From: Freedom of Information  
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To:  
Subject: Freedom of Information Response (Our Ref: K/21/142)  

Dear

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Thank you for your Freedom of Information (FOI) request dated 18 March 2021, reference K/21/142.

Your request read:

“1. Is there usually a waiting list for the A100 course?  
2. When is the waiting list created?  
3. How many people were on the waiting list for the 2020 entry and how many received an offer from the waiting list?  
4. When were offers given from the waiting list (roughly)?  
5. Is it first come first serve with the waiting list (in the case of two applicants having the same score and there only been one place available)?  
6. Can an access to Leeds applicant with achieved grades (as in he’s applying during a gap year) be given an offer from the reserve list?”

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

Is there usually a waiting list for the A100 course?
Yes.

When is the waiting list created?
Once the closure date for UCAS decisions has passed for all applicants.

How many people were on the waiting list for the 2020 entry and how many received an offer from the waiting list?
A total of 20 people were on the waiting list for 2020 entry. All 20 received an offer.

When were offers given from the waiting list (roughly)?
On results day.

Is it first come first serve with the waiting list (in the case of two applicants having the same score and there only been one place available)?
Only applicants not holding an offer for medicine that are in the selected ranking are placed on the waiting list (they will be informed via email) – offers on results day will be based on MMI score ranking and dependent on us being able to contact the applicant.

Can an access to Leeds applicant with achieved grades (as in he’s applying during a gap year) be given an offer from the reserve list?
Yes, but they would have to have achieved their standard offer rather than their reduced offer if they have not passed the Access to Leeds module in the past.

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  
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            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.

Yours sincerely

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