



INFORMATION FOR STUDENTS WHO COMPETITIVELY APPLIED FOR THE DIRECT ENTRY SCHOLARSHIP (DE001) ACADEMIC YEAR 2021/22

A CIRCULAR PREPARED BY THE EXTERNAL UNDERGRADUATE SCHOLARSHIPS DEPARTMENT AND THE HIGHER EDUCATION ADMISSIONS CENTRE IN JULY 2021

WHAT TYPE OF INFORMATION SHOULD THE LETTER OF ACCEPTANCE OR OFFER OF ADMISSION INCLUDE? AS MENTIONED IN THE DES CIRCULAR SHARED IN THE PUBLIC DOMAIN IN DECEMBER 2020, THE OFFER OF ADMISSION (=A LETTER OF ACCEPTANCE) AND, IF APPLICABLE, SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS SHOULD INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION:

- A CONFIRMATION THAT YOU HAVE BEEN UNCONDITIONALLY ADMITTED TO THE UNIVERSITY.
- THE NAME OF THE COURSE YOU INTEND TO PURSUE (THIS CAN BE AN UNDECLARED/INTENDED MAJOR AND HAS TO MATCH YOUR HEAC APPLICANT RECORD DATA)
- THE NAME OF THE UNIVERSITY, FACULTY/COLLEGE AND ITS LOCATION, AND A CONFIRMATION THAT THE PROGRAMME WILL BE DELIVERED *BY* THE UNIVERSITY (AND NOT BY ONE OF THEIR PARTNERS).
- THE DATE ON WHICH THE LETTER OF ACCEPTANCE (LOA) WAS ISSUED (**AND YOU WILL HAVE TO ADD A PROOF OF ENROLLMENT BY AUGUST 15 IN CASE THE OFFER WAS ISSUED BEFORE YOUR RECEIVED FINAL SCHOOL GRADES**, IF THE UNIVERSITY DOES NOT RE-ISSUE ANOTHER OFFER AS SUCH AS PER THEIR POLICY).
- THE POINT OF ENTRY (SHOULD CONCERN A DIRECT ENTRY TO AN UNDERGRADUATE DEGREE COURSE).
- THE EXPECTED START AND END DATE OF YOUR UNDERGRADUATE STUDIES, AND A SIGNATURE AND/OR STAMP.
- A CONFIRMATION THAT THE PROGRAMME DOES **NOT** INCLUDE AN **OPTIONAL** (AS OPPOSED TO MANDATORY) WORK PLACEMENT, ADDITIONAL MAJOR OR STUDY ABROAD YEAR THAT WOULD RESULT IN AN EXTRA STUDY YEAR.

WHAT IF THE LETTER OF ACCEPTANCE OR OFFER OF ADMISSION DOES NOT INCLUDE ALL OF THE ABOVE-MENTIONED POINTS?

IT IS UNLIKELY THAT A STANDARD OFFER OF ADMISSION/LETTER OF ACCEPTANCE WOULD INCLUDE *ALL* OF THE ABOVE-MENTIONED POINTS AND FOR THIS REASON, WE PREVIOUSLY ADVISED ALL DES APPLICANTS TO CONTACT THE UNIVERSITY'S ADMISSIONS OFFICE AND ASK THEM FOR A CONFIRMATION (E.G. BY EMAIL), WHICH COULD BE BASED ON THE FOLLOWING TEMPLATE (REFER TO THE EXAMPLE ON THE FOLLOWING PAGE), AND YOU SHOULD UPLOAD THIS AS A SUPPORTING DOCUMENT IN ADDITION TO THE OFFER, AND BEFORE THE END OF THE CHANGE OF PREFERENCE PERIOD, AS ALSO CLEARLY EXPLAINED IN THE DES CIRCULAR PUBLISHED IN DECEMBER 2020.

