

Amazon's 20 Finalists



Miami in Comparison



Some of the finalists include Miami, Los Angeles, Boston, New York, Washington D.C., Philadelphia, and Atlanta.



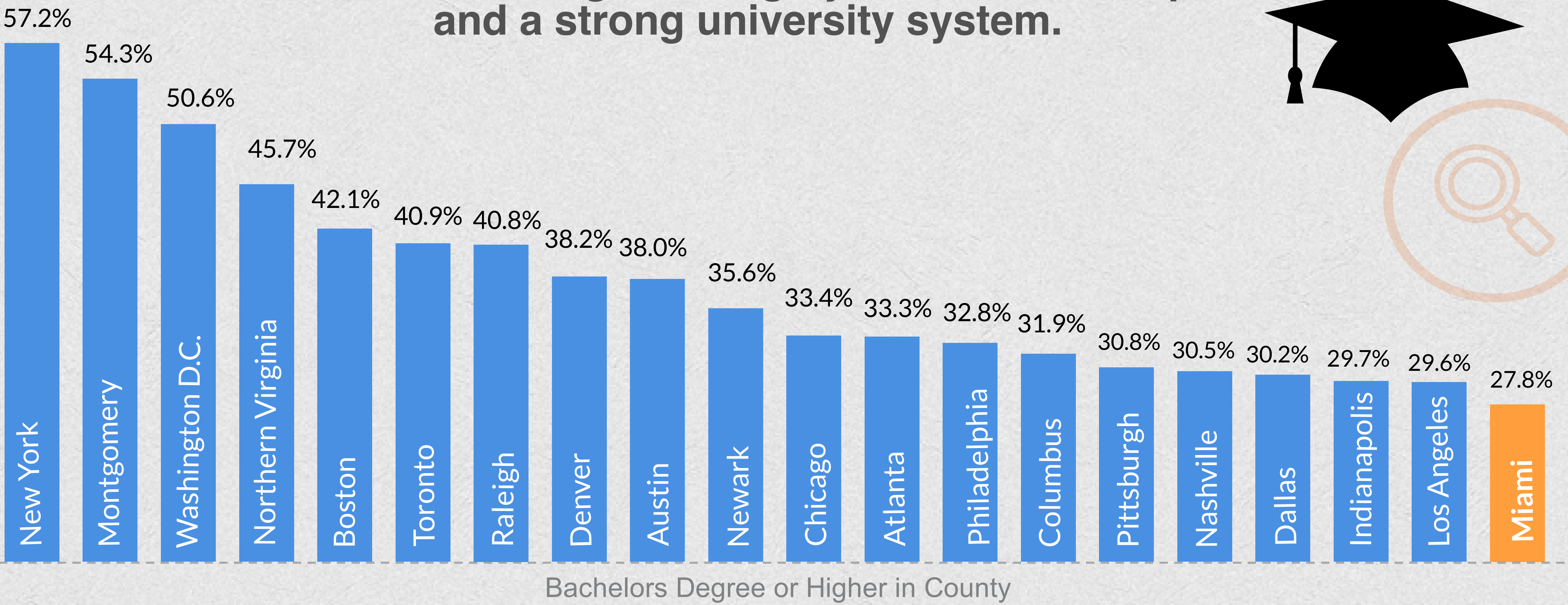
Top 20 selected from 238 proposals.

The top finalists meet the following criteria:

- Metropolitan Areas with more than one million people.
- A stable and business-friendly environment.
- Urban or suburban locations with the potential to attract and retain strong technical talent.
- Communities that think big and creatively when considering locations and real estate options.

Education (2016)

Amazon is looking for a highly educated labor pool and a strong university system.



