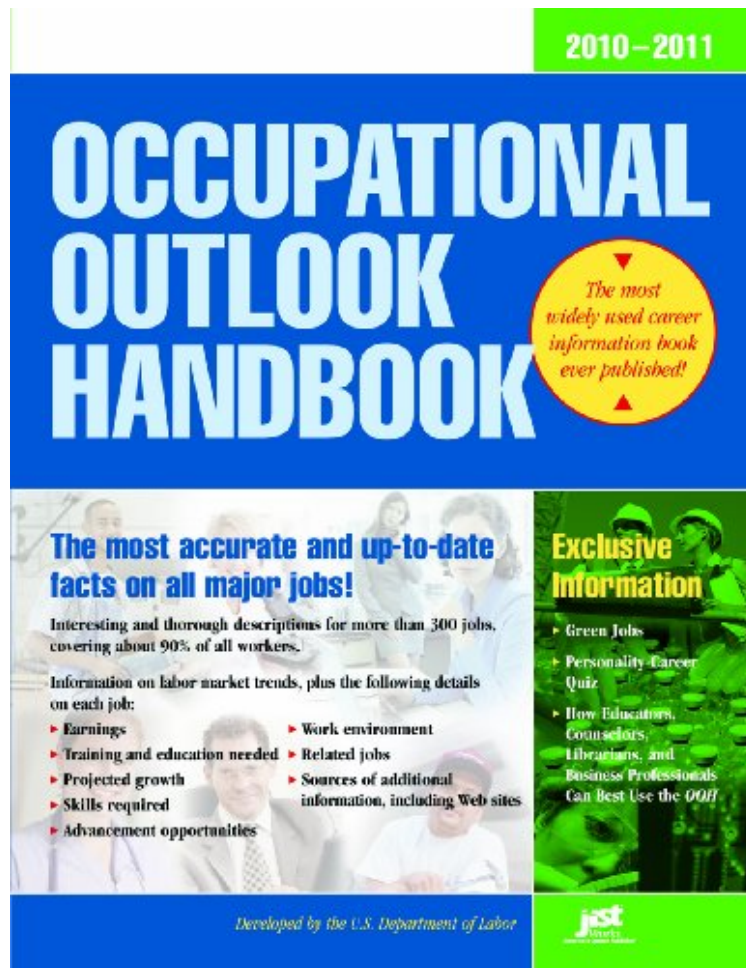


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About the Author The OOH is developed by the U.S. Department of Labor, the most reliable and current source of career information.