



Graduate Admissions Office Statistics

Admissions for 2018/19



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Notes

1. These statistics refer to applications for admission in the academic year 2018/19, as of 29 May 2019.
Only courses for which admission is offered through the Graduate Admissions Office are included in this report (see the list in the table a Note 5 below). For application data on other University of Cambridge graduate courses please contact the relevant admitting authority:
Institute of Continuing Education (**Master of Studies**)
www.ice.cam.ac.uk/
Judge Business School (**MBA, Executive MBA, Master of Accounting and Master of Finance**)
www.jbs.cam.ac.uk/
Faculty of Education (**PGCE**)
www.educ.cam.ac.uk/
Statistics on general student numbers can be found here:
<https://www.prao.admin.cam.ac.uk/data-analysis-planning>
2. The 2018-19 application cycle includes admission to Michaelmas Term 2018, Lent Term 2019 and Easter Term 2019. The cycle closed on 21 May 2019. Further information on the University's term dates can be found here: <https://www.cam.ac.uk/about-the-university/term-dates-and-calendars>
3. Confirmation figures show those applicants who satisfied all of their conditions set out in the offer stage, and who then subsequently registered and took up their places on the course. Applicants who were confirmed but subsequently did not take up their University place are excluded.¹
4. Home/EU/Overseas fee status is defined only at the point of offer as this classification is dependent on a variety of factors that require independent assessment based on the [UKCISA guidelines](#). For the purpose of estimating numbers of applicants within fee status categories who did not receive an offer, the fee status has been assessed based on primary citizenship only. Applicants with islands or refugee fee status have been included for this broad reporting purpose as Overseas.
5. Programmes are categorised by HESA definition as follows (including their programme code):

Research	Taught
Certificate of Postgraduate Studies (CPGS)	Advanced Diploma (ADL6)
Doctor of Business (BUSD)	Diploma in Theology and Religious Studies (DTRS)
Doctor of Education (EDD)	Graduate Diploma (GRDIP) ²
Doctor of Engineering (ENGD)	Master of Advanced Study (MAST)
Doctor of Medicine (MD)	Master of Corporate Law (MCL)
Doctor of Veterinary Medicine (VMD)	Master in Law (LLM)
Graduate Diploma (GRDIP) ²	Master of Music (MMUS)
Master of Education (MED)	Master of Philosophy (MPHIL) ²
Masters of Letters (MLITT)	Postgraduate Diploma (PGDIP)
Master of Philosophy (MPHIL) ²	
Masters of Research (MRES)	
Not To Be Registered programme (NTBR)	
PhD Probationary (NOTAF)	

¹ As of 29 May 2019 there were 79 applicants confirmed for admission who did not subsequently arrive at the start of term.

² Under HESA definition, Master of Philosophy and Graduate Diploma courses can either be research or taught.

Summary

The data has been prepared by Graduate Admissions Office for the Board of Graduate Studies (BGS) and Post-Graduate Admissions Committee (PAC) and are intended to provide a statistical analysis of applications, offers and confirmations³

Table 1.1	<p>Applications, offers and confirmations by School and Fee Status</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The total number of applications is 22,867 (<i>21,776</i>)⁴, a 5.0% increase. • The total number of conditional offers is 7,060 (<i>6,844</i>), a 3.2% increase. • The total number of confirmation is 3,919 (<i>3,801</i>), a 3.1% increase. • The research programmes to taught programmes application ratio approximately 5:6 • By Fee Status⁵ (percentage of total applications): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Applications: Overseas: 14,071 (61.5%), Home: 4,899 (21.4%), EU: 3,897 (17.0%) ○ Offers: Overseas: 3,699 (52.4%), Home: 1,945 (27.6%), EU: 1,146 (20.1%) ○ Confirmations: Overseas: 1,741 (44.4%), Home: 1,312 (33.5%), EU: 866 (22.1%)
Table 1.2	<p>Percentage of total applications by School:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Humanities & Social Sciences: 37.7% • Technology: 18.7% • Physical Sciences: 14.7% • Clinical Medicine: 10.5% • Arts & Humanities: 10.4% • Biological Sciences: 6.7% • University Partner Institutions: 1.3%
Table 1.3-1.5	<p>Applications and Confirmations by Citizenship</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The largest number of applications came from UK citizens (by primary citizenship only), followed by American and Chinese citizens • The top 25 citizenships made up 84.6% of total applications • UK citizens⁶ alone made up 22.5% of total applications.
Table 1.7	<p>Applications, offers and confirmations for continuing students</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1,227 applicants applied to continue their graduate studies. This is 19.4% more than the previous year. • 59.3% received conditional offers and 53.9% of those were confirmed.
Table 2.1-2.3	<p>Applicants by Gender, Disability and Ethnicity</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 46.5% of applications were from females – up 0.7% on the previous year • 46.8% of total offers were to females – up 1.6% on the previous year • 47.2% of total confirmations were female – up 0.8% on the previous year • 7.1% of applicants declared a disability. • 54.9% of applicants declared non-white ethnicity. • 23.7% of UK citizen applicants⁶ declared non-white ethnicity.

