

North Carolina Career and Technical Education



Learning that works for North Carolina

CTE™ AT-A-GLANCE

GAIN A CAREER ADVANTAGE

COMPLETER WITH DIPLOMA

All High School Seniors vs. CTE Concentrators *



Graduation rate for the 2015 cohort

85.9%



98%

North Carolina
graduation
rate for
CTE
Concentrators



CTE PARTICIPANTS +

844,925



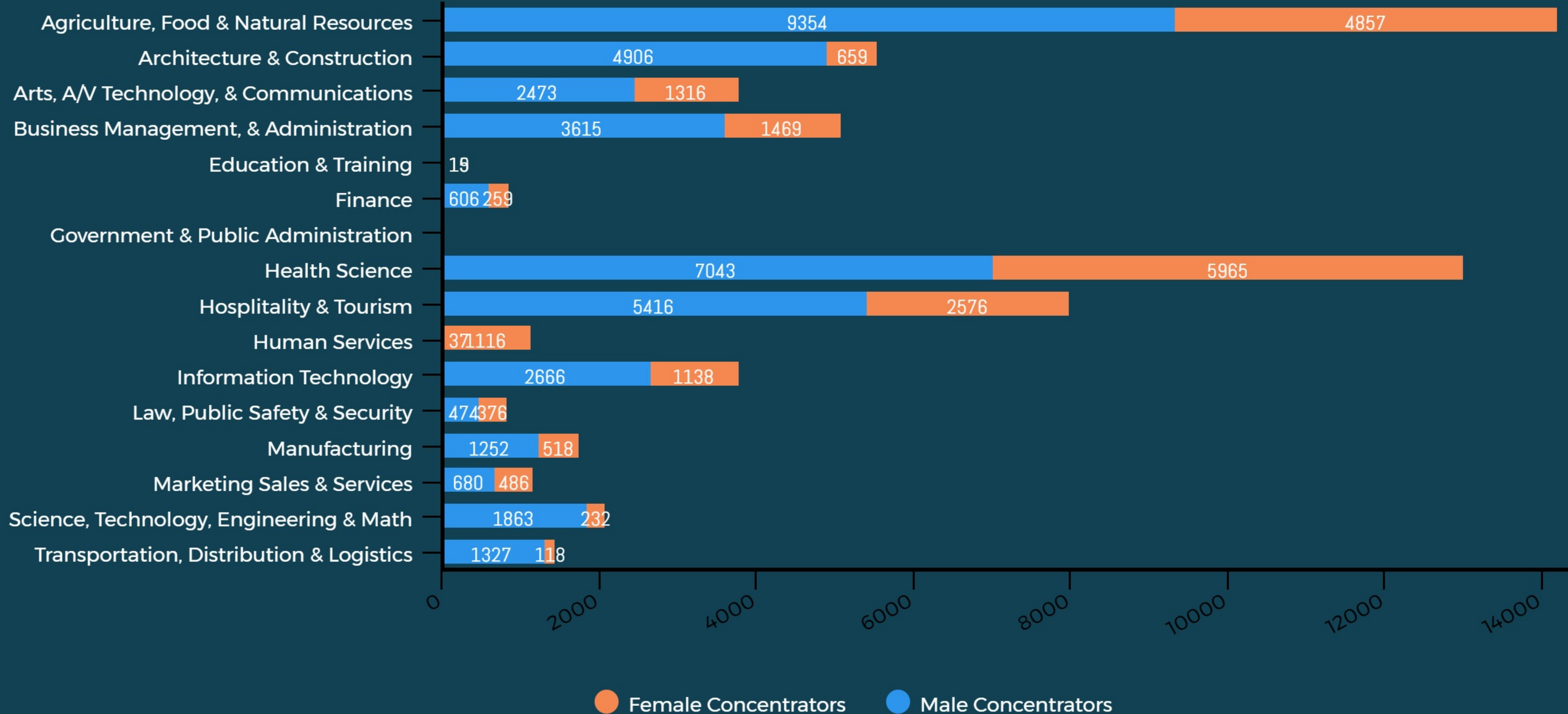
CTE CONCENTRATORS

CTE Concentrators in a cluster area *

35,217

PROGRAMS OF STUDY

CTE concentrators* for each Career Cluster



The gender gap for those concentrating in Career and Technical Education narrowed between the 2014-2015 and 2015-2016 school Years.

+ CTE Participant- Secondary student enrolled in one or more Career and Technical Education (CTE) course.

* CTE Concentrator- Secondary student who earns four or more credits in a single cluster, one of which is in a second-level course.

REAL-WORLD PREPARATION



140,097

CREDENTIALS EARNED

IMPACTFUL EMPLOYMENT SKILLS

95.13%

2014 graduates who were CTE Concentrators reported

Career and Technical Education was one important reason I stayed in school.



TECHNICAL SKILL ATTAINMENT

Percent of CTE Concentrators who passed technical skill assessments aligned with industry-recognized standards.

76.5%



INVEST IN A BETTER FUTURE

SPECIFIC PLACEMENT

- 37.43% Four Year College
- 35.63% Two Year College
- 3.62% Military
- 2.27% Other Postsecondary
- 0.9% Apprenticeship

93%



PLACEMENT

Percent of CTE Concentrators who graduated high school and went on to post-secondary education or advanced training, military service, or employment.



Over 75% of CTE Concentrators transitioned into some form of postsecondary education after graduating from high school.

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