

# 2024 Virginia Banking Compensation Survey

The Virginia Banking Compensation Survey can help you attract and retain top talent.



# Pearl Meyer's Virginia Banking Compensation Survey

The Virginia Banking Compensation Survey, conducted in partnership with the Virginia Bankers Association, provides the most detailed data on banking compensation and pay practices available today.

Attract, motivate and retain the best talent with access to the metrics and insight you need to create a well-designed compensation program.

### COMPREHENSIVE

- 280+ Positions
- 5,200+ Employees
- Exclusive Insight into Peer Policies & Practices



#### **CREDIBLE**

- 46 Institutions
- \$150M \$44B in assets
- Rigorous quality assurance process



### **CUSTOMIZED**

- Dedicated account manager
- Online tools for easy data submission and analysis



### **COST-EFFECTIVE**

- Free Participation
- Participants save over 50% off the survey report purchase price



The Virginia Banking Compensation Survey provides you with a best-in-class compensation information solution, offering you a rare combination of accuracy and affordability. All elements of the employee pay package are collected and reported giving you the information needed to analyze your competitive position and compensation mix from a total compensation perspective.

### Survey results validate your compensation strategy and enable you to:

- View differences in regional Virginia compensation for each position.
- Analyze compensation trends by asset size.
- Understand what incentives are becoming more widespread.
- Isolate key pieces of data based on your unique needs.





### **COMPREHENSIVE**

You will be assigned a dedicated account manager to walk you through the survey submission process, making it easy to integrate and match your information to our database.

Our account managers have several years of survey experience, ensuring you receive the highest quality of guidance and confidentiality.

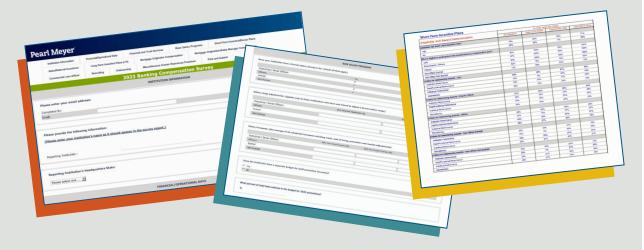
# **Exclusive Insight**

The only inclusive source of insight into what your peers are doing:

- Short- and long-term incentive plan design
- Starting hourly rates for Personal Bankers, Universal Bankers, & Tellers
- Floating Teller pay practices
- Bank & Teller Turnover rates
- Salary Structure adjustment budgets
- Merit increase budgets
- Mortgage Originator average loan production & compensation
- Commercial Loan Officer average loan production & portfolio size



#### **Policies and Practices**





### **Access to Detailed Data**

**46**Participating Institutions



280+
Positions



5,200+ Employees



# Key Data Reported:

- Base Salary
- Short-Term Incentives
- Long-Term Incentives
- Total Cash/Target/Direct Compensation
- Mortgage Originator Compensation
- Commercial Loan OfficerCompensation





### **Job Positions**

#### **Executive Management**

Executive Chairman (Non-CEO)

Chief Executive Officer

**Chief Operating Officer** 

Chief Credit Officer

Chief Financial Officer

Chief Lending Officer

Chief Revenue Officer

Chief Banking Officer

Top Regional Banking Executive

Top Marketing Officer

Chief Administrative Officer

General Counsel

Chief Risk Officer

Top Human Resources Officer

Top Audit Officer

Chief Customer Experience Officer

Chief Information Systems Officer

#### Staff / Administration

Administrative Officer

Assistant to President

Corporate Secretary

**Executive Secretary** 

Sr. Administrative Assistant

Administrative Assistant

General Clerk

Switchboard Operator/Receptionist

Head of DE&I

Human Resources Manager

**Human Resources Generalist** 

**Human Resources Assistant** 

**HRIS Manager** 

**HRIS Administrator** 

Recruiting Manager

Recruiter

**Employee Relations Manager** 

**Employee Relations Specialist** 

Compensation Director/Manager

Sr. Compensation Analyst

**Compensation Analyst** 

Benefits Manager

Benefits Specialist

Payroll Manager

Payroll Specialist/Clerk

Training Officer

**Training Specialist** 

Marketing Manager

**Product Manager** 

Digital Channels Product Manager

Market Researcher

Data Analyst/Specialist

Marketing Specialist/Coordinator

Social Media Specialist

**Purchasing Manager** 

Purchasing Assistant/Clerk

Head of Facilities

Facilities Manager

**Facilities Supervisor** 

Facilities Assistant/Custodian

Risk Manager

Risk Analyst

Sr. Compliance Officer

Compliance Officer

Compliance Specialist

**CRA Officer** 

Management Trainee

**Quality Control Specialist** 

Bank Secrecy Act (BSA) Officer

Bank Secrecy Act (BSA) Analyst

Program/Project Management

#### **Investment / Wealth Management**

Top Wealth Management Executive

Personal Investment Sales Officer

non-commissioned)