³ Applications withdrawn within the terms of the 14 day cancellation policy are excluded from these statistics.

⁴ Figures in Italics are for Graduate Admission in 2017/2018.

⁵ See Note 7 on page 7 - Fee Status classification.

⁶ Those applicants with the UK listed as their primary or secondary citizenship.

Admissions data by School and Fee Status

Table 1.1 Applications, Offers and Confirmations by School and Fee Status for 2018/19 admission

School	Applications				Offers				Confirmations			
	Home	EU	Overseas	Total	Home	EU	Overseas	Total	Home	EU	Overseas	Total
Research												
Arts & Humanities	375	215	751	1,341	162	91	215	468	82	45	98	225
Biological Science	465	294	658	1,417	137	82	181	400	102	53	81	236
Clinical Medicine	644	363	806	1,813	112	60	118	290	101	47	71	219
Humanities & Social Sciences	486	285	1,132	1,903	332	135	329	796	223	74	154	451
Physical Sciences	564	417	970	1,951	211	152	263	626	144	98	121	363
Technology	198	228	998	1,424	107	108	258	473	76	68	125	269
University Partner Institution	103	78	117	298	16	20	18	54	16	18	13	47
Sub-total	2,835	1,880	5,432	10,147	1,077	648	1,382	3,107	744	403	663	1,810
% of sub-total	27.9%	18.5%	53.5%	-	34.7%	20.9%	44.5%	-	41.1%	22.3%	36.6%	-
Taught												
Arts & Humanities	342	140	563	1,045	228	78	225	531	155	61	108	324
Biological Science	22	20	79	121	1	1	9	11	1	0	4	5
Clinical Medicine	65	36	476	577	30	16	67	113	28	14	35	77
Humanities & Social Sciences	1,110	1,002	4,610	6,722	476	375	1,402	2,253	308	209	632	1,149
Physical Sciences	200	319	881	1,400	58	155	269	482	35	91	121	247
Technology	325	500	2,030	2,855	75	143	345	563	41	88	178	307
Sub-total	2,064	2,017	8,639	12,720	868	768	2,317	3,953	568	463	1,078	2,109
% of sub-total	16.2%	15.9%	67.9%	-	22.0%	19.4%	58.6%	-	26.9%	22.0%	51.1%	-
Total	4,899	3,897	14,071	22,867	1,945	1,416	3,699	7,060	1,312	866	1,741	3,919
% of Total	21.4%	17.0%	61.5%	-	27.5%	20.1%	52.4%	-	33.5%	22.1%	44.4%	-

More detailed information on Applications and Confirmations by Departments or Faculties can be found in [Appendix 1](#).