Number of students enrolled in college/university (2016)

| City | Number of Students |
|-------------|--------------------|
| Los Angeles | 670,579 |
| New York | 321,699 |
| Miami | 256,314 |
| Dallas | 251,200 |
| Boston | 182,663 |
| Chicago | 175,631 |

Labor and Wage Rate Comparison (2016)

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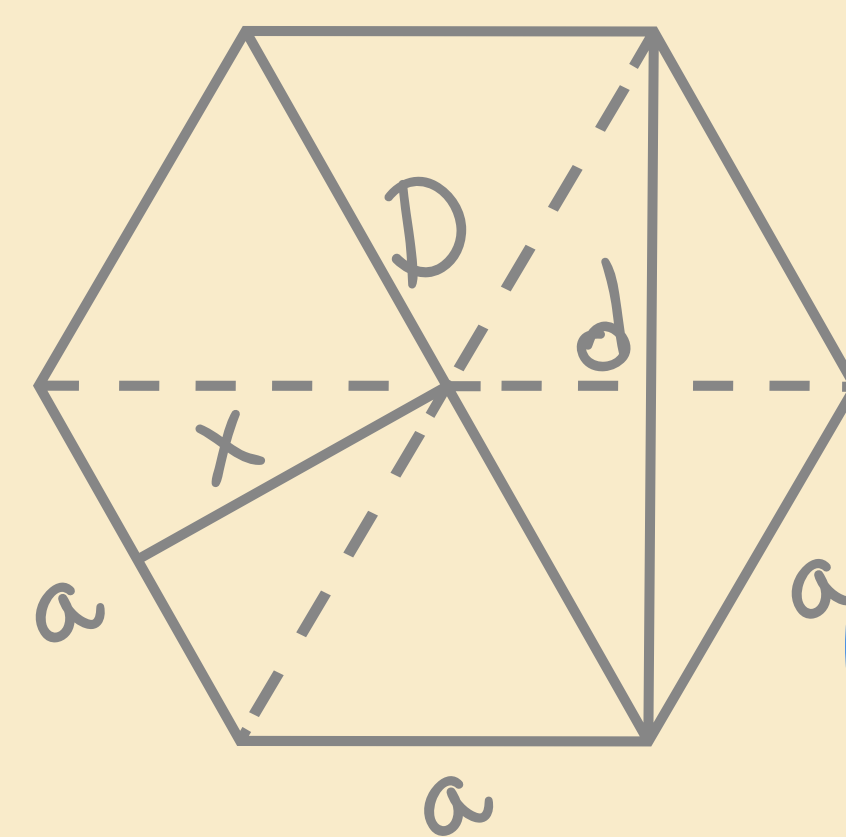


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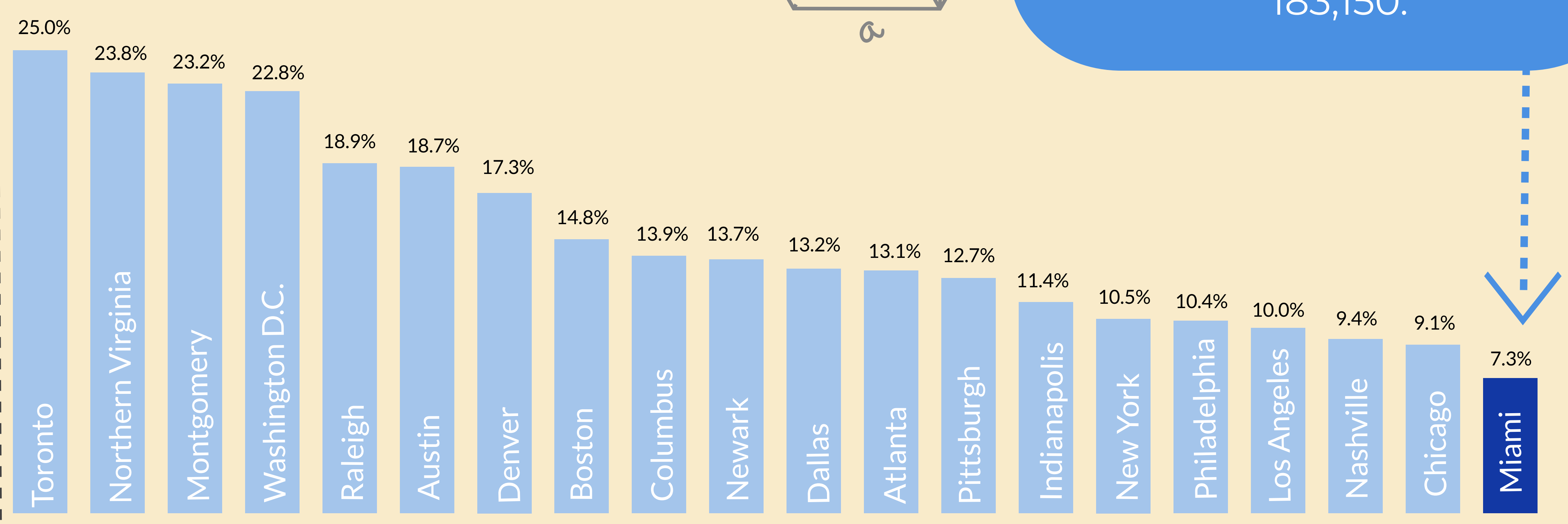


