## OUTSIDE THE WIRE PROGRAM OVERVIEW

CBT Nuggets is committed to empowering the development of learners - especially those who have served their country. One of the biggest challenges facing many former service members is finding their civilian career. CBT Nuggets started this program in an effort to help service members explore and prepare for careers as in-demand IT professionals.

Participants accepted into the program receive a free six-month Premium subscription to CBT Nuggets, including access to all features and services, such as accountability coaching, transcender practice exams, and entrance into the CBT Nuggets Google+ Study Community.

## **Eligibility**

Any U.S. military service member currently in the process of separation is eligible for consideration for the CBT Nuggets Outside the Wire program. Application forms must be completed and the applicants' veteran status must be verified by SheerID. Veterans may be required to provide further documentation to verify their veteran status, if their status cannot be verified by SheerID. Please allow up to one week for verification of veteran status. Current and former CBT Nuggets subscribers are not eligible for this program.

## Selection

The selection process for the CBT Nuggets Outside the Wire program is based on the following criteria:

- Essays must demonstrate a dedication to selfimprovement and the desire to pursue a career in IT.
- 2. Applications must be complete and applicants must fill out all form fields with valid, accurate, and complete information.
- 3. Service members must submit a 500 to 700-word essay as part of their CBT Nuggets Outside the Wire application. The essay should discuss the candidate's dedication to self-improvement and the desire to pursue a career in IT. Successful essays will be honest and demonstrate that the candidate has investigated career possibilities in the field. A satisfactory essay, in addition to eligibility, is the primary factor in determining a candidate's acceptance into the program.

## **Notification**

Successful applicants will be contacted by CBT Nuggets via email after their application has been reviewed.

