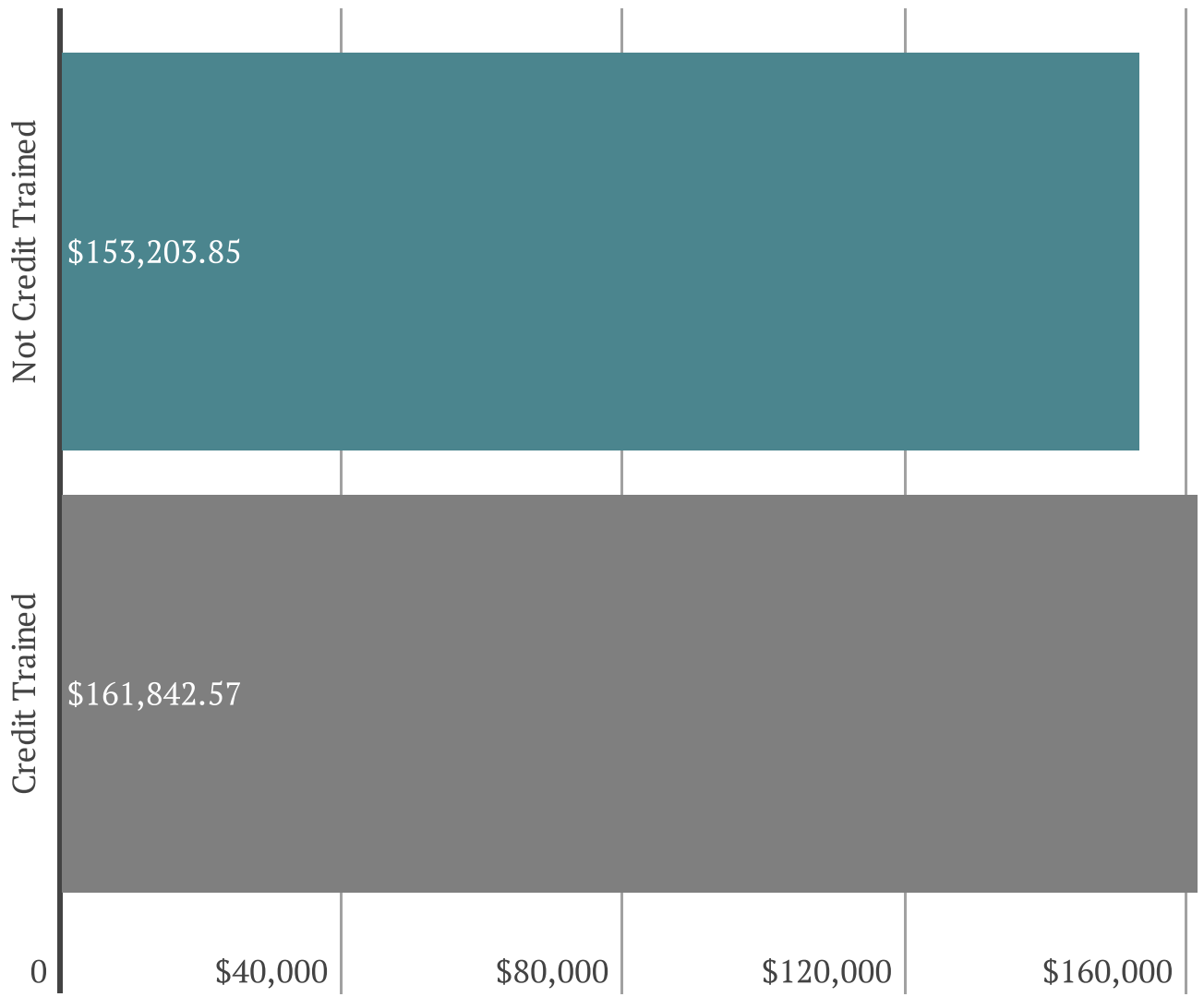


## Bonus

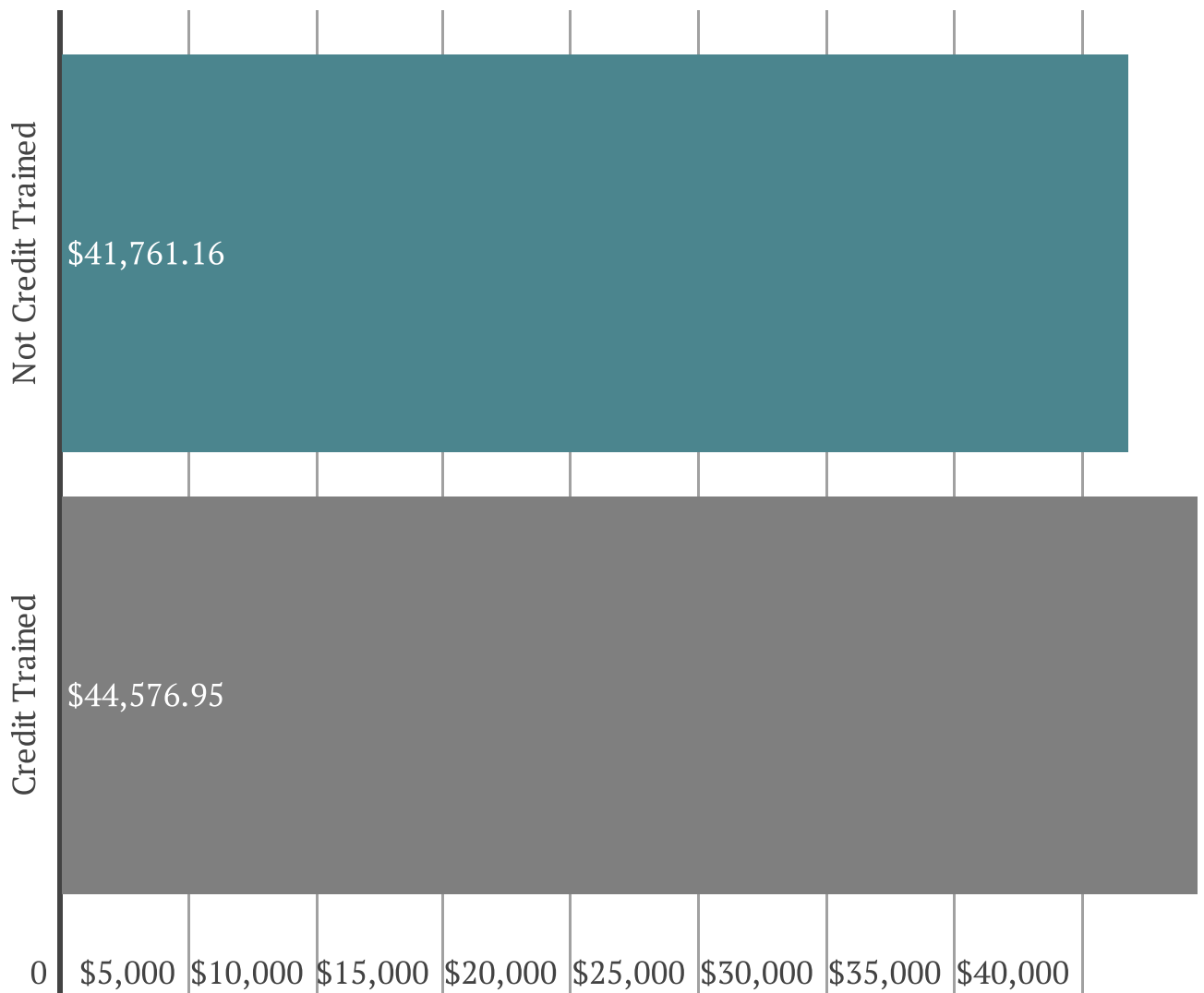