***NB: This document was published in English because DE001 applicants may want to use it to communicate with overseas universities from which they have already received an offer of admission.**

EXAMPLE OF A CONFIRMATION FROM A UNIVERSITY'S ADMISSIONS OFFICE (TO BE SUBMITTED IN ADDITION TO THE OFFER OF ADMISSION/LETTER OF ACCEPTANCE IN CASE OF ANY MISSING DETAILS):

[NAME OF THE UNIVERSITY AND/OR UNIVERSITY LOGO]

DATE [SHOULD BE DATED AFTER STUDENT RECEIVED THEIR FINAL SCHOOL RESULTS*]

To whom this may concern,

This letter is to confirm (or certify) that **[name student]** was unconditionally admitted as an undergraduate student to **[University name, location]** to study **[name of programme/course or, at least, intended major]** in the **[name college or faculty]** for the **[first (Fall) or second (Spring) semester/term]**.

[Name student] met all our academic conditions and is considered an entrant to the undergraduate degree course/programme. The **[semester or term]** begins on **[date, year]** at point of entry 1 (or year 1). The programme will be delivered by the university (and not by one of its partners).

[University of college/faculty name] is **[located in/part of/belongs to the name of the main campus]** and it does not concern an overseas or in-country branch campus. **[Name student]** received the official admission letter and confirmation (or secured their place on the programme) on **[dates]**.

The programme does NOT include an optional work placement, additional major and/or study abroad year that would result in an extra study year. The curriculum for **[name programme/case or intended major]** can be completed in **[number of]** years (or the programme of study (or course) is designed as a **[xxx]** year programme and is due for completion/the student is expected to graduate on **[date, year]**).

Please let me know if there are any questions or concerns.

Office of Admissions (or Admissions Office)

[University NAME]

[EMAIL ADDRESS]

*** NB: Omani students who took the A-level qualification are expected to receive their grades on August 10, and may submit this supporting document after the deadline, provided they upload the unconditional offer before the end of the change of preference period as per the HEAC scholarship application timeline.**

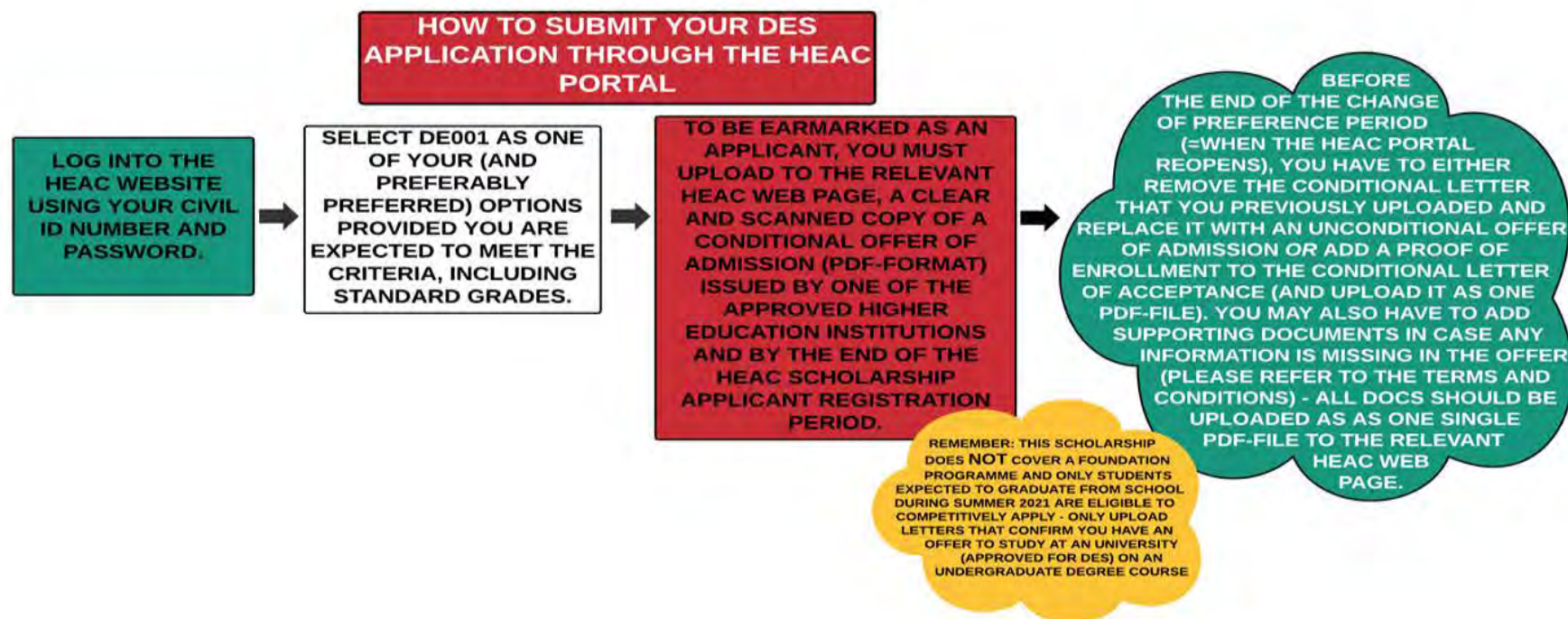
AS MENTIONED IN THE CIRCULAR THAT WAS SHARED IN THE PUBLIC DOMAIN IN DECEMBER 2020, YOU WILL NEED TO TIMELY UPLOAD THE ADDITIONAL INFORMATION (E.G. A LETTER OR E-MAIL AS RECEIVED FROM THE UNIVERSITY'S ADMISSIONS OFFICE) THAT CAN ALSO SERVE AS A PROOF OF ENROLLMENT IN CASE THE INITIAL OFFER WAS DATED BEFORE YOU RECEIVED YOUR FINAL SCHOOL GRADES. YOU SHOULD ADD THIS TO THE UNCONDITIONAL LETTER OF ACCEPTANCE OR OFFER AND CONVERT IT TO ONE PDF-FILE AND UPLOAD IT TO THE RELEVANT HEAC WEBPAGE UNDER 'OFFER OF ADMISSION'.

