



Emma Stewart  
By email

Reference: FOI-2021-277

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Dear Ms Stewart,

Your request was received on 25 March 2021 and I am dealing with it under the terms of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 ('the Act').

You asked:

*Could you please provide the following admission statistics for the year 2016-17, 2017-18, 2018-19, 2019-20, and 2020-21 for MPhil in Innovation, Strategy, and Organisation at the University of Cambridge?*

- 1) Number of students who have applied*
- 2) Median and mean score of both GRE and GMAT of successful and unsuccessful applicants (shown separately)*
- 3) Undergraduate grade (GPA) or degree class of successful and unsuccessful applicants (shown separately)*
- 4) Number of students who have been offered a place*
- 5) Number of students who have accepted their offer*
- 6) Median and mean score of both GRE and GMAT of successful applicants (those who have been offered a place)*
- 7) Universities from which successful applicants (those who have been offered a place) have gained their undergraduate degree*
- 8) Undergraduate grade (GPA) or degree class of those who have been offered a place*

We do not hold information to answer questions 2 and 6. The other information is attached. The University has not supplied the degree class/grade of each applicant/offer-holder because, coupled with the other information, it believes that individuals could be identified as a result. In presenting the information in this way, the University is engaging the exemption at section 40(3A)(a) of the Act because release in the precise format requested would breach the first data protection principle (the

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Yours sincerely,

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