# Average Salary & Bonus by Credit Training

## Salary

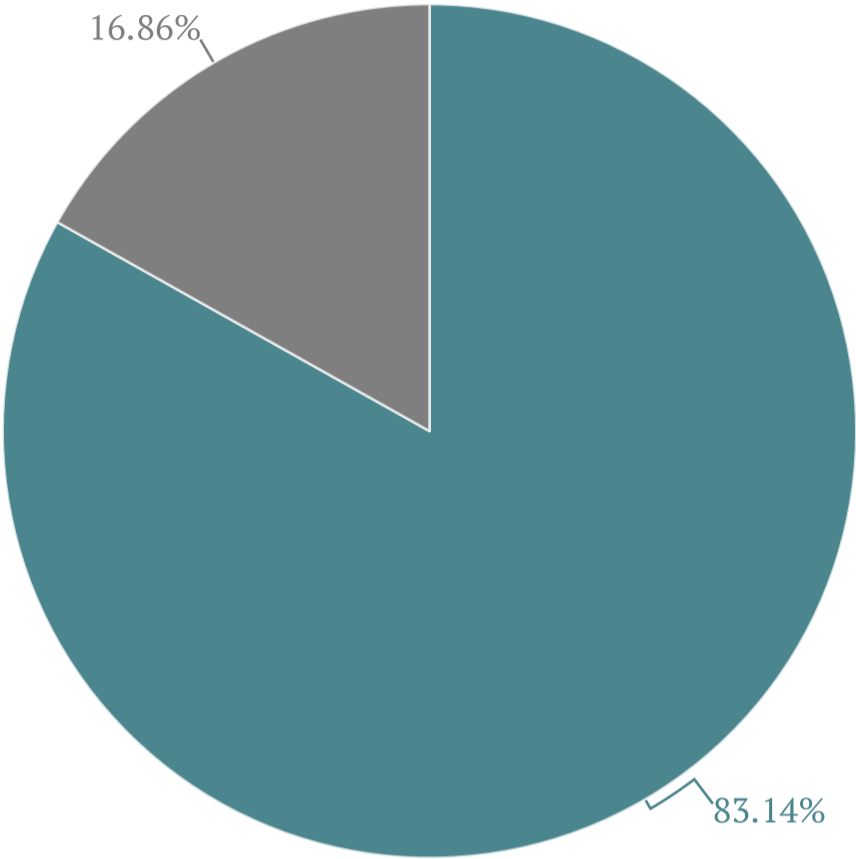