HOW DO I SUBMIT MY LETTER OF ACCEPTANCE?

YOU SUBMIT YOUR DES SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION BY UPLOADING THE UNCONDITIONAL OFFER OF ADMISSION AND (IF APPLICABLE/REQUIRED) SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS TO THE HEAC PORTAL AND BY FOLLOWING THE INSTRUCTIONS PROVIDED BY THE HEAC ON THEIR WEBSITE AND IN THEIR STUDENT GUIDE. THE MINISTRY WILL AND CANNOT ACCEPT UNCLEAR DOCUMENTS, INCOMPLETE APPLICATIONS OR DOCUMENTS ATTACHED TO EMAILS SENT DIRECTLY TO US.

STEPS THAT EXPLAIN HOW TO SUBMIT YOUR DES APPLICATION:

- PLEASE NOTE THAT IN ORDER TO BE EARMARKED AS A DES APPLICANT, STUDENTS SHOULD HAVE SELECTED DE001 AS ONE OF THEIR OPTIONS DURING THE FIRST PHASE OF THE HEAC SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION CYCLE (=REGISTRATION PERIOD) AND THEY SHOULD HAVE UPLOADED AT LEAST EITHER A CONDITIONAL OFFER OR PROOF THEY ARE IN THE PROCESS OF APPLYING TO AT LEAST ONE OF THE APPROVED HIGHER EDUCATION INSTITUTIONS BEFORE THE START OF THE SECOND PHASE OF THE HEAC SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION CYCLE (=THE CHANGE OF PREFERENCE PERIOD).
- IF YOU TIMELY UPLOADED PROOF THAT YOU ARE IN THE PROCESS OF APPLYING OR A CONDITIONAL OFFER OF ADMISSION (CONDITIONAL ALSO INCLUDES ANY OFFER DATED BEFORE YOU RECEIVED YOUR SCHOOL GRADES), YOU WILL STILL NEED TO UPLOAD AN UNCONDITIONAL OFFER OF ADMISSION OR A PROOF OF ENROLLMENT PLUS, AS EXPLAINED, A SUPPORTING DOCUMENT IN CASE CERTAIN DETAILS ARE NOT INCLUDED IN THE OFFER AND BEFORE THE END OF THE CHANGE OF PREFERENCE PERIOD – IF YOU FAIL TO DO SO, THE DES SCREENING COMMITTEE AND HEAC RESERVE THE RIGHT TO DISQUALIFY YOU AS A DES APPLICANT.



