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Using your XELLO account, find the following information about your career field you were placed.

Career Title:	<u>Air Traffic Controller</u>
Give a brief job description	<u>make sure that planes + other aircraft take off + land safely. They may use radar to track flight paths and control the flow of traffic in the sky.</u>
List the main tasks performed	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Monitor aircraft visually & with radar to ensure they are far enough apart. - Communicate information about weather changes + nearby aircraft to pilots. - Use radar to track the flow of planes away from airports - Tower Controllers direct aircraft on the ground, taking off or landing.
Describe the working conditions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Long hours at a computer or drawing table - may cause back, wrist or eye strain. - Work indoors in air traffic control towers or radar centers - Work is often complex, fast-paced + can be stressful - Many controllers work for the FAA (Federal Aviation Administration).
Approximately how many hours a day and/or week is the job?	<u>Typically work 5 days in a row + get next 4 days off. Meaning air traffic controllers work 2 or 3 weekends a month. They usually work 9 hour days.</u>
Describe whether a person would work with others or on their own.	<u>Often talk to pilots + other airport staff</u>
What kind of equipment/tools are used?	<u>high-tech aircraft tracking & communications equipment. Includes: radar screens, electronics, computers, radios + telephones</u>
What education and/or training are required?	<u>A minimum of 2 year college or Technical training. To be FAA trained:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Must be younger than 30yrs old. - Be a US citizen + speak English - Take pre-employment test + do interviews. - Medical Exam + background security check
Choose the state you would like to live in your future and complete the following:	
State selected:	<u>Illinois</u>
Earnings	
Entry Salary/Wage	<u>\$ 60,230</u>
Median Salary/Wage	<u>\$ 78,310</u>
Experienced Salary/Wage	<u>\$ 113,870</u>
Career Demand	<u>Check whether the demand for this particular career is high, increasing, stable, or declining.</u>
	<input type="checkbox"/> High <input type="checkbox"/> Increasing <input type="checkbox"/> Stable <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Declining