



Jordan Taylor
By email

Reference: FOI-2017-612

15 January 2018

Dear Jordan Taylor,

Your request was received on 14 December 2017 and I am dealing with it under the terms of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 ('the Act').

You asked:

I am making a request regarding the statistics for Computer Science (G400) undergraduate applicants in the past three application cycles to Gonville and Caius College.

Could you provide the following information:

- 1) How many and what percentage of applicants for computer science at Gonville and Caius college receive an interview after submitting an application.*
- 2) The average amount of A*s at GCSEs successful applicants have (both the college and the university average)*
- 3) The average maths UMS average of successful applicants provided in the SAQ (both the college and the university average)*

The requested information, insofar as it is held, is attached. Information about interviews is not held; all interview processes for entry to undergraduate degree courses at the University are set and managed locally by each of the individual Colleges, each of which is a separate legal entity and public authority under the Act. Please note that the attached document should not be copied, reproduced or used except in accordance with the law of copyright.

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you are not content with the outcome of your review, you may apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision. Generally, the Information Commissioner cannot make a decision unless you have exhausted the complaints procedure provided by the University. The Information Commissioner may be contacted at: The Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF (<https://ico.org.uk/>).

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'James Knapton'.

James Knapton

Request	Data	- The average amount of A*s at GCSEs successful applicants have (both the college and the university average) - 3) The average maths UMS average of successful applicants provided in the SAQ (both the college and the university average)
	By	Jordan Taylor
	On	Thursday, 14 December, 2017

Notes	Application Year	Figures are grouped by UCAS application year. The 2017 application year ran from applications opening in September 2016 to Confirmation in August 2017.
	GCSE	GCSE qualification information is supplied as declared by applicants through their UCAS application.
	UMS	A Levels in England are currently undergoing a period of significant reform. Many applicants applying from October 2016 onwards will be following linear, rather than modular, A level syllabuses meaning that UMS is no longer available in a number of subjects. UMS and SUMS data provided in this request is as supplied by the applicant at the point of entry, but may also include linear marks incorrectly presented as such.

Course	College	Average of	2015 Apply Year	2016 Apply Year	2017 Apply Year
Computer Science (G400)	Gonville & Caius	GCSE A* Count	5.9	6.4	7.2
		Maths UMS	95.5	95.9	97.2
	All*	GCSE A* Count	5.4	5.7	5.1
		Maths UMS	95.2	95.5	95.4

*'All Colleges' includes the four Mature Colleges. Inclusion of figures from these Colleges in particular will reduce the overall GCSE and UMS averages due to very few applicants to these Colleges that have declared A Level qualifications as part of the application process.