I DID NOT UPLOAD ANY OFFER OF ADMISSION (CONDITIONAL OR UNCONDITIONAL) BEFORE THE CHANGE OF PREFERENCE PERIOD – CAN I STILL APPLY FOR DES DURING THE CHANGE OF PREFERENCE PERIOD?

UNDER NO NORMAL CIRCUMSTANCES, WILL YOUR LATE APPLICATION BE CONSIDERED AS IT WAS CLEARLY MENTIONED IN THE STUDENT GUIDE THAT IN ORDER TO BE EARMARKED AS A DES APPLICANT, YOU NEEDED TO UPLOAD, AND *BEFORE* THE START OF THE CHANGE OF PREFERENCE PERIOD, EITHER A (CONDITIONAL OR, IF AVAILABLE, UNCONDITIONAL) OFFER OF ADMISSION/LETTER OF ACCEPTANCE, OR A DOCUMENT THAT WOULD EXPLAIN WHY YOU WERE NOT ABLE TO TIMELY UPLOAD AN OFFER (E.G. YOU ARE STILL IN THE PROCESS OF MAKING AN APPLICATION TO ONE OF THE UNIVERSITIES).

WITHIN THIS CONTEXT, STUDENTS WHO ONLY UPLOADED AN ENGLISH LANGUAGE TEST REPORT FORM INSTEAD OF AN OFFER OF ADMISSION OR EQUIVALENT DOCUMENT, WILL BE AUTOMATICALLY DISQUALIFIED AS DES APPLICANTS BY THE DES SCREENING COMMITTEE.

MY OFFER DOES NOT MENTION THE TERM 'UNCONDITIONAL', WHAT IS THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN A CONDITIONAL AND UNCONDITIONAL LETTER OF ACCEPTANCE?

- 'CONDITIONAL' MEANS THAT THE UNIVERSITY ACCEPTED YOU, PROVIDED YOU WILL MEET ALL THEIR ACADEMIC CONDITIONS WHICH USUALLY INCLUDE YOUR FINAL SCHOOL GRADES. THESE CONDITIONAL OFFERS OR LETTERS MAY INCLUDE SENTENCES SUCH AS:
 - THIS OFFER IS SUBJECT TO YOU OBTAINING OR YOUR MEETING THE FOLLOWING REQUIREMENTS.
 - YOUR ADMISSION IS PROVISIONAL.
 - THIS OFFER OF ADMISSION IS CONTINGENT UPON SUCCESSFUL COMPLETION OF YOUR ACADEMIC PROGRAMME, ETC., ETC.
- 'UNCONDITIONAL' MEANS YOU HAVE MET ALL THE ACADEMIC CONDITIONS SET BY THE UNIVERSITY, WHILE THEY MAY STILL WANT YOU TO MEET CERTAIN NON-ACADEMIC CONDITIONS, SUCH AS CERTIFIED COPIES OF ORIGINAL SCHOOL TRANSCRIPTS. THESE UNCONDITIONAL LETTERS OF ACCEPTANCE MAY INCLUDE SENTENCES SUCH AS:
 - IT IS MY PLEASURE TO OFFER YOU DIRECT ADMISSION AS A FRESHMAN* STUDENT TO THE [FALL OR SPRING] SEMESTER AND INTO THE MAJOR OF [AREA OF STUDY].
 - OR 'YOU HAVE BEEN UNCONDITIONALLY ACCEPTED OR ADMITTED TO' ETC., ETC.

