

## Getting Started

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## Upload Security

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## Submission Materials

### Developer ID

#### Submit Legal Proof of Identity

1. Copy of government issued identification with no information redacted **and**
2. Any of
  - Notarized proof of identity
  - Copy of birth certificate
  - Copy of passport

#### Submit Brief Summary of Relevant Experience

1. Programming skills
2. Previous projects and roles in those projects

Note: We do not warrant developers, and therefore do not offer a “proof of developer” or “developer certification”. However, we require identification for purposes of due diligence, on the way to Code or Deployment Certification.

## Certified Code & Deployment

### Developers must submit

- The crypto-currency specifications (emission schedule, money supply, staking parameters).
- Repository commit identifier or source bundle for the code being certified.

## **Certification Criteria**

### **Certified Code**

#### **Prerequisites**

1. Certified Code must have a Certified Developer.
2. The Certified Developer must state what roles they have in the crypto-coin that is submitted for certification.
3. The Certified Developer must demonstrate exclusive control over the code repository, or all direct contributors to the repository must be Certified Developers.

#### **Codebase Criteria**

1. Certified Code must not reveal evidence of any malicious behavior.
2. Have emission, money supply and staking characteristics that agree with the coin specifications, including no hidden premines or emission anomalies.
3. Be free of obvious security holes or exploits.

### **Certified Deployment**

#### **Prerequisites & Behavior**

1. The deployment executables must be built by the CryptoCertify team.
2. The deployment must be crash-free during live testing.
3. The deployment must meet the coin specifications provided during code certification.
4. The deployment must not show any evidence of malicious activity during testing.