Success Rates in by School and HESA definition

Table 1.2 Success rate of Applications to Offers and Offers to Confirmations by Research and Taught definition for 2018/19 admission

School	Applications to Offers		Offers to Confirmations	
	Research	Taught	Research	Taught
Arts & Humanities	34.9%	50.8%	48.1%	61.0%
Biological Science	28.2%	9.1%	59.0%	45.5%
Clinical Medicine	16.0%	19.6%	75.5%	68.1%
Humanities & Social Sciences	41.8%	33.5%	56.7%	51.0%
Physical Sciences	32.1%	34.4%	58.0%	51.2%
Technology	33.2%	19.7%	56.9%	54.5%
University Partner Institution	18.1%	-	87.0%	-
Total	30.6%	31.1%	58.3%	53.4%
Total	30.9%		55.5%	

Admissions data by Citizenship

Table 1.3 Applications, Offers and Confirmations by declared citizenship⁷ for 2018/19 admission

Country [previous year ranking]		Applications		Offers		Confirmations		Success Rates			
		Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Applications to Offers	% change from 17/18	Offers to Confirmations	% change from 17/18
1 [1]	United Kingdom	4,926	21.5%	1,973	27.9%	1,323	33.8%	40.1%	-4.1%	67.1%	-2.8%
2 [2]	China	3,465	15.2%	670	9.5%	364	9.3%	19.3%	0.2%	54.3%	1.2%
3 [3]	United States	2,194	9.6%	1,031	14.6%	446	11.4%	47.0%	-0.1%	43.3%	-1.2%
4 [4]	India	1,321	5.8%	277	3.9%	133	3.4%	21.0%	0.5%	48.0%	6.6%
5 [5]	Germany	706	3.1%	339	4.8%	212	5.4%	48.0%	1.7%	62.5%	6.3%
6 [6]	Italy	498	2.2%	178	2.5%	95	2.4%	35.7%	-3.4%	53.4%	3.9%
7 [7]	Canada	479	2.1%	190	2.7%	94	2.4%	39.7%	0.6%	49.5%	8.6%
8 [9]	France	422	1.8%	144	2.0%	83	2.1%	34.1%	1.1%	57.6%	0.8%
9 [8]	Nigeria	341	1.5%	38	0.5%	15	0.4%	11.1%	2.7%	39.5%	-0.5%
10 [11]	Australia	338	1.5%	153	2.2%	82	2.1%	45.3%	-7.0%	53.6%	10.4%
11 [14]	Greece	294	1.3%	82	1.2%	51	1.3%	27.9%	-8.8%	62.2%	-8.1%
12 [13]	Pakistan	293	1.3%	47	0.7%	14	0.4%	16.0%	0.4%	29.8%	-4.3%
13 [15]	Hong Kong	278	1.2%	76	1.1%	39	1.0%	27.3%	-0.9%	51.3%	-11.7%
14 [10]	Singapore	258	1.1%	98	1.4%	47	1.2%	38.0%	-3.0%	48.0%	5.0%
15 [17]	Spain	245	1.1%	78	1.1%	46	1.2%	31.8%	-7.4%	59.0%	2.8%
16 [12]	Kenya	227	1.0%	15	0.2%	5	0.1%	6.6%	-1.8%	33.3%	-12.5%
17 [23]	Ireland	218	1.0%	84	1.2%	52	1.3%	38.5%	-11.5%	61.9%	0.4%
18 [16]	Korea, Republic of	212	0.9%	57	0.8%	26	0.7%	26.9%	3.4%	45.6%	-14.0%
19 [19]	Malaysia	210	0.9%	60	0.8%	35	0.9%	28.6%	-1.1%	58.3%	8.3%
20 [21]	Netherlands	201	0.9%	78	1.1%	45	1.1%	38.8%	-10.9%	57.7%	-7.3%
21 [22]	Ghana	200	0.9%	32	0.5%	8	0.2%	16.0%	2.0%	25.0%	1.9%
22 [20]	Poland	192	0.8%	57	0.8%	36	0.9%	29.7%	-4.0%	63.2%	-5.5%
23 [24]	Egypt	170	0.7%	28	0.4%	12	0.3%	16.5%	2.3%	42.9%	-5.1%
24 [25]	South Africa	166	0.7%	69	1.0%	38	1.0%	41.6%	6.9%	55.1%	-7.6%
25 [-]	Taiwan	155	0.7%	30	0.4%	15	0.4%	19.4%	19.4%	50.0%	50.0%
Rest of EU		1,143	5.0%	390	5.5%	239	6.1%	34.1%	-3.4%	61.3%	0.9%
Other Overseas		3,715	16.2%	786	11.1%	364	9.3%	21.2%	2.0%	46.3%	2.2%
Total		22,867		7,060		3,919		30.9%		55.5%	

⁷ Figures based on declared primary citizenship only.