THE EXACT SENTENCES MAY VARY FROM ONE UNIVERSITY'S OFFER TO ANOTHER, WHILE SOME UNIVERSITIES ONLY ISSUE ONE OFFER OF ADMISSION OR LETTER OF ACCEPTANCE PRIOR TO THE ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE FINAL SCHOOL GRADES, AND IN THIS CASE YOU HAVE TO ASK THEM FOR A PROOF OF ENROLLMENT AND UPLOAD IT TO THE HEAC PORTAL, IN ADDITION TO THE OFFER OF ADMISSION, AND BEFORE THE RELEVANT DEADLINE.

BY WHEN SHOULD I UPLOAD AN UNCONDITIONAL LETTER OF ACCEPTANCE?

AS CLEARLY MENTIONED IN THE STUDENT GUIDE: YOU SHOULD UPLOAD THE UNCONDITIONAL LETTER OF ACCEPTANCE ISSUED BY ONE OF THE APPROVED UNIVERSITIES AND, IF APPLICABLE, SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS BY THE 15TH OF AUGUST (THE LATEST) WHICH, IF ALL GOES TO THE CURRENT PLAN, IS EXPECTED TO COINCIDE WITH THE END OF THE CHANGE OF PREFERENCE PERIOD.

CAN THE UNCONDITIONAL LETTER OF ACCEPTANCE (LoA) THAT I NEED TO UPLOAD IN JULY BE ISSUED BY A UNIVERSITY THAN THE ONE THAT ISSUED THE CONDITIONAL LoA?

YES, YOU MAY UPLOAD AN OFFER OF ADMISSION OR LoA ISSUED BY A UNIVERSITY OTHER THAN THE ONE THAT ISSUED THE CONDITIONAL LoA AS THE EARMARKING PROCESS WAS BASED ON IF YOU ARE DEEMED ELIGIBLE TO DIRECTLY ENTER INTO AN UNDERGRADUATE DEGREE PROGRAMME OFFERED AT ONE OF THE APPROVED UNIVERSITIES. HOWEVER, PLEASE NOTE THAT THE DES SCREENING COMMITTEE WILL USE THE LATEST UNCONDITIONAL OFFER YOU UPLOADED TO THE SYSTEM (E.G. IF YOU UPLOADED AN UNCONDITIONAL OFFER FROM UNIVERSITY X BY JULY 1 AND DECIDED TO UPLOAD AN OFFER FROM UNIVERSITY Y ON AUGUST 15, THE COMMITTEE WILL REFER TO THE LETTER YOU UPLOADED ON AUGUST 15).

ABOUT THE DES APPLICATION DEADLINE: WHAT IF I DID NOT YET RECEIVE MY FINAL SCHOOL GRADES OR WHAT IF THE UNIVERSITY I APPLIED TO PENDED MY APPLICATION UNTIL ALL THEIR APPLICANTS RECEIVED THEIR FINAL SCHOOL GRADES?

STUDENTS WHO CAN PROVE THEY DID NOT YET RECEIVE THEIR SCHOOL MARKS OR WHO CAN UPLOAD PROOF THAT THE UNIVERSITY HAS PENDED THEIR APPLICATION (THIS USUALLY APPLIES TO VERY COMPETITIVE COURSES AND/OR UNIVERSITIES), MAY SUBMIT A CONDITIONAL LETTER OF ACCEPTANCE (LoA) WITHIN THE SAME DEADLINE THAT APPLIES TO STUDENTS WHO HAVE TO UPLOAD AN UNCONDITIONAL LoA. THEY WILL, HOWEVER, BE GIVEN ANOTHER STRICT DEADLINE TO UPLOAD AN UNCONDITIONAL LoA. HOWEVER, A-LEVEL RESULTS DAY FALLS ON AUGUST 10 THIS YEAR AND THEREFORE A-LEVEL QUALIFICATION HOLDERS ARE EXPECTED TO BE ABLE TO TIMELY UPLOAD THEIR UNCONDITIONAL OFFER OR PROOF OF ENROLLMENT (PROVIDED THEY ALREADY UPLOADED A LETTER OF ACCEPTANCE TO THE PORTAL).

