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Dear Mr O'Brien

Freedom of information request

Thank you for your email of 6 December 2018 requesting admissions statistics.

The University of Edinburgh is a global university, rooted in Scotland. We are globally recognised for our research, development and innovation and we have provided world-class teaching to our students for more than 425 years. We are the largest university in Scotland and in 2017/18 our annual revenue was £984 million, of which over £279 million was research income. We have over 41,000 students and over 10,200 full-time equivalent staff. We are a founding member of the UK's Russell Group of leading research universities and a member of the League of European Research Universities.

Admissions statistics

You requested the offer rate for BSc Artificial Intelligence and Computer Science for EU and RUK applicants. You requested this information for only those applicants applying with predicted grades.

Applicants with predicted grades are only eligible receive conditional offers. Therefore, I have provided information for conditional offers as a proxy for offers made to applicants with predicted grades. However, a small proportion of the conditional offer holders with EU/EEA fee status would have already met the academic entry requirements, but received a conditional offer based on providing evidence of their English language competency. Table 1 provides the total number of applications, and the number of conditional offers made, to those with EU/EEA fee status for the 2016/17 to 2018/19 admissions cycles. Table 2 provides this information for RUK fee status applicants. You may calculate the offer rate from these figures.

Each admissions cycle data refers to the admissions cycle that concluded at the end of September at the beginning of that academic year, for both immediate entry in the immediate academic year, as well as for deferred entry in the next academic year. For example, the 2016/17 data refers to the admissions cycle that concluded at the end of September 2016 for both immediate entry in the 2016/17 academic year, as well as for deferred entry in the 2017/18 academic year.

Table 1: Applications and conditional offers for EU/EEA fee status applicants to BSc Artificial Intelligence and Computer Science, 2016/17 to 2018/19

Admissions cycle	Applications	Conditional offers
2016/17	76	21
2017/18	89	20
2018/19	145	21

Table 2: Applications and conditional offers for RUK fee status applicants to BSc Artificial Intelligence and Computer Science, 2016/17 to 2018/19

Admissions cycle	Applications	Conditional offers
2016/17	14	8
2017/18	22	15
2018/19	24	15

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Yours sincerely

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