Personal Investment Sales Officer

(commissioned)

Private Banking Officer

Financial Planner

Sr. Portfolio Manager

Portfolio Manager

Jr. Portfolio Manager

#### **Finance**

Top Bank Investment Executive

Bank Investment Portfolio Manager

Treasurer

Treasury Operations Manager

Tax Manager

Finance Manager

Sr. Financial Analyst

Financial Analyst

Controller

**Assistant Controller** 

Accounting Manager

Accounting Supervisor

Sr. Staff Accountant

Staff Accountant

Acctg/Bookkeeping Clerk II

Acctg/Bookkeeping Clerk I

**Bookkeeping Generalist** 

#### Audit

Audit Manager

Staff Auditor

**Audit Assistant** 



# Job Positions (continued)

#### **Business Banking**

Top Business Banking Officer Business Banking Business Development Officer

Business Banking Officer
Sr. Business Banking Officer

Community Relations Officer

SBA Loan Manager SBA Loan Officer

SBA Loan Processor II/Closer

SBA Loan Processor I/Closer

SBA Credit Analyst SBA Underwriter

SBA Processing Team Leader

#### **Trust**

Top Trust Executive
Sr. Trust Officer
Trust Officer
Trust Operations Manager
Trust New Business Officer
Trust Administrator
Trust Department Assistant

#### **Operations**

**Head of Operations** 

Head of Cash Management/ Treasury Management

Head of Digital/Electronic Banking

Operations/Services Manager - Centralized

**Group Operations Manager** 

Operations Officer
Operations Supervisor

Utility Representative

Sr. Operations Clerk

**Operations Coordinator** 

Security Officer

Fraud Specialist

Cash Management/Treasury

Management Officer/Manager

Cash Management/

Treasury Management Officer

Cash Management/Treasury Management Representative

Retirement Plans Manager

**IRA Specialist** 

Retirement Plans Coordinator/Clerk

Digital/Electronic Banking Officer

Digital/Electronic Banking Specialist

ATM Supervisor

ATM Coordinator/Clerk

**Document Imaging Coordinator** 

Image Processor

**Proof Operator** 

Wire Transfer Clerk

Mail Clerk/Courier

Courier

#### Retail

Top Retail Banking Officer/Manager Group Branch Administrator Regional Branch Manager

#### **Branch Manager / Retail**

Branch Manager III a

Branch Manager III b

Branch Manager II a

Branch Manager II b

Branch Manager I a

Branch Manager I b

Branch/Sales Center Manager -

New Market

Assistant Branch Manager III

Assistant Branch Manager II

Assistant Branch Manager I

High School Branch Manager

Universal Banker I

Universal Banker II

Universal Banker III

Universal Banker IV

Sr. Personal Banker

Personal Banker

**Head Teller** 

Sr. Teller

Teller - Standard

Vault Teller

Sr. Teller/Customer Service

Representative

Teller/Customer Service

Representative

Interactive Banking Machine (ITM)

Specialist

Retail Sales Manager

Retail Manager/

Customer Service Manager III

Retail Manager/

Customer Service Manager II

Retail Manager/

Customer Service Manager I

Deposit Relationship Manager

Deposit Relationship Officer

Branch Operations Officer/

Supervisor III

Branch Operations Officer/Supervisor II

Branch Operations Officer/Supervisor I

Assistant Branch Operations Officer/

Supervisor

Call Center Manager

Call Center Supervisor

Call Center Specialist

Call Center CSR

Safe Deposit Attendant

#### Lending

Top Residential Mortgage Lending Executive

(non-commissioned)

Residential Mortgage Loan Officer II (non-commissioned)

Residential Mortgage Loan Officer I

Mortgage Loan Officer (commissioned)



### Job Positions (continued)

#### Lending (cont'd)

Mortgage Loan Originator (in-house/non-commissioned)

Mortgage Operations Manager

Mortgage Underwriter/Processor

Mortgage Loan Processor

Mortgage Closing Coordinator

Sr. Underwriter (residential lending)

Underwriter (residential lending)

Top Consumer Lending Executive

Sr. Consumer Loan Officer

Consumer Loan Officer

Consumer Loan Administrator/ Processor

Sr. Loan Processor

Loan Processor

Sr. Mortgage/Consumer Credit Analyst

Mortgage/Consumer Credit Analyst

Jr. Mortgage/Consumer Credit Analyst

Indirect Lending Officer

Sr. Underwriter (commercial/industrial lending)