FAQS ABOUT THE COUNTRIES AND COURSES

ALTHOUGH THE FOLLOWING POINTS HAVE ALSO BEEN CLEARLY MENTIONED IN THE DES BOOKLET (DECEMBER 2020), HEAC STUDENT GUIDE (MAY 2021) AND OTHER OFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS (JUNE 2021)– WE WILL ANSWER THE FOLLOWING FAQS:

I WAS OFFERED A PLACE ON A PROGRAMME WITH INDUSTRIAL EXPERIENCE AT A UK UNIVERSITY – MAY I PURSUE THIS COURSE?

AS EXPLAINED IN THE BOOKLET CIRCULATED IN DECEMBER 2020, IF THE WORK PLACEMENT, ADDITIONAL MAJOR OR STUDY ABROAD ARE OPTIONAL, WHILE ADDING THIS OPTION WOULD RESULT IN AN EXTENSION OF THE STANDARD DURATION OF THE PROGRAMME (AN ADDITIONAL SEMESTER OR EXTRA STUDY YEAR), THIS WILL **NOT** BE COVERED BY THIS SCHOLARSHIP AND THE COMMITTEE RESERVES THE RIGHT TO DISQUALIFY YOU AS AN APPLICANT. IN OTHER WORDS, IF THE UNIVERSITY OFFERS COURSE X *WITH* AND *WITHOUT* INDUSTRIAL EXPERIENCE (4Y VS 3Y), YOU SHOULD OPT FOR THE 'WITHOUT' OPTION.

I WAS OFFERED A PLACE ON A CO-OP PROGRAMME AT A CANADIAN UNIVERSITY – MAY I PURSUE THIS COURSE? IN CANADA, AND UNLIKE IN E.G. THE UK, SEVERAL COURSES ARE OFFERED ONLY AS A CO-OP WHICH MEANS THE INDUSTRIAL EXPERIENCE OR WORK PLACEMENT IS NOT CONSIDERED *OPTIONAL* AND, IF THIS APPLIES TO THE COURSE YOU WANT TO PURSUE, THIS WOULD BE COVERED BY DES AS YOU WOULD NOT HAVE BEEN GIVEN ANOTHER CHOICE BY THE UNIVERSITY YOU APPLIED TO (THE WORK PLACEMENT IS AN INTEGRATED AND MANDATORY PART OF THE PROGRAMME AND NOT OPTIONAL).

I WANT TO PURSUE A DOUBLE MAJOR AT AN US UNIVERSITY – CAN I? PURSUING A DOUBLE MAJOR IN THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA USUALLY MEANS THAT THE COURSE WOULD TAKE ONE EXTRA YEAR TO COMPLETE AND IF THIS APPLIES, THE COURSE WILL NOT BE COVERED BY DES AS ALSO EXPLAINED IN THE BOOKLET. A DOUBLE-MAJOR SHOULD NOT BE CONFUSED WITH A MAJOR-MINOR WHICH IS A COMMON PRACTICE IN THE USA.

I WANT TO PURSUE A JOINT-DEGREE PROGRAMME AT A UK UNIVERSITY – CAN I? IN THE UK, AND UNLIKE IN THE USA, THE DURATION OF JOINT-DEGREE PROGRAMMES IS USUALLY THE SAME AS THE DURATION OF 'SINGULAR' DEGREE PROGRAMMES, WHILE JOINT-DEGREES ARE ALSO VERY COMMON IN THE UK SO YES, THIS WOULD USUALLY BE ALLOWED.

