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Dear Robert,

Request for information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 ("the Act")

Further to your recent request for information held by King's College London, I am writing to confirm that some of the requested information is held by the university.

Your request

We received your information request on 4 December 2019 and have treated it as a request for information made under section 1(1) of the Act.

You requested the following information:

The specific course in question is Artificial Intelligence for 2019/2020.

I would like to formally request the statistics concerning those who were accepted. More specifically, I would like to know the average grade achieved in their previous bachelors qualification (or equivalent).

I'd appreciate if you could facilitate this; preferably by means of percentage, though labelled honours classes would also work i.e. 2:1, 1st.

Our response

Please see attached excel document.

Please note the following:

- We do not hold data on average grades. What has been provided, which is the closest we have, is qualification data that the applicant would have manually inputted onto their application.
 - o As qualifications come from a variety of different education systems and at differing levels, they cannot be converted to an applicant's data input into percentages or UK classifications.
 - o the most recent qualification they have inputted has been used.
- Accepted was taken to mean anyone who received an offer for the programme.



This completes the university's response to your information request.

Your right to complain

If you are unhappy with the service, you have received in relation to your information request or feel that it has not been properly handled you have the right to complain or request a review of our decision by contacting the Assistant Director of Business Assurance (Information Compliance) within 60 days of the date of this letter.

Further information about our internal complaints procedure is available at the link below:

http://www.kcl.ac.uk/college/policyzone/assets/files/governance_and_legal/Freedom_of_ Information_Policy_updated_Oct_%202011.pdf

If you are not content with the outcome of your complaint you may apply to the Information Commissioner for a decision. Generally, the Information Commissioner cannot make a decision unless you have exhausted the internal complaints procedure provided by King's College London.

The Information Commissioner can be contacted at the following address:

The Information Commissioner's Office Wycliffe House Water Lane Wilmslow Cheshire SK9 5AF

Yours sincerely

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