Sr. Underwriter

(commercial real estate lending)

Sr. Commercial Underwriter Default

Underwriter

(commercial/industrial lending)

Underwriter

(commercial real estate lending)

Underwriter Default

Commercial Underwriting Manager

Regional Commercial Lending Executive

Commercial Team Leader

Sr. Commercial Loan Officer/ Relationship Manager (commercial/industrial)

Sr. Commercial Loan Officer/ Relationship Manager (commercial real estate)

Sr. Commercial Loan Officer/ Relationship Manager Default

Commercial Loan Officer/Relationship

Manager (commercial/industrial)

Commercial Loan Officer/Relationship Manager (commercial real estate)

Commercial Loan Officer/ Relationship Manager Default

Jr. Commercial Loan Officer/ Relationship Manager (commercial/industrial)

Jr. Commercial Loan Officer/ Relationship Manager (commercial real estate)

Jr. Commercial Loan Officer/ Relationship Manager Default

Sr. Commercial Credit Analyst

Commercial Credit Analyst

Sr. Commercial Loan Portfolio Manager

Commercial Loan Portfolio Manager
Jr. Commercial Loan Portfolio Manager

Commercial/Construction Loan Officer

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Sr. Commercial Loan Processor

Commercial Loan Processor

Top Asset-based Lending Commercial Loan Administrator

Commercial Loan Servicer

Sr. Note/Loan Service Department Manager

Note/Loan Service Department Manager

Note/Loan Documentation Officer/ Supervisor

Note/Documentation Specialist

Note/Loan Servicing Clerk

Loan Servicing Officer

Loan Servicing Supervisor

Loan Servicing Clerk

Lending Sales Manager (Business Development/non-commissioned)

**Business Development Officer** 

Loan Review Officer

Loan Review Administrator

Sr. Credit Officer

Credit Officer

Credit Operations Manager

Collections Officer/Manager

Collector II

Collector I

Special Assets Manager

Special Assets Officer

Appraisal Manager

Staff Appraiser

Lending Generalist

Secondary Market Officer

Secondary Market Specialist/

Coordinator

Investor Reporting Specialist

Trade Finance Manager

Trade Finance Assistant

Collateral Valuation Specialist

#### **Technology**

MIS Manager

Systems Officer

IT Manager

Information Security Administrator

Applications Programmer/Analyst

Database Analysis

Technical Program/Project

Management

Core System Manager

Sr. Technology Generalist

Technology Generalist

Network Manager

Network Specialist

**Data Security Officer** 

Systems Analyst

**Business Systems Analyst** 

Information Technology Compliance

Analyst

Online/Mobile Banking Manager

Digital Marketing Manager

Help Desk Specialist

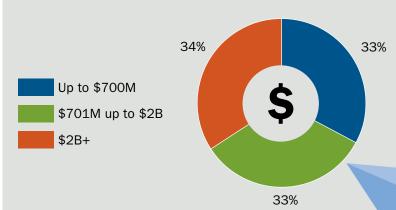
Computer Operator



### CREDIBLE



#### Participant Demographics by Asset Size



#### Who Participates?

Join 46 institutions who rely on our in-depth data to make critical compensation decisions. Change sentence to: Our participants represent financial institutions across Virginia.

> Participants ranged in asset size from \$150 million to over \$44 billion. The report isolates key metrics by size levels for easy analysis.

# 2023 List of Participants (alphabetical order)

American National Bank & Trust Company

Atlantic Union Bank

Bank of Botetourt

Bank of Clarke

Bank of the James

**BCT-Bank of Charles Town** 

Benchmark Bankshares, Inc.

Blue Ridge Bank

Calvin B. Taylor Bank

Carter Bank & Trust

Chain Bridge Bank, NA

Chesapeake Financial Shares, Inc.

Citizens and Farmers Bank

Citizens Bank and Trust Company (VA)

Community Bank of the Chesapeake

Fidelity Bank (NC)

First Bank (VA)

First Carolina Bank

First National Bank

First National Bank (VA)

First Sentinel Bank

Frontier Community Bank

**FVC**bank

Highlands Community Bank

HomeTrust Bank

Legacy Bank

MainStreet Bank (VA)

Metro City Bank

Movement Bank

New Peoples Bank

Oak View National Bank

Pendleton Community Bank

Powell Valley National Bank

Primis Bank

Sandy Spring Bank

Skyline National Bank

The Bank of Marion

The Farmers Bank of Appomattox

The First Bank and Trust Company

The Freedom Bank of Virginia

The National Bank of Blacksburg

Touchstone Bank

TruPoint Bank

VCC Social Enterprises

Virginia National Bank

Virginia Partners Bank

If you are a community bank we strongly encourage your participation to increase the depth of the survey data while gaining insight from institutions of similar headcount, asset size, or Virginia region.