STEM JOBS

STEM careers are in the science, technology, engineering and math sectors. Amazon wants a wide pool of this type of employment.



Toronto has 850,070 STEM jobs, Miami only 183,150.

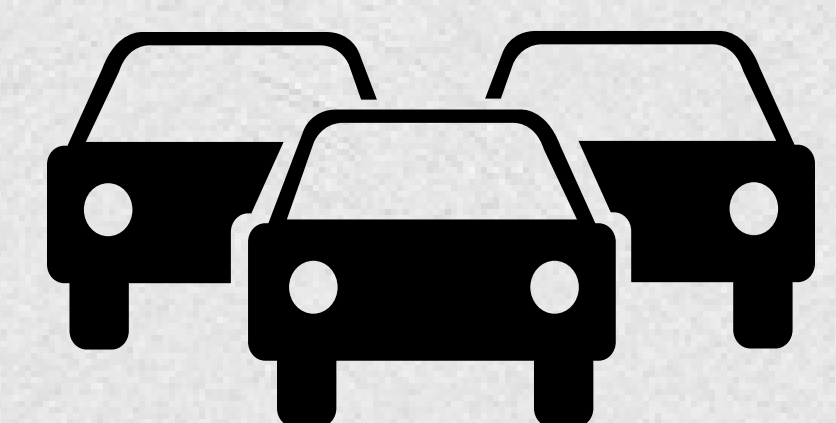


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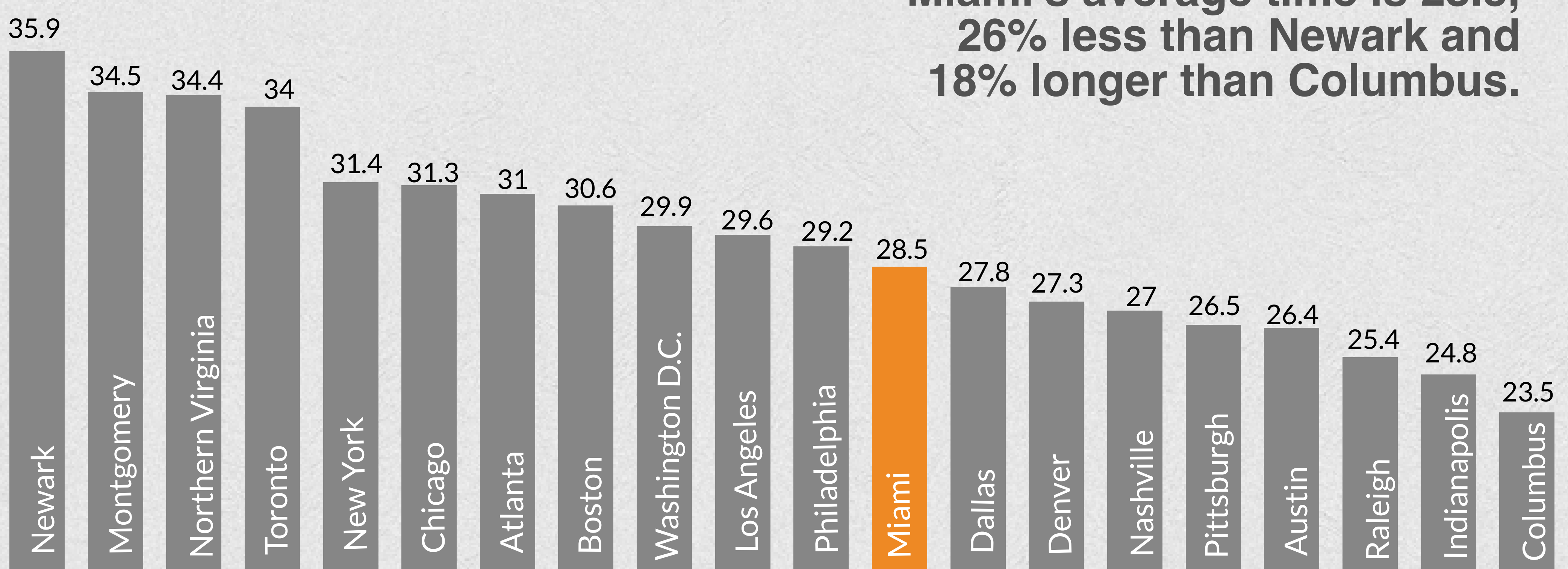
Transit (2016)

Amazon is requesting friendly commute times

Average Commute Time in Minutes



Miami's average time is 28.5, 26% less than Newark and 18% longer than Columbus.



Also needs to have a reliable public transportation system.

Top 10 Finalists by Trips Per Residents

2016

Finalist Cities - Population Totals - Trips Per Resident - Expenses Per Resident FY

| Finalist Cities | Population Totals | Trips Per Resident | Expenses Per Resident FY |
|-------------------|-------------------|--------------------|--------------------------|
| New York | 1,634,989 | 2,265.6 | \$6,833.4 |
| Washington, D.C. | 659,009 | 584.3 | \$2,638.4 |
| Boston | 4,728,844 | 87.0 | \$329.2 |
| Northern Virginia | 6,011,752 | 66.0 | \$306.3 |
| Chicago | 9,528,396 | 64.1 | \$268.2 |
