Freedom of Information Response (Our Ref: K/20/402)

Thank you for your Freedom of Information (FOI) request dated 15 October 2020, reference K/20/402.

Your request read:

1. “Who is responsible for your Windows desktop environment? Name/Role and contact details if available.
2. How many end users do you have across the University, including staff and students?
3. Approx. how many Windows end point devices do you have?
4. Approx. what % are still running on Windows 7?
5. Do you use any other operating systems such as MacOS, ChromeOS or Linux?
6. Approx. how many devices are non-Windows based?
7. Do you still use Java and Internet Explore based applications?
8. Is the University Cyber Essentials Plus accredited?
9. Who is responsible for IT Security? Name / Role and contact details if available.”

The University of Leeds holds some information relevant to your request. For your convenience we have responded to each of your questions in turn below.

1. **Who is responsible for your Windows desktop environment? Name/Role and contact details if available.**

   No single member of staff is responsible for our Windows desktop environment. If you are interested in becoming a supplier to the University, you can find information on how to do so via our Information for Suppliers webpage.

2. **How many end users do you have across the University, including staff and students?**

   As of 30 September 2020, the University employed a total of 9274 members of staff. As of 26 October 2020, a total of 34,270 students were registered at the University. However, this is a provisional figure as some courses have not yet commenced, and as such the final number will be higher.

3. **Approx. how many Windows end point devices do you have?**

   Approximately 21,000
4. Approx. what % are still running on Windows 7?

33%

5. Do you use any other operating systems such as MacOS, ChromeOS or Linux?

The University supports MacOS and Linux. It does not support ChromeOS though we know some of our students use it.

6. Approx. how many devices are non-Windows based?

Approximately 4,000

7. Do you still use Java and Internet Explore based applications?

Yes

8. Is the University Cyber Essentials Plus accredited?

No

9. Who is responsible for IT Security? Name / Role and contact details if available.

No single member of staff is responsible for IT security. If you are interested in becoming a supplier to the University, you can find information on how to do so via our Information for Suppliers webpage.

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

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:

Post: Mr D Wardle  
Deputy Secretary  
The University of Leeds  
Leeds  
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Email: foi@leeds.ac.uk

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).
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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