# **CUSTOMIZED**

Looking for a snapshot into the pay practices of your peers? Look no further than our comprehensive and objective compensation report.



### Flexible Report Formats

Survey results are easily downloaded from the Pearl Meyer survey client website and available in PDF and Excel. Data in excel gives you the ability to isolate key data points and identify salary trends.

| Variables   | Excel    | PDF & Excel                           | Variables   | Excel                          | PDF & Excel                    |
|---|----------|---------------------------------------|---|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Number of Institutions  |          | ✓                                     | Average Award Excl \$0 Awards   |                                | ✓ (% <sup>tile</sup> in Excel) |
| Total Number of Incumbents  |          | <b>√</b>                              | Average STI Excl \$0 Awards as % of Base  |                                | √ (% <sup>tile</sup> in Excel) |
| Average Asset Size  |          | · ·                                   | Target Bonus Award, % Base  |                                | ✓ (% <sup>tile</sup> in Excel) |
| Median Asset Size Closeness of Match  |          | V ./                                  | Number of Incumbents Reporting Target Average Total Target Cash Compensation                | ./                             | · ·                            |
| Base Salary:  |          | ·                                     | Total Cash Compensation:  | *                              | ✓ (90 <sup>th</sup> is in      |
| Average Salary Range Min/Mid/Max  |          | ✓                                     | Average Total Cash Compensation   |                                | Excel only)                    |
| Hourly Average Salary Range Min/Mid/Max   | V        |                                       | (25 <sup>th</sup> , 50 <sup>th</sup> , 75 <sup>th</sup> , and 90 <sup>th</sup> Percentiles) |                                |                                |
| Number of Incumbents Non Bonus Eligible   | ✓        |                                       | Long-Term Incentives:   |                                |                                |
| Average Base Salary Non Bonus Eligible  | <b>✓</b> |                                       | Percent Eligible for LTI  |                                | ✓                              |
| Hourly Average Base Salary Non Bonus Eligible   | <b>✓</b> |                                       | Percent Receiving LTI   |                                | ✓                              |
| Number of Incumbents Bonus Eligible   | ✓        |                                       | LTI Award Value All Forms Incl 0  | ✓                              |                                |
| Average Base Salary Bonus Eligible  | ✓        |                                       | LTI Award Value All Forms Excl 0  | √ (% <sup>tile</sup> in Excel) |                                |
| Hourly Average Base Salary Bonus Eligible   | <b>✓</b> |                                       | LTI Value as % of Base Excl 0   | ✓                              |                                |
| Number of Incumbents Public Institutions  |          | ✓                                     | Option Value Excl 0   | ✓                              |                                |
| Average Base Salary Public Institutions   |          | ✓                                     | RS Value Excl 0   | ✓                              |                                |
| Hourly Average Base Salary Public Institutions  | <b>✓</b> |                                       | All Other Value Excl 0  | ✓                              |                                |
| Number of Incumbents Private Institutions   |          | ✓                                     | Total Compensation:   |                                |                                |
| Average Base Salary Private Institutions  |          | ✓                                     | Total Target Compensation   | √ (% <sup>tile</sup> in Excel) |                                |
| Hourly Average Base Salary Private Institutions   | ✓        |                                       | Total Direct Compensation   | √ (% <sup>tile</sup> in Excel) |                                |
| Average Base Salary All Incumbents  |          | √ (90 <sup>th</sup> is in Excel only) | Rewards:  |                                |                                |
| (25 <sup>th</sup> , 50 <sup>th</sup> , 75 <sup>th</sup> , and 90 <sup>th</sup> Percentiles) |          |                                       | Stock Options (ISO and NQSO)  | ✓                              |                                |
| Hourly Average Base Salary All Incumbents   | <b>✓</b> |                                       | Stock Appreciation Rights (SARS)  | ✓                              |                                |
| (25th, 50th, 75th, and 90th Percentiles)  |          |                                       | Restricted Stock Plan   | ✓                              |                                |
| Short-Term Incentives:  |          |                                       | Phantom Synthetic Stock Plan  | ✓                              |                                |
| Percent Eligible for STI  |          | <b>√</b>                              | Cash  | <b>✓</b>                       |                                |
| Percent Receiving STI   |          | ✓                                     | Other Long Term Incentives  | ✓                              |                                |

All of this provides you with the most accurate, affordable, reliable data that you can use to attract and retain your most important, and often most expensive, asset.