Table 1.4 Total Offers by Top 25 Citizenship⁷ in descending order | Table 1.5 Total Confirmations by Top 25 Citizenship⁷ in descending order

Country	Offers	% of Total Offers
1 United Kingdom	1973	27.9%
2 United States	1031	14.6%
3 China	670	9.5%
4 Germany	339	4.8%
5 India	277	3.9%
6 Canada	190	2.7%
7 Italy	178	2.5%
8 Australia	153	2.2%
9 France	144	2.0%
10 Singapore	98	1.4%
11 Ireland	84	1.2%
12 Greece	82	1.2%
13 Spain	78	1.1%
14 Netherlands	78	1.1%
15 Hong Kong	76	1.1%
16 South Africa	69	1.0%
17 Malaysia	60	0.9%
18 Korea, Republic of	57	0.8%
19 Poland	57	0.8%
20 Mexico	54	0.7%
21 New Zealand	50	0.7%
22 Austria	47	0.7%
23 Pakistan	47	0.7%
24 Russian Federation	41	0.6%
25 Nigeria	38	0.5%
Other Overseas	746	10.6%
Rest of EU	343	4.9%
Total	7,060	

Country	Confirmations	% of Total Confirmations
1 United Kingdom	1,323	33.8%
2 United States	446	11.4%
3 China	364	9.3%
4 Germany	212	5.4%
5 India	133	3.4%
6 Italy	95	2.4%
7 Canada	94	2.4%
8 France	83	2.1%
9 Australia	82	2.1%
10 Ireland	52	1.3%
11 Greece	51	1.3%
12 Singapore	47	1.2%
13 Spain	46	1.2%
14 Netherlands	45	1.2%
15 Hong Kong	39	1.0%
16 South Africa	38	1.0%
17 Poland	36	0.9%
18 Malaysia	35	0.9%
19 Austria	27	0.7%
20 Korea, Republic of	26	0.7%
21 Portugal	26	0.7%
22 Mexico	25	0.6%
23 New Zealand	25	0.6%
24 Switzerland	22	0.6%
25 Belgium	21	0.5%
Other Overseas	361	9.2%
Rest of EU	165	4.2%
Total	3,919	

⁷ Figures based on declared primary citizenship only.

Admissions data for Part-Time Studies

Table 1.6 Applications, Offers, and Confirmations for Part-time Studies for 2018/19 admission

School	Applications	Offers	Success Rates	Confirmations	Success Rates
			Applications to Offers		Offers to Confirmations
Arts & Humanities	39	14	35.9%	10	71.4%
Biological Science	10	2	20.0%	2	100.0%
Clinical Medicine	41	17	41.5%	17	100.0%
Humanities & Social Sciences	298	207	69.5%	173	83.6%
Physical Sciences	3	2	66.7%	2	100.0%
Technology	8	4	50.0%	4	100.0%
University Partner Institution	1	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Total	400	246	61.5%	208	84.6%

The total number of part time applicants is down 5.4% from the previous academic year and the number of confirmations has decreased by 5.5%.

Admissions data for continuing students⁸

Table 1.7 Applications, Offers, and Confirmations for continuing students for 2018/19 admission

Schools	Applications	Offers	Success Rates	Confirmations	Success Rates
			Applications to Offers		Offers to Confirmations
Arts & Humanities	203	166	81.8%	91	54.8%
Biological Science	100	47	47.0%	24	51.1%
Clinical Medicine	99	25	25.3%	17	68.0%
Humanities & Social Sciences	440	315	71.6%	152	48.3%
Physical Sciences	221	103	46.6%	66	64.1%
Technology	154	70	45.5%	40	57.1%
University Partner Institution	10	2	20.0%	2	100.0%
Total	1,227	728	59.3%	392	53.9%

The total number of students choosing to continue their graduate studies at Cambridge has risen by 19.4% on the previous academic year. The success rate for getting a conditional offer has fallen by 3.7%.

⁸ A continuing student is an applicant who is currently, or has previously been, registered as a graduate student at Cambridge on a PhD, MPhil, MRes, MSt, MAST, LLM, MCL, MMus, MEd, or Graduate Diploma and is continuing on to further graduate study.

