



# Total Rewards Market Study – Leadership Webinar

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# Introduction

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# Overview

- Review objectives and methodology
- Discuss next steps
- Answer your questions



## Project Objectives



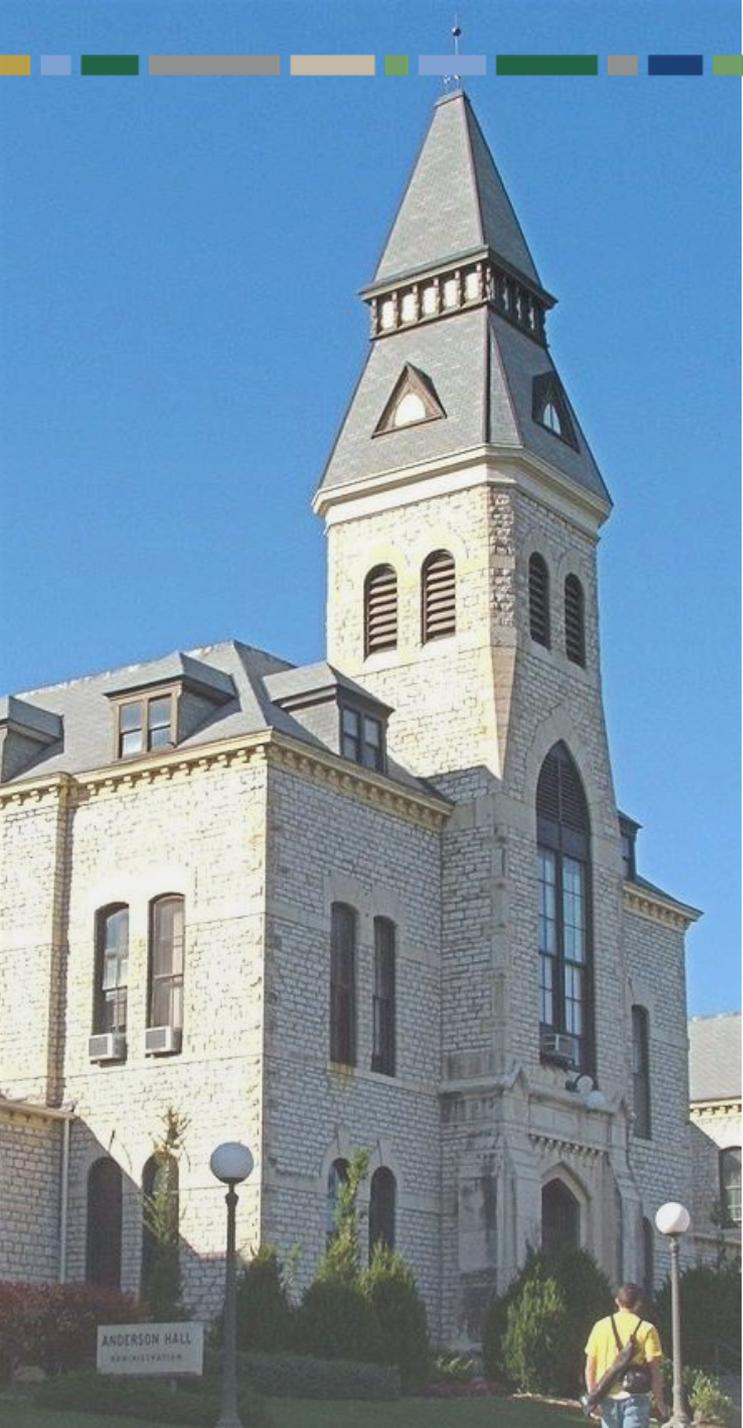
## Project Objectives

- Develop compensation philosophy
- Create a classification system that better organizes jobs
- Develop job families and career ladders
- Benchmark K-State jobs to market
- Create a total rewards system that allows K-State to administer compensation into the future
- Document jobs and positions
- Determine FLSA status of each position



# Why Compensation Professionals?

- Impartiality
  - No consideration of demographics
  - Independent consultants do not have “favorites”
- Consistency
- Access to valid salary surveys
- Expertise and experience
  - Compensation plan design
  - Administration
  - Market influences



# Project Methodology Summary

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## Initiated Project

- Conducted project kick-off meetings with key K-State staff
- Established project goals
- Collected organizational, job and employee information

## Evaluated job documentation

- Developed a job analysis questionnaire (JAQ) and obtained additional up-to-date employee duties, responsibilities and qualifications – 82% response rate
- K-State employees completed JAQs and supervisors provided input



# Project Methodology

## Developed Compensation Philosophy

- The primary benchmark for the University in this study was the market 50<sup>th</sup> percentile

## Identified Comparable Entities and Relevant Markets

- Identified benchmark jobs and appropriate labor market characteristics
  - Industry – Public Higher Education Institutions and the General Labor Market, as appropriate
  - Location – Manhattan, Salina or Olathe, Kansas
  - Organizational Size

# Project Methodology

## Classification Plan

- Based on the evaluation of all job documentation, proposed reclassifications
- Recommended new job titles and career progression
- Identified job families and drafted definitions
- Proposed a new titling structure to enhance consistency across departments



# Project Methodology

## External Market Analysis

- Assessed market competitive compensation levels for K-State's positions
  - Database with over 1,900 published survey sources
  - CUPA-HR Data Including Selected Peer Institutions:
    - Auburn University
    - Clemson University
    - Colorado State University
    - Iowa State University
    - Louisiana State University
    - North Carolina State University
    - Oklahoma State University
    - Oregon State University
    - University of Massachusetts – Amherst
    - Washington State University
- Compared actual skills, duties and responsibilities to market data rather than merely matching job titles
- Revised Salary Structures



# Project Methodology – Salary Structure Design

*\*Illustrative Purposes Only*

Title: Job XYZ

Market Benchmark: **\$35,455**

<u>Grade</u>	<u>Minimum</u>	<u>Midpoint</u>	<u>Maximum</u>
1	\$24,778	\$30,972	\$37,166
2	\$27,398	<b>\$35,618</b>	\$43,837
3	\$31,508	\$40,960	\$50,413



# Project Methodology

## Financial Impact Analysis

- CBIZ modeled preliminary implementation costs and identified employees above or below the proposed ranges

**FLSA exemption analysis in coordination with K-State Legal Counsel**



## Project Implementation Meetings

- Five open fora
- 44 department meetings
- Three meetings with the Student Executive Leadership Committee
- Two meetings with USS Senate
- One meeting with Faculty Senate
- One Meeting with Unclassified Professional Staff Affairs
- One meeting with K-State's affinity groups
- Three Dean's Council Meeting
- Six Cabinet Meetings



## Next Steps



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- Adopt the revised market-based salary structures.
- Increase the compensation of all employees to the minimum of their respective salary ranges.
- Maintain pay for employees above maximum of their respective grade.
- Update the pay structures annually. CBIZ will provide salary increase and structure adjustment recommendations to K-State for five years to keep the system up-to-date.



# Questions