## Bonus



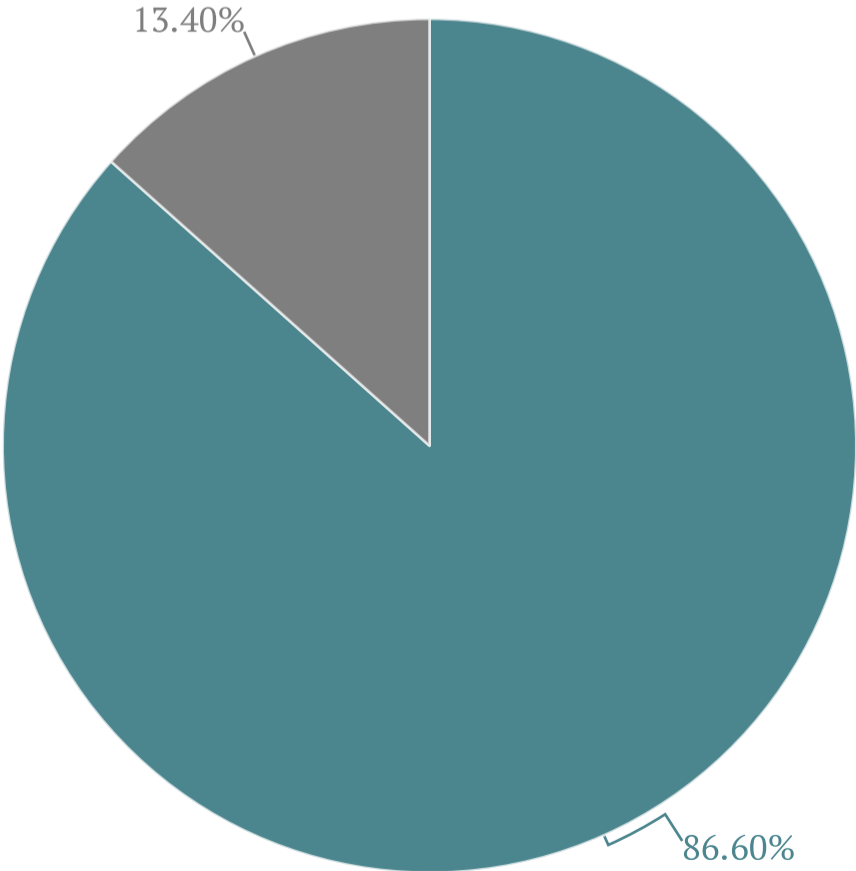
# Did you receive a salary increase in 2016?

