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Dear Sir/Madam,

I write to respond to your recent Freedom of Information request

Request - 4 May 2015

I would like to request some information regarding the 2015/2016 A100 Medicine admissions cycle. Please see the questions below.

1. For each applicant who was given an offer following the interview, can I get a list of their UKCAT score, their GCSEs, predicted A Level results, interview score per station, overall interview score and any other score if used? Please provide this information in one report.

2. For each applicant who was unsuccessful following the interview, can I get a list of their UKCAT score, their GCSEs, predicted A Level results, interview score per station, overall interview score and any other score if used? Please provide this information in one report.

I understand that the MMI stations cannot be named but they can be numbered instead. I would like to have this data presented as a spreadsheet if possible.

3. As well as the interview score, what other aspect(s) of the UCAS application (i.e. UKCAT score, GCSE grades, A Level grades) are used to select candidates to give offers to, post-interview? How are these aspect(s) weighted alongside the interview score (i.e. 50/50 weighting)?

4. Was there any other grading/scoring system used alongside the interview score (i.e. extra points awarded for UKCAT score, GCSE, A Level grades, personal statement) when selecting successful candidates post-interview?

5. If this system was used, were all candidates assessed based on the sum of their interview score plus other score (i.e. UKCAT score, GCSE, A Levels) or was there an interview score threshold where only candidates who pass this threshold will have their other aspect(s) of their application considered alongside their interview scores (and those who did not pass the threshold become unsuccessful)?

Response

We cannot provide this data at this time. SGUL is still only two thirds of the way through the admissions cycle for 2015-2016. We suggest that you resubmit your request in September 2015 when the data will be fully collated.

If you are unhappy with the way in which your request has been handled, it is open to you to appeal in writing to the University Secretary and Director of Academic Administration and Quality:

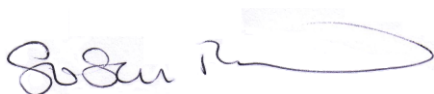
Mrs Sophie Bowen
University Secretary and Director of Academic Administration and Quality
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The Information Commissioner has authority and responsibility under the Freedom of Information Act and you can contact the Information Commissioner's Office by email at data@dataprotection.gov.uk, or at the following address:

Information Commissioner's Office
Wycliffe House
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For more information see the Information Commissioner's Office website at http://ico.org.uk/what_we_cover/legislation.

Yours faithfully,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Susan Trubshaw', with a large, sweeping flourish at the end.

Susan Trubshaw
Head of Governance, Legal and Assurance Services

On behalf of Sheila Durkin, Governance Manager