I AM OFFERED A PLACE ON AN INTEGRATED MASTER'S DEGREE PROGRAMME AT A UK UNIVERSITY – IS THIS TREATED AS AN UNDERGRADUATE DEGREE? NO, PLEASE REFER TO THE DES CIRCULAR DATED DECEMBER 2020 IN WHICH IT HAS BEEN CLEARLY MENTIONED THAT INTEGRATED MA DEGREES SUCH AS, MENG, MPHARM, MDIET ARE TREATED AS GRADUATE DEGREES AND THEREFORE WILL **NOT** BE COVERED BY DES. IF YOU SUBMIT AN OFFER BASED ON SUCH AN INTEGRATED MA DEGREE, THE SCREENING COMMITTEE RESERVES THE RIGHT TO DISQUALIFY YOU AS AN APPLICANT.

I APPLIED TO A UNIVERSITY IN A COUNTRY THAT SEEMS TO BE LESS POPULAR THAN OTHER STUDY DESTINATIONS, IS THAT OK?

YES, THAT IS PERFECTLY FINE AND PERHAPS THE UNIVERSITY YOU APPLIED TO IS EVEN RANKED HIGHER THAN CERTAIN APPROVED HIGHER EDUCATION INSTITUTIONS IN THE RELATIVELY MORE POPULAR STUDY DESTINATIONS WHICH COULD EVEN GIVE YOU A COMPETITIVE ADVANTAGE IN CASE THE NUMBER OF ELIGIBLE CANDIDATES EXCEEDS THE NUMBER OF AVAILABLE PLACES ALLOCATED TO DES AS, AS CLEARLY MENTIONED IN THE STUDENT GUIDE AND DES BOOKLET, THE PRIMARY TIE-BREAKER IS THE POSITION OF THE UNIVERSITY IN THE QS WORLD UNIVERSITY RANKINGS 2021 VERSION.

I APPLIED TO A UNIVERSITY IN NEW ZEALAND AS IT WAS LISTED AS AN OPTION IN THE DES BOOKLET – CAN I SUBMIT AN UNCONDITIONAL OFFER? NO, YOU WILL NEED TO MAKE AN APPLICATION TO A UNIVERSITY IN A COUNTRY OTHER THAN NEW ZEALAND AS DUE TO THE PROLONGED CLOSURE OF THEIR BORDERS, THIS COUNTRY IS NOT AN OPTION IN VIEW OF THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2021/22 AND THIS HAS BEEN PUBLICLY ANNOUNCED BY THE MINISTRY IN JUNE 2021, WHILE THAT ANNOUNCEMENT SUPERSEDES THE CONTENT IN THE DES BOOKLET. YOU ARE ADVISED TO UPLOAD AN OFFER FROM A UNIVERSITY IN ANOTHER COUNTRY BEFORE THE END OF THE CHANGE OF PREFERENCE PERIOD, EVEN IF YOU ALREADY UPLOADED AN OFFER FROM THE UNIVERSITY IN NEW ZEALAND DURING THE REGISTRATION PERIOD AND THE LIST OF APPROVED UNIVERSITIES HAS BEEN UPDATED ACCORDINGLY.

I APPLIED TO A UNIVERSITY IN AUSTRALIA AS IT WAS LISTED AS AN OPTION IN THE DES BOOKLET– CAN I SUBMIT AN UNCONDITIONAL OFFER?

NO, YOU WILL NEED TO MAKE AN APPLICATION TO A UNIVERSITY IN A COUNTRY OTHER THAN AUSTRALIA AS DUE TO THE PROLONGED CLOSURE OF THEIR BORDERS, THIS COUNTRY IS NOT AN OPTION IN VIEW OF THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2021/22 AND THIS HAS BEEN PUBLICLY ANNOUNCED BY THE MINISTRY IN JUNE 2021, WHILE THAT ANNOUNCEMENT SUPERSEDES THE CONTENT IN THE DES BOOKLET. YOU ARE ADVISED TO UPLOAD AN OFFER FROM A UNIVERSITY IN ANOTHER COUNTRY BEFORE THE END OF THE CHANGE OF PREFERENCE PERIOD, EVEN IF YOU ALREADY UPLOADED AN OFFER FROM THE UNIVERSITY IN AUSTRALIA DURING THE REGISTRATION PERIOD. THE LIST OF APPROVED UNIVERSITIES HAS BEEN UPDATED ACCORDINGLY.