## Individual Contributors



● Yes ● No

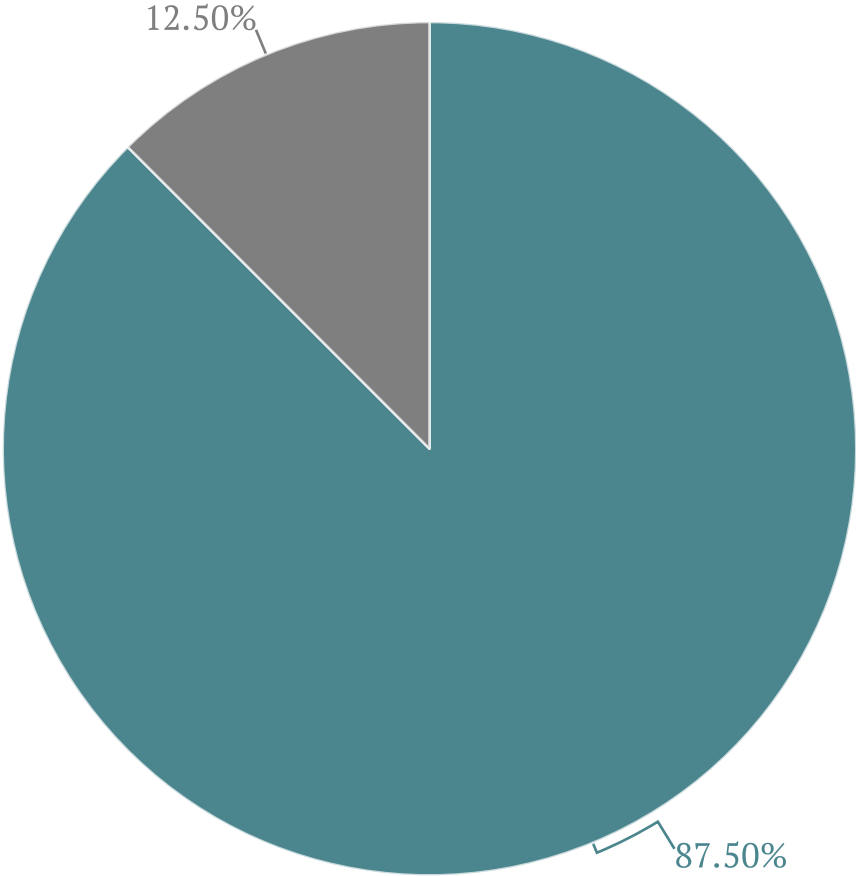
## Team Leaders



● Yes ● No

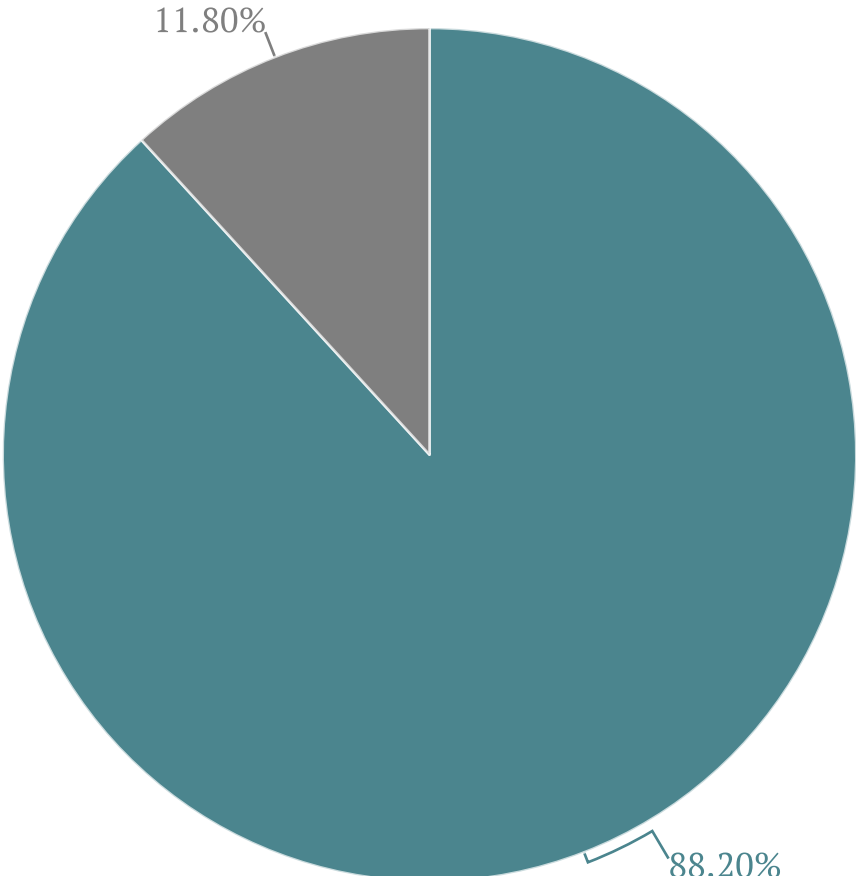
# Did you receive a cash bonus in 2016?