Admissions data by Gender

Table 2.1 Applications, Offers and Confirmations by Gender for 2018/19 admission⁹

Schools	Applications			Offers			Success Rates Applications to Offers	
	Female	Male	Total	Female	Male	Total	Female	Male
Arts & Humanities	1,325	1,060	2,385	511	487	998	38.6%	45.9%
Biological Science	854	684	1,538	238	173	411	27.9%	25.3%
Clinical Medicine	1,364	1,026	2,390	239	164	403	17.5%	16.0%
Humanities & Social Sciences	4,588	4,037	8,625	1,653	1,396	3,049	36.0%	34.6%
Physical Sciences	1,009	2,342	3,351	309	799	1,108	30.6%	34.1%
Technology	1,335	2,943	4,278	323	713	1,036	24.2%	24.2%
University Partner Institution	161	137	298	29	25	54	18.0%	18.3%
Total	10,636	12,229	22,865	3,302	3,757	7,059	31.1%	30.7%

Schools	Confirmations			Success Rates Offers to Confirmations	
	Female	Male	Total	Female	Male
Arts & Humanities	277	271	548	54.2%	55.7%
Biological Science	141	100	241	59.2%	57.8%
Clinical Medicine	169	127	296	70.7%	77.4%
Humanities & Social Sciences	885	715	1,600	53.6%	51.2%
Physical Sciences	180	430	610	58.2%	53.8%
Technology	173	403	576	53.6%	56.5%
University Partner Institution	24	23	47	82.8%	92.0%
Total	1,849	2,069	3,918	56.0%	55.1%

⁹ These numbers exclude applicants who listed their gender as 'other' or 'unknown'.

Admissions data by Disability

Table 2.2 Applications, Offers and Confirmations by Disability for 2018/19 admission

					Success Rates			
Disability	Applications	% of applications	Offers	% of Offers	Applications to Offers	Confirmations	% of confirmations	Offers to Confirmations
A disability, impairment or medical condition that is not otherwise listed	166	0.7%	59	0.8%	35.5%	33	0.8%	55.9%
A long standing illness or health condition such as cancer, HIV, diabetes, chronic heart disease, or epilepsy	183	0.8%	60	0.9%	32.8%	40	1.0%	66.7%
A mental health condition, such as depression, schizophrenia or anxiety disorder	499	2.2%	191	2.7%	38.3%	111	2.8%	58.1%
A physical impairment or mobility issues, such as difficulty using arms or using a wheelchair or crutches	43	0.2%	21	0.3%	48.8%	11	0.3%	52.4%
A social/communication impairment such as Asperger's syndrome/other autistic spectrum disorder	74	0.3%	24	0.3%	32.4%	13	0.3%	54.2%
A specific learning difficulty such as dyslexia, dyspraxia or AD(H)D	492	2.2%	186	2.6%	37.8%	117	3.0%	62.9%
Blind or a serious visual impairment uncorrected by glasses	22	0.1%	8	0.1%	36.4%	7	0.1%	87.5%
Deaf or a serious hearing impairment	12	0.1%	2	0.0%	16.7%	1	0.0%	50.0%
Two or more impairments and/or disabling medical conditions	127	0.6%	44	0.6%	34.7%	28	0.7%	63.6%
Information refused	172	0.8%	85	1.2%	49.4%	60	1.5%	70.6%
Not known	118	0.5%	15	0.2%	12.7%	0	0.0%	0.0%
No known disability	20959	91.7%	6365	90.2%	30.4%	3498	89.3%	55.0%
Total	22,867		7,060		30.9%	3,919		55.5%

Applications and Confirmations by Ethnicity

Table 2.3 Applications, Offers and Confirmations by Ethnicity for 2018/19 admission

