

# WIU School of Computer Sciences

United States Veterans or Military Personnel Entrance Award Application



## Award

- This award is intended for United States Veterans or Military Personnel that will be a new incoming freshman, transfer, or graduate student. This is a \$1,000 award - \$500 awarded in the first semester attended, and \$500 awarded in the second semester attended.

## Criteria

- Must be declared Computer Science, Cyber Security, or Information Systems majors, or as a CS graduate student and be registered for courses appropriate for that major in each semester in which this award is received.
- Minimum one year of active duty service is required, and in the case where the applicant was discharged from the Military, an honorable discharge is required.
- Preference may be given to students with a high ASVAB score or a high college GPA.
- The number of scholarships awarded in each semester will depend on the availability of funds.

## A completed application package includes the following items:

1. The application form completed and signed.
2. A letter of recommendation from a high school teacher, a college or university teacher, a commanding officer, equivalent supervisor, or a suitable high-ranking officer in the United States military sent directly to the School of Computer Sciences at WIU by the reference.
3. An official copy of your academic transcripts from all colleges or universities attended in order to verify your GPA.
4. Veterans must submit a copy of DD214 Member-4.
5. Active duty students must include their ASVAB score.

## Submit the above application and materials to:

- Western Illinois University  
School of Computer Sciences  
1 University Circle, Stipes Hall 447  
Macomb, IL, 61455-1390
- Electronic submissions can be emailed to **C-Science@wiu.edu**. A copy of the signed application form must be included.

## Deadline

- Complete applications received by **April 1** for entrance in the following academic year, will receive full consideration.
- Late applications may be considered at the discretion of the School's Honors and Awards Committee if there are award funds available.

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First Name:	Last Name:	
Street Address:	Street Address 2:	
City:	State:	Zip:
Phone:	Email:	
WIU Email (if known):	WIU ID Number (if known):	
I am a U.S. veteran (honorable discharge)		
I am an active U.S. Military personnel with one or more years of service		

I will be entering as a new:

Freshman student	Transfer student	Graduate Student
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Expected Entrance Semester:

Fall	Spring	Summer	Expected Entrance Year:
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What is your intended major:

Computer Science	Cyber Security	Network Technologies
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Why do you want to major in this area?

If you are a **transfer** or **graduate** student, please list the name(s) of all colleges and universities you have attended.

Please enter you ASVAB score (required) and the results of any other standardized tests.

ASVAB	ACT	SAT	Other
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Letter of Recommendation will be sent by:

Reference Name:	Reference Position:
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*By signing this application, I confirm that the information entered is accurate and true. Also, I understand that I must be enrolled as a full-time student in computer science, cyber security, or information systems in order to receive this award.*

Signature:

Date:

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