## Individual Contributors



● Yes ● No

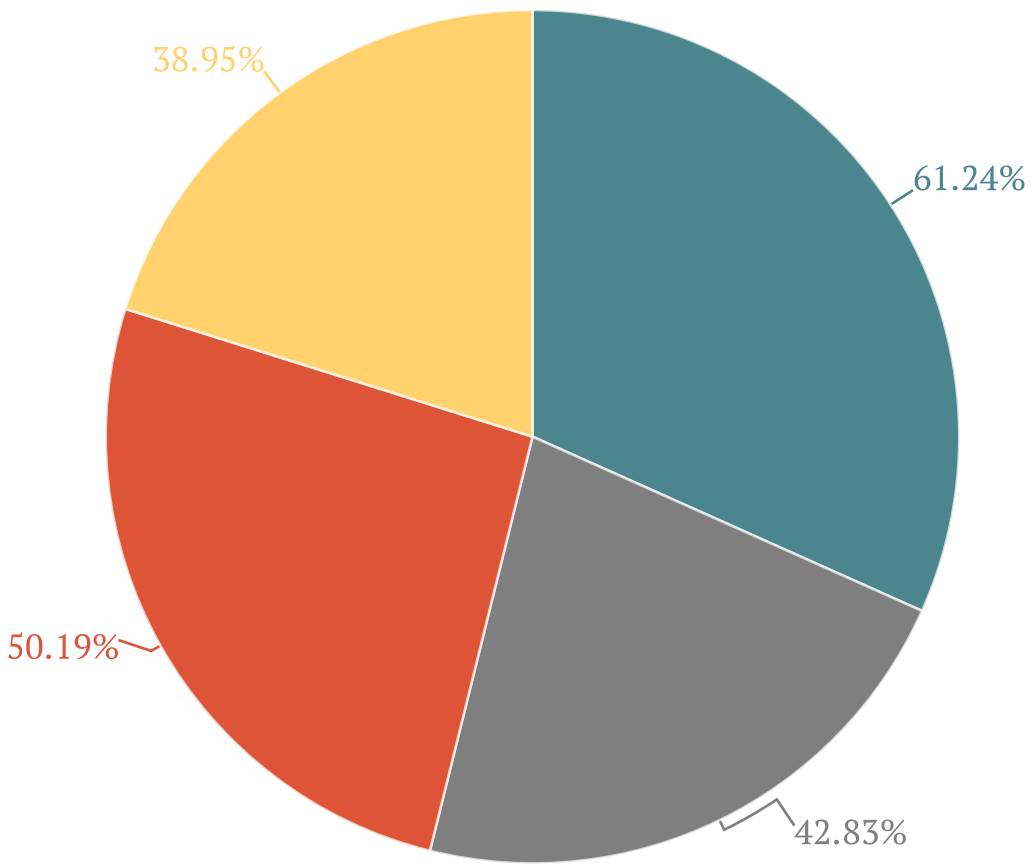
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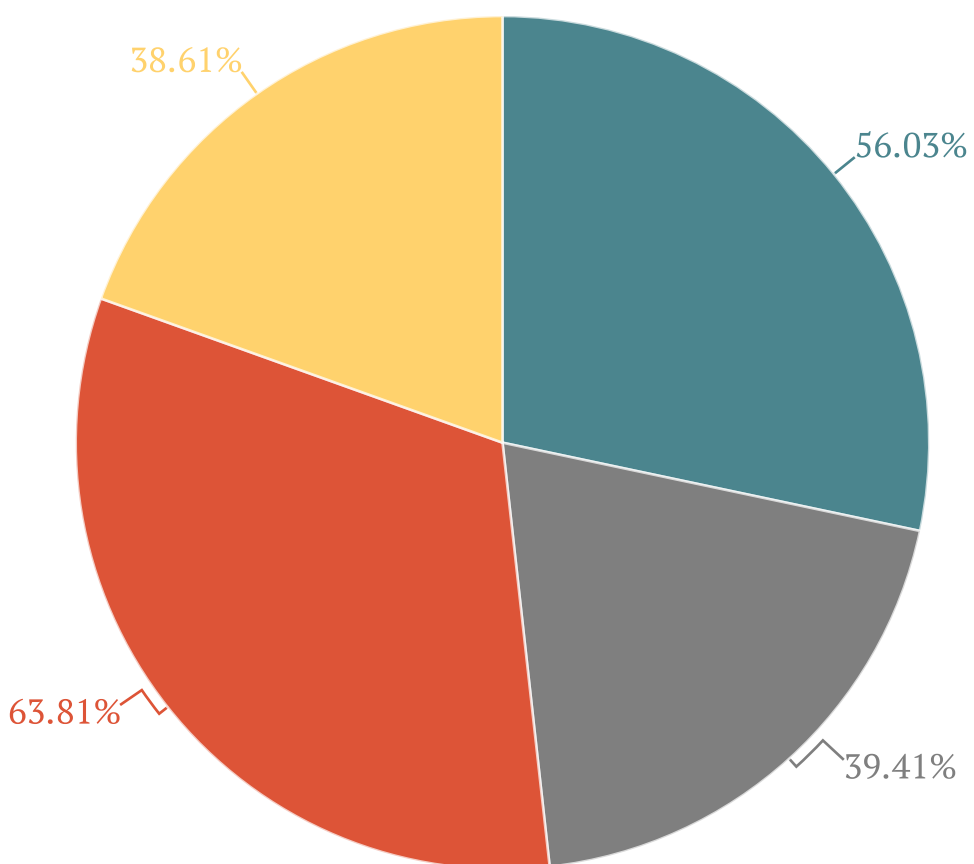
# What is your cash bonus based on?