IS THE FIRST YEAR OR FRESHMAN YEAR AT AMERICAN AND CANADIAN UNIVERSITIES CONSIDERED A DIRECT ENTRY?

YES, THE FRESHMAN YEAR IS CONSIDERED THE FIRST YEAR OF AN UNDERGRADUATE DEGREE COURSE.

IS THE INTEGRATED FOUNDATION PROGRAMME OR INTERNATIONAL YEAR ONE IN THE UK CONSIDERED A DIRECT ENTRY?

NO, THESE COURSES ARE NOT CONSIDERED A DIRECT ENTRY TO AN UNDERGRADUATE DEGREE COURSE – FOR MORE DETAILS, PLEASE REFER TO THE HEADERS OF THE LISTS OF UNIVERSITIES BY COUNTRY AND/OR CONTINENT IN THE DES BOOKLET WHICH WAS FIRST PUBLISHED IN DECEMBER 2020.

DES



AFTER I SELECTED DE001 AND UPLOADED MY DOCUMENTS TO THE HEAC PORTAL, WHAT WILL HAPPEN NEXT?

HOW WILL THE MINISTRY REVIEW MY APPLICATION?

IN ORDER FOR YOUR DES APPLICATION TO BE ACCEPTED TO THE NEXT STAGE IN THE ADMISSIONS PROCESS, A SCREENING COMMITTEE CONSISTING OF LOCAL AND OVERSEAS EXPERTS WILL CRITICALLY AND CAREFULLY REVIEW ALL UPLOADED DOCUMENTS AND SHORTLIST ELIGIBLE CANDIDATES, WHILE THE HEAC ELECTRONIC SYSTEM WILL COMPETITIVELY AWARD OR ALLOCATE ALL SCHOLARSHIPS, SEATS AND GRANTS, INCLUDING DES.

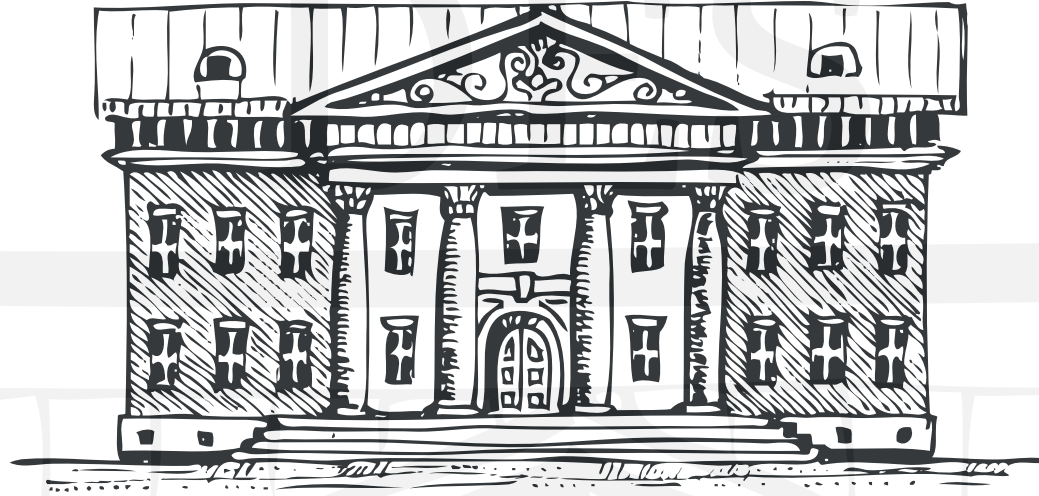
IF I MEET ALL THE DES CRITERIA, DOES THIS AUTOMATICALLY MEAN I WILL BE AWARDED THIS SCHOLARSHIP?

NO, MEