

## **Officer Training School – Accelerated Commissioning Program (OTS-ACP) Frequently Asked Questions**

- 1. What is OTS-ACP?** OTS-ACP is a 14-training-day course that gives credit for previous experience and education of SNCOs and accelerates fielding of commissioned officers to their units. OTS-ACP competency-based content is comprised of case studies, guided discussions, mentoring, reflection, and experiential events designed to challenge students and guide the transition from the enlisted to the officer corps.
- 2. Who is eligible for OTS-ACP?** Only prior-service SNCOs (Active, ANG, and AFR E-7 and above) who have completed Senior NCO Academy via distance learning or in-residence are eligible.
- 3. Can I request a waiver for the eligibility requirements?** No. There are no waivers for the minimum eligibility requirements. E-7 selects are not eligible at this time.
- 4. How do I apply for OTS-ACP?** There is no separate application process for OTS-ACP. Active, ANG, and AFR personnel interested in a commission should apply through their normal application procedures. Those who meet eligibility criteria will be automatically considered for OTS-ACP.
- 5. How will I know if I am selected for OTS-ACP?** OTS-ACP selectees will be notified via email with specific class dates and reporting instructions.
- 6. How many OTS-ACP classes will be offered?** Two OTS-ACP classes are currently scheduled as beta tests for Aug 2019 and Oct 2019. Based on the results of these beta tests, additional OTS-ACP courses may be scheduled in FY20.