					Success Rates	Success Rates			Success Rates	Success Rates
	Applications	Of those, UK citizens*	Offers	Of those, UK citizens*	Applications to Offers (all)	Applications to Offers (UK)	Confirmations	Of those, UK citizens*	Offers to Confirmations (all)	Offers to Confirmations (UK)
Arab	721	42	100	7	13.9%	16.7%	46	5	46.0%	71.4%
Asian or Asian British - Bangladeshi	147	32	22	5	15.0%	15.6%	11	2	50.0%	40.0%
Asian or Asian British - Indian	1,763	235	422	60	23.9%	25.5%	201	37	47.6%	61.7%
Asian or Asian British - Pakistani	441	106	83	23	18.8%	21.7%	36	16	43.4%	69.6%
Black or Black British - African	1,477	129	173	28	11.7%	21.7%	81	21	46.8%	75.0%
Black or Black British - Caribbean	94	20	24	6	25.5%	30.0%	12	4	50.0%	66.7%
Chinese	4,575	193	1,023	53	22.4%	27.5%	547	34	53.5%	64.2%
Gypsy or Traveller	2	1	2	1	100.0%	100.0%	0	0	0.0%	0.0%
Mixed - White and Black African	85	15	20	7	23.5%	46.7%	9	4	45.0%	57.1%
Mixed - White and Black Caribbean	52	24	13	8	25.0%	33.3%	6	5	46.2%	62.5%
Mixed - White and Asian	354	148	124	55	35.0%	37.2%	72	34	58.1%	61.8%
Other Asian background	1,434	111	393	35	27.4%	31.5%	186	27	47.3%	77.1%
Other Black background	305	2	25	0	8.2%	0.0%	12	0	48.0%	0.0%
Other Mixed background	675	104	227	42	33.6%	40.4%	114	30	50.2%	71.4%
Other Ethnic background	439	59	127	19	28.9%	32.2%	68	14	53.5%	73.7%
White	9,877	3,831	4,101	1,678	41.5%	43.8%	2,409	1,111	58.7%	66.2%
Information Refused	310	83	161	48	51.9%	57.8%	106	32	65.8%	66.7%
Not known	116	12	20	3	17.2%	25.0%	3	1	15.0%	33.3%
Total	22,867	5,147	7,060	2,078	30.9%	40.4%	3,919	1,377	55.5%	66.3%

¹⁰Applicants who declared UK as either their primary or secondary citizenship.

Admissions data by College membership¹¹

Table 3.1 College Membership distribution for 2018/19 admission

College	Research	Taught	Total
Christ's College	45	49	94
Churchill College	91	50	141
Clare College	48	59	107
Clare Hall	48	74	122
Corpus Christi College	62	36	98
Darwin College	117	117	234
Downing College	69	50	119
Emmanuel College	39	42	81
Fitzwilliam College	57	82	139
Girton College	51	101	152
Gonville and Caius College	54	44	98
Homerton College	117	64	181
Hughes Hall	93	176	269
Jesus College	81	90	171
King's College	56	28	84
Lucy Cavendish College	49	90	139
Magdalene College	32	46	78
Murray Edwards College	31	63	94
Newnham College	48	53	101
Pembroke College	50	41	91
Peterhouse	40	24	64
Queens' College	53	88	141
Robinson College	27	37	64
Selwyn College	30	35	65
Sidney Sussex College	43	40	83
St Catharine's College	46	57	103
St Edmund's College	64	170	234
St John's College	67	59	126
Trinity College	67	58	125
Trinity Hall	44	50	94
Wolfson College	91	136	227
Total	1,810	2,109	3,919

¹¹ These statistics only show those applicants who had their admission confirmed.

Appendix 1

Applications, Offers and Confirmations by Department or Faculty for 2018/19 Admission

