

Total: All Fast Stream Schemes Diversity Trends

Analysis by Gender

Competition	Vacancies	Applications							Total	Recommended for Appointment						Total
		Male		Female		Non-respondent		Male		Female		Non-respondent				
		Number	% of total	Number	% of total	Number	% of total	Number		% of total	Number	% of total	Number	% of total		
2006	469	7,637	54.8%	6,246	44.8%	62	0.4%	13,945	233	48.9%	240	50.4%	3	0.6%	476	
2005	497	7,376	56.9%	5,508	42.5%	73	0.6%	12,957	280	55.6%	220	43.7%	4	0.8%	504	
2004	507	5,255	61.1%	3,343	38.9%	-	-	*8,598	273	58.5%	194	41.5%	-	-	467	
2003	546	10,676	53.3%	9,356	46.7%	-	-	20,032	256	50.2%	254	49.8%	-	-	510	
2002	509	7,181	50.1%	7,147	49.9%	-	-	14,328	197	47.9%	214	52.1%	-	-	411	
2001	512	6,175	52.4%	5,602	47.6%	-	-	11,777	204	48.5%	217	51.5%	-	-	421	
2000	560	7,487	52.0%	6,922	48.0%	-	-	14,409	223	52.3%	203	47.7%	-	-	426	
1999	445	5,220	53.2%	4,594	46.8%	-	-	9,814	153	50.0%	153	50.0%	-	-	306	
1998	367	4,931	54.6%	4,106	45.4%	-	-	9,037	144	61.3%	91	38.7%	-	-	235	

Analysis by Ethnic Origin

Competition	Vacancies	Applications						Total	Recommended for Appointment						Total
		White		Ethnic Minority		Non-respondent			White		Ethnic Minority		Non-respondent		
		Number	% of total	Number	% of total	Number	% of total		Number	% of total	Number	% of total	Number	% of total	
2006	469	11,849	85.0%	1,912	13.7%	184	1.3%	13,945	416	87.4%	53	11.1%	7	1.5%	476
2005	497	10,857	83.8%	1,937	14.9%	163	1.3%	12,957	461	91.5%	36	7.1%	7	1.4%	504
2004	507	7,140	83.0%	1,259	14.6%	199	2.3%	*8,598	428	91.6%	25	5.4%	14	3.0%	467
2003	546	15,702	78.4%	3,275	16.3%	1,055	5.3%	20,032	455	89.2%	40	7.8%	15	2.9%	510
2002	509	11,671	81.5%	2,432	17.0%	225	1.6%	14,328	363	88.3%	40	9.7%	8	2.0%	411
2001	512	9,683	82.2%	1,941	16.5%	153	1.3%	11,777	383	90.9%	32	7.6%	6	1.4%	421
2000	560	12,076	83.8%	2,154	15.0%	179	1.2%	14,409	392	92.0%	29	6.8%	5	1.2%	426
1999	445	8,412	85.7%	1,296	13.2%	106	1.1%	9,814	287	93.8%	18	5.9%	1	0.3%	306
1998	367	7,884	87.2%	1,098	12.2%	55	0.6%	9,037	226	96.2%	8	3.4%	1	0.4%	235

Analysis by University of First Degree

Competition	Vacancies	Applications				Total	Recommended for Appointment				Total
		Non-Oxbridge		Oxbridge			Non-Oxbridge		Oxbridge		
		Number	% of total	Number	% of total		Number	% of total	Number	% of total	
2006	469	12,216	87.6%	1,729	12.4%	13,945	328	68.9%	148	31.1%	476
2005	497	11,353	87.6%	1,604	12.4%	12,957	354	70.2%	150	29.8%	504
2004	507	7,216	83.9%	1,382	16.1%	*8,598	300	64.2%	167	35.8%	467
2003	546	18,214	90.9%	1,818	9.1%	20,032	328	64.3%	182	35.7%	510
2002	509	13,122	91.6%	1,206	8.4%	14,328	298	72.5%	113	27.5%	411
2001	512	10,846	92.1%	931	7.9%	11,777	303	72.0%	118	28.0%	421
2000	560	13,289	92.2%	1,120	7.8%	14,409	289	67.8%	137	32.2%	426
1999	445	8,880	90.5%	934	9.5%	9,814	214	69.9%	92	30.1%	306
1998	367	8,142	90.1%	895	9.9%	9,037	154	65.5%	81	34.5%	235

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Analysis by Disability

Competition	Vacancies	Applications						Total	Recommended for Appointment						Total
		Non-Disabled		Disabled		Non-respondent			Non-Disabled		Disabled		Non-respondent		
		Number	% of total	Number	% of total	Number	% of total		Number	% of total	Number	% of total	Number	% of total	
2006	469	13,502	96.8%	356	2.6%	87	0.6%	13,945	438	92.0%	35	7.4%	3	0.6%	476
2005	497	12,546	96.8%	323	2.5%	88	0.7%	12,957	466	92.5%	34	6.7%	4	0.8%	504
2004	507	8,324	96.8%	274	3.2%	-	-	*8,598	433	92.7%	34	7.3%	-	-	467
2003	546	19,550	97.6%	482	2.4%	-	-	20,032	492	96.5%	18	3.5%	-	-	510
2002	509	14,061	98.1%	267	1.9%	-	-	14,328	395	96.1%	16	3.9%	-	-	411
2001	512	11,510	97.7%	267	2.3%	-	-	11,777	409	97.1%	12	2.9%	-	-	421
2000	560	14,210	98.6%	199	1.4%	-	-	14,409	418	98.1%	8	1.9%	-	-	426
1999	445	9,627	98.1%	187	1.9%	-	-	9,814	299	97.7%	7	2.3%	-	-	306
1998	367	8,875	98.2%	162	1.8%	-	-	9,037	223	94.9%	12	5.1%	-	-	235

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