

**From:** Freedom of Information  
**Sent:** 30 October 2020 16:05  
**To:**  
**Subject:** RE: Freedom of Information Response (Our Ref: K/20/413)

Dear

Please accept our apologies for this error. An updated copy of the data is attached.

Yours sincerely

Chloe Wilkins  
Freedom of Information Officer

Secretariat  
University of Leeds

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**From:**  
**Sent:** 30 October 2020 03:08  
**To:** Freedom of Information <[foi@leeds.ac.uk](mailto:foi@leeds.ac.uk)>  
**Subject:** Re: Freedom of Information Response (Our Ref: K/20/413)

Dear Freedom of Information,

Thanks for your reply and I appreciate your work very much.

But could you please add the data regarding amount of application from China?

Yours sincerely,

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**From:** Freedom of Information  
**Sent:** 29 October 2020 16:11  
**To:**  
**Subject:** Freedom of Information Response (Our Ref: K/20/413)

Dear

**Freedom of Information Response (Our Ref: K/20/413)**

Thank you for your Freedom of Information (FOI) request dated 17 October 2020, reference K/20/413.

Your request read:

“I would be very grateful if you can kindly provide following data for 2020/21 admission cycles:  
1. List of all postgraduate taught programmes 2. Numbers of all applications (each specific programme) 3. Numbers of all offers made (each specific programme) 4.

Numbers of Chinese nationality applications (each specific programme) 5. Numbers of Chinese nationality offers made (each specific programme)”

The University of Leeds holds this information.

A list of all post-graduate taught programmes is published on our [Course Search](#) page. The information is therefore exempt from disclosure under section 21 of the FOIA (information reasonably accessible to the applicant).

The information held by the University of Leeds in relation to questions two, three, four and five is disclosed in the attached spreadsheet.

Please note that where the total number in a particular group is less than or equal to five, we are withholding the total figure under section 40(2) of the FOI Act (except where there were no applications).

Section 40(2) sets out that information is exempt from disclosure if it is the personal data of someone other than the person making the request, and disclosure would; contravene the data protection principles; contravene an objection to processing; or if the data is exempt from the right of subject access. We consider that the release of this information would be likely to lead to the identification of individuals and would therefore reveal sensitive information regarding their personal identity. This would be unfair and would therefore breach their data protection rights.

This data was extracted at the end of September 2020. The figures will continue to change, as more applications and offers are made, until postgraduate courses commence in January 2021. It will therefore not be possible for us to provide final figures until the end of January 2021.

We hope this information is helpful. If you have any questions about this email, however, please do not hesitate to contact us on [foi@leeds.ac.uk](mailto:foi@leeds.ac.uk)

If you are unhappy with the service you have received in relation to your request and wish to make a complaint or request a review of our decision, you can request an Internal Review. Requests for Internal Review should be made in writing using the following contact information:

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Requests for Internal Review should be submitted within 40 working days of receiving the University's response to your request. Further information about how the University manages Freedom of Information requests and about our complaints procedure is also available on our website ([www.leeds.ac.uk](http://www.leeds.ac.uk)).

If you are not content with the outcome of the internal review, you have the right to apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision. Generally, the ICO cannot make a decision unless you have exhausted the review/complaints procedure provided by the University. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at: Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF.

Kind regards

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Freedom of Information Officer

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