School	Applications			Offers			Confirmations		
	Research	Taught	Total	Research	Taught	Total	Research	Taught	Total
Arts & Humanities	1,341	1,045	2,386	468	531	999	225	324	549
Department of Anglo-Saxon, Norse and Celtic	19	37	56	14	24	38	5	14	19
Department of Architecture	57	197	254	26	53	79	19	39	58
Department of French	18	0	18	15	0	15	8	0	8
Department of German and Dutch	12	0	12	11	0	11	4	0	4
Department of History of Art	23	61	84	10	19	29	8	16	24
Department of Italian	18	0	18	8	0	8	4	0	4
Department of Slavonic Studies	5	0	5	4	0	4	1	0	1
Department of Spanish and Portuguese	15	0	15	9	0	9	5	0	5
Department of Theoretical & Applied Linguistics	211	0	211	78	0	78	39	0	39
Faculty of Asian and Middle Eastern Studies	93	79	172	45	29	74	25	15	40
Faculty of Classics	70	110	180	44	53	97	18	31	49
Faculty of Divinity	94	105	199	42	58	100	20	37	57
Faculty of English	439	178	617	78	134	212	29	77	106
Faculty of Modern and Medieval Languages	29	156	185	12	97	109	7	55	62
Faculty of Music	52	122	174	19	64	83	9	40	49
Faculty of Philosophy	186	0	186	53	0	53	24	0	24
Biological Science	1,417	121	1,538	400	11	411	236	5	241
Department of Biochemistry	166	0	166	62	0	62	28	0	28
Department of Genetics	95	0	95	48	0	48	24	0	24
Department of Pathology	103	0	103	30	0	30	23	0	23
Department of Pharmacology	69	0	69	25	0	25	16	0	16
Department of Plant Sciences	308	0	308	46	0	46	36	0	36
Department of Psychology	135	0	135	50	0	50	22	0	22
Department of Veterinary Medicine	56	0	56	28	0	28	13	0	13
Department of Zoology	77	0	77	52	0	52	26	0	26
Department of Physiology, Development and Neuroscience	151	121	272	30	11	41	20	5	25
MRC Toxicology Unit	30	0	30	5	0	5	5	0	5
Wellcome Sanger Institute	47	0	47	18	0	18	18	0	18
Wellcome Trust - MRC Cambridge Stem Cell Institute	180	0	180	6	0	6	5	0	5

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School	Applications			Offers			Confirmations		
	Research	Taught	Total	Research	Taught	Total	Research	Taught	Total
Clinical Medicine	1,813	577	2,390	290	113	403	219	77	296
Cambridge Institute for Medical Research (CIMR)	192	0	192	10	0	10	6	0	6
Cancer Research UK Cambridge Institute	240	0	240	29	0	29	23	0	23
Department of Clinical Biochemistry	152	0	152	30	0	30	24	0	24
Department of Clinical Neurosciences	271	0	271	50	0	50	40	0	40
Department of Haematology	5	0	5	5	0	5	2	0	2
Department of Medical Genetics	5	59	64	5	22	27	2	17	19
Department of Medicine	115	62	177	32	32	64	25	24	49
Department of Obstetrics and Gynaecology	7	0	7	1	0	1	1	0	1
Department of Oncology	218	0	218	13	0	13	10	0	10
Department of Paediatrics	14	0	14	1	0	1	1	0	1
Department of Psychiatry	60	0	60	30	0	30	17	0	17
Department of Public Health and Primary Care	77	456	533	11	59	70	11	36	47
Department of Radiology	14	0	14	3	0	3	1	0	1
Department of Surgery	22	0	22	12	0	12	11	0	11
Faculty of Clinical Medicine	161	0	161	5	0	5	5	0	5
MRC Biostatistics Unit	42	0	42	6	0	6	4	0	4
MRC Cancer Unit	78	0	78	13	0	13	8	0	8
MRC Cognition and Brain Sciences Unit	58	0	58	14	0	14	11	0	11
MRC Epidemiology Unit	46	0	46	13	0	13	11	0	11
MRC Mitochondrial Biology Unit	36	0	36	7	0	7	6	0	6