## Individual Contributor



● New Loans ● New Depo ● BK Perf ● Discret

## Team Leader

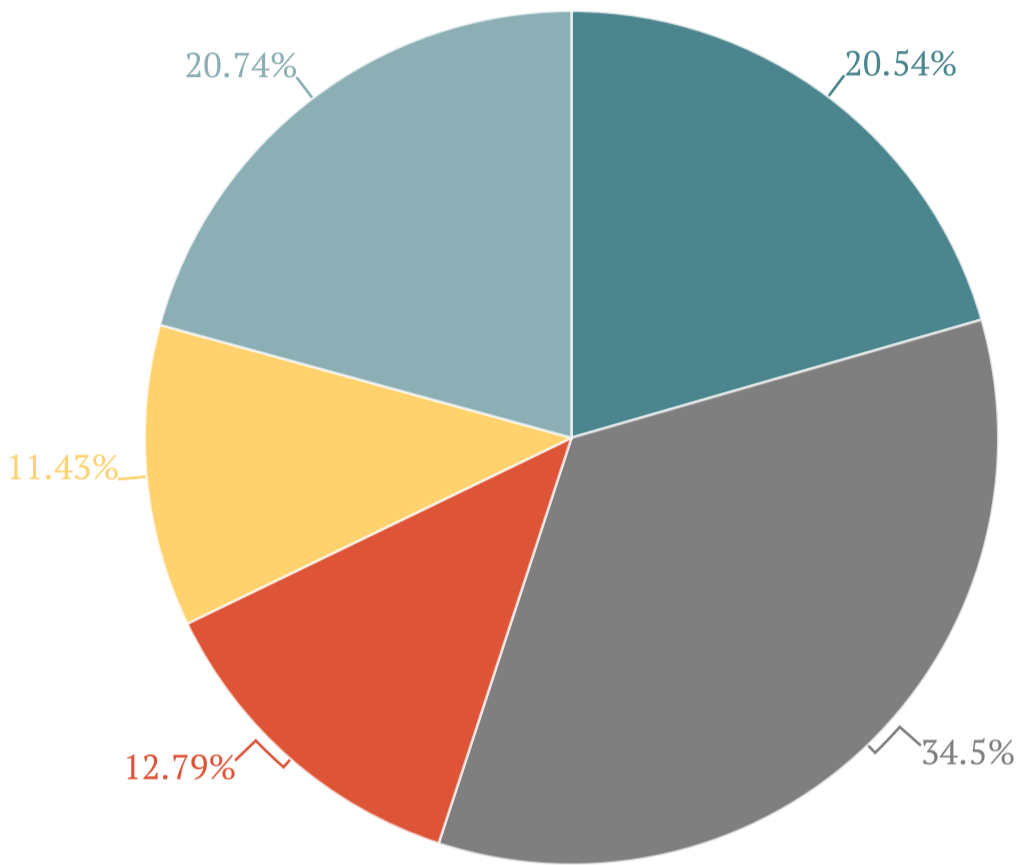


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# Career Planning

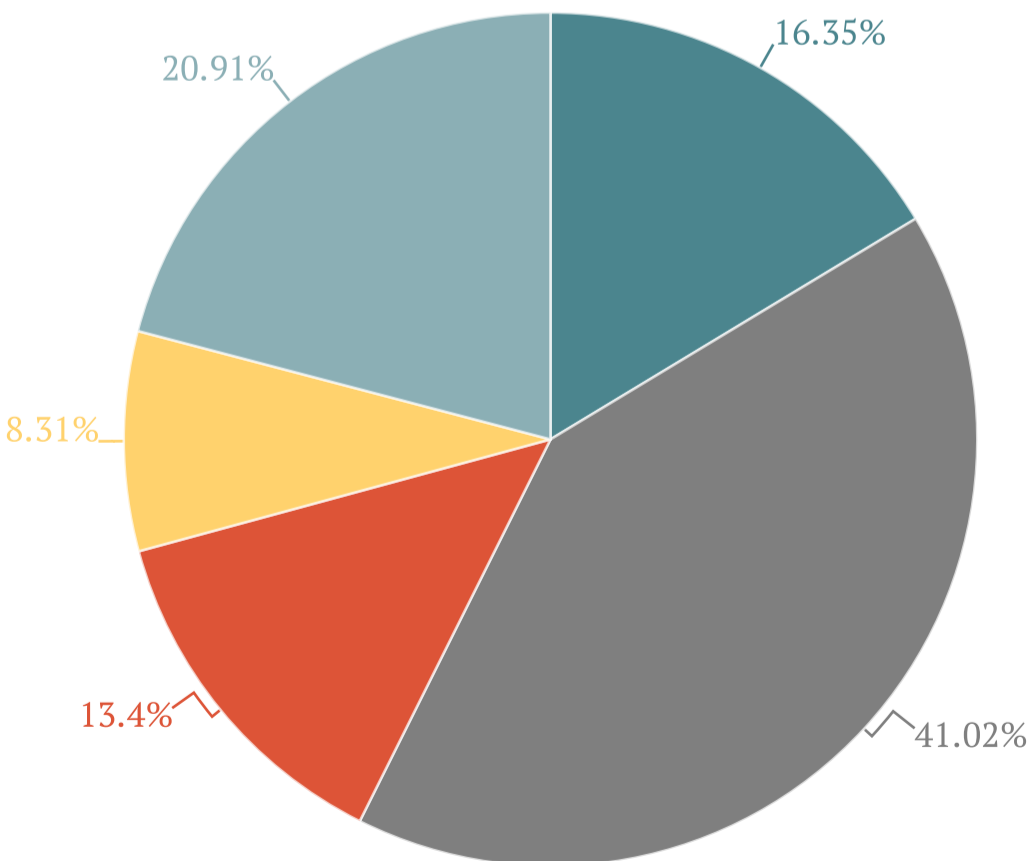
What is most important to you about where you work?

## Individual Contributors



- Compensation
- Coworkers/Team
- Job Security
- Location
- Opportunity for Professional Advancement

## Team Leaders



- Compensation
- Coworkers/Team
- Job Security
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