# **Survey Dates**

Data Effective Date: April 1, 2024

Data Submission Due Date: May 24, 2024

Survey Results Published: Week of August 12, 2024



### **Contact Us**

To learn more about our Virginia Banking Compensation Survey or to participate, please contact the survey group at **survey@pearlmeyer.com**.

You will be assigned a dedicated account manager who will be available to walk you through the survey submission process, making it easy to integrate and match your information with our database. Our account managers have several years of survey experience, ensuring you the highest level of data quality and integrity.

Your account manager will email you a link to the submission materials, your log-in credentials, and instructions on how to complete and return your survey data.

- To contact us by email: survey@pearlmeyer.com or rhonda.snyder@pearlmeyer.com
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### **Dedicated Team of Account Managers**



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# Why Pearl Meyer Surveys?

### Our Commitment to Quality

We are committed to providing you the highest standard of quality reporting. Our rigorous quality assurance process includes:

- Review of quality assurance reports to help clarify input and identify discrepancies.
- Thorough cross check of data; comparison to previous years' data; and identification of data outliers.

# Secure Data Submission and Confidentiality

The survey is administered using an excel template for the collection of incumbent job data and a secure online questionnaire for policies and practices data. Cyber security is a top priority for all banks, and you can have peace of mind knowing that our secure system ensures that your data will be uploaded into a safe environment and remain confidential.

Concerned about the confidentiality of your data and how it's shared in the survey results report?

- All data is reported in summary form only.
- No data is reported for any job at any level where there are less than four institutions matching.
- No institutions' data will represent more than a 25% weighting for any job.

# You May Also Be Interested In

Pearl Meyer has a suite of banking surveys in addition to our National Banking Survey.

- State Reports
  - Alabama
  - California
  - Florida
  - Georgia
  - New York
  - Massachusetts
  - Virginia
- Regional reports
  - Northeast (MA, RI, CT, ME, VT, NH, and NY)
  - Northern New England (NH, ME, VT)
  - Banks of the Carolinas
  - South Atlantic (AL, VA, NC, SC, GA, and FL)
- National Report (U.S. based)
- Banking Board of Director Survey
- Banking Benefits and Human Resources Policies Survey





# **About Pearl Meyer**

(www.pearlmeyer.com)

Pearl Meyer is the leading advisor to boards and senior management helping organizations build, develop, and reward great leadership teams that drive long-term success. Our strategy-driven compensation and leadership consulting services act as powerful catalysts for value creation and competitive advantage by addressing the critical links between people and outcomes. Our clients stand at the forefront of their industries and range from emerging high-growth, not-for-profit, and private organizations to the Fortune 500.

# About Pearl Meyer's Banking Compensation Consulting (www.pearlmeyer.com/banking)

Pearl Meyer's National Banking Team has in-depth and diverse experience, based on long-term client relationships. We understand the business, regulatory and talent challenges of the industry and the ways in which compensation can play a role.

Our work starts by studying your institution's business strategy, leadership approach, and ownership structure. We take the time to listen to your compensation objectives and desired outcomes. Risk mitigation, regulatory compliance and governance are built into the design process. We use this process with the intent of developing compensation plans that achieve results and create a competitive advantage for your business.

### Pearl Meyer's Banking Survey Suite

(https://pearlmeyer.com/salary-surveys/salary-survey-portfolio/banking)

Pearl Meyer has been managing surveys specific to the banking industry for 25 years. Using the most advanced programming and algorithms to ensure confidentiality and accuracy, the banking survey suite includes the Banking Compensation Survey, the Banking Benefits and Human Resources Policies Survey, and the Banking Board of Directors' Survey.

- **Banking Compensation Survey** data can be obtained in the following ways to offer you the most relevant targeted and industry-wide data:
  - **Single state reports** for Alabama, California, Connecticut, Florida, Georgia, New York, Massachusetts, and Virginia.
  - **Regional report** for the Northeast (that includes, MA, RI, CT, ME, VT, NH, and NY), and a regional report for the Northern New England (that includes NH, ME, VT), the Banks of the Carolinas, and the South Atlantic Region (that includes AL, VA, NC, SC, GA, and FL).
  - National banking report that offers compensation information from banks throughout the country.
- Banking Board of Director Survey provides the most relevant information available on board of directors' compensation and governance practices.
- Banking Benefits and Human Resources Policies Survey is the definitive source for the most current information on benefits programs and human resources policies including PTO programs, health and dental insurance, flexible spending accounts, and short- and long-term disability plans.



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