| Philadelphia | 6,047,721 | 62.2 | \$240.8 |
| Los Angeles | 13,189,366 | 48.3 | \$208.6 |
| Denver | 2,752,056 | 37.7 | \$189.9 |
| Pittsburgh | 2,354,926 | 28.8 | \$193.9 |
| Miami | 5,612,722 | 25.5 | \$143.3 |

Cost of Living (2016)

Amazon requested a comparison of housing options.

Cost-Burdened Home Owners

| Rank | City | Percentage |
|------|----------------------------|------------|
| 1 | Los Angeles, California | 44.7% |
| 2 | Miami, Florida | 44.5% |
| 3 | Newark, New Jersey | 40.7% |
| 4 | Chicago, Illinois | 35.4% |
| 5 | Boston, Massachusetts | 32.7% |
| 6 | Philadelphia, Pennsylvania | 32.1% |
| 7 | Montgomery, County | 29.5% |
| 8 | Atlanta, Georgia | 28.6% |
| 9 | Washington, D.C. | 27.7% |
| 10 | Denver, Colorado | 27.6% |



Cost-Burdened Renters

| City | Percentage |
|----------------------------|------------|
| Miami, Florida | 59.1% |
| Los Angeles, California | 56.2% |
| Newark, New Jersey | 49.8% |
| Philadelphia, Pennsylvania | 49.6% |
| Montgomery, County | 49.0% |
| Atlanta, Georgia | 47.8% |
| Denver, Colorado | 47.8% |
| Chicago, Illinois | 47.5% |
| Boston, Massachusetts | 47.1% |
| Austin, Texas | 47.0% |