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School	Applications			Offers			Confirmations		
	Research	Taught	Total	Research	Taught	Total	Research	Taught	Total
Humanities & Social Sciences	1,903	6,722	8,625	796	2,253	3,049	451	1,149	1,600
Archaeology Section	58	108	166	45	75	120	16	41	57
Biological Anthropology Section	10	36	46	8	28	36	5	13	18
Centre of African Studies	0	55	55	0	19	19	0	12	12
Centre of Development Studies	115	753	868	15	114	129	9	56	65
Centre of Latin American Studies	12	37	49	7	22	29	3	16	19
Centre of South Asian Studies	0	50	50	0	31	31	0	14	14
Department of History and Philosophy of Science	54	176	230	34	81	115	15	50	65
Department of Land Economy	81	673	754	31	174	205	20	96	116
Department of Sociology	95	270	365	36	79	115	21	45	66
Department of Politics and International Studies	313	886	1,199	49	224	273	17	102	119
Faculty of Economics	106	1,107	1,213	26	412	438	10	171	181
Faculty of Education	478	476	954	302	212	514	220	133	353
Faculty of History	224	475	699	139	238	377	59	148	207
Faculty of Law	242	1,350	1,592	60	431	491	30	196	226
Institute of Criminology	38	124	162	13	70	83	10	30	40
Social Anthropology Section	77	146	223	31	43	74	16	26	42
Physical Sciences	1,951	1,400	3,351	626	482	1,108	363	247	610
Department of Chemistry	413	0	413	144	0	144	89	0	89
Department of Earth Sciences	115	0	115	39	0	39	24	0	24
Department of Geography	83	115	198	35	44	79	24	25	49
Department of Materials Science and Metallurgy	141	90	231	66	28	94	33	12	45
Department of Physics	591	209	800	194	37	231	106	22	128
Department of Applied Mathematics & Theoretical Physics	272	416	688	71	194	265	44	106	150
Department of Pure Mathematics & Mathematical Statistics	214	513	727	46	156	202	23	65	88
Institute of Astronomy	116	39	155	28	14	42	18	9	27
Scott Polar Research Institute	6	18	24	3	9	12	2	8	10

Applications, Offers and Confirmations by Department or Faculty for 2018/19 Admission cont'd

School	Applications			Offers			Confirmations		
	Research	Taught	Total	Research	Taught	Total	Research	Taught	Total
Technology	1,424	2,855	4,279	473	563	1,036	269	307	576
Department of Chemical Engineering & Biotechnology	189	341	530	90	81	171	55	49	104
Department of Computer Science and Technology	155	272	427	64	81	145	29	43	72
Department of Engineering	959	1,238	2,197	310	176	486	178	96	274
The Judge Business School	121	1,004	1,125	9	225	234	7	119	126
University Partner Institution	298	0	298	54	0	54	47	0	47
Animal Health Trust, Newmarket (UPI under Clinical Medicine)	3	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
Babraham Institute, BBSRC (UPI under Biological Science)	23	0	23	10	0	10	7	0	7
British Antarctic Survey, NERC (UPI under Physical Sciences)	34	0	34	4	0	4	4	0	4
Cambridge Crystallographic Data Centre (UPI under Physical Sciences)	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
European Bioinformatics Institute (UPI under Biological Science)	20	0	20	11	0	11	11	0	11
MRC Laboratory of Molecular Biology (UPI under Biological Science)	217	0	217	29	0	29	25	0	25

Appendix 2

Applications, Offers and Confirmations from academic year 2011/12 – 2018/19 by fee status

Year	Applications				% change	Conditional Offers				% change	Confirmations				% change
	Home	EU	Overseas	Total		Home	EU	Overseas	Total		Home	EU	Overseas	Total	
2011/12	2,876	2,733	8,720	14,329	-	1,610	1,294	2,986	5,890	-	1,058	810	1,395	3,263	-
2012/13	3,059	2,920	9,394	15,373	7.3%	1,602	1,285	3,237	6,124	4.0%	1,039	808	1,500	3,347	2.6%
2013/14	3,227	2,801	9,769	15,797	2.8%	1,716	1,356	3,257	6,329	3.3%	1,184	797	1,606	3,587	7.2%
2014/15	3,351	2,986	9,715	16,052	1.6%	1,762	1,501	3,227	6,490	2.5%	1,137	876	1,517	3,530	-1.6%
2015/16	3,491	3,051	9,914	16,456	2.5%	1,784	1,424	3,290	6,498	0.1%	1,228	856	1,472	3,556	0.7%
2016/17	3,699	3,200	9,839	16,738	1.7%	1,805	1,492	3,200	6,497	-0.0%	1,250	922	1,447	3,619	1.8%
2017/18	4,325	3,749	13,702	21,776	30.1%	1,911	1,503	3,430	6,844	5.3%	1,334	886	1,581	3,801	5.0%
2018/19	4,899	3,897	14,071	22,867	5.0%	1,945	1,416	3,699	7,060	3.2%	1,312	866	1,741	3,919	3.1%

The % column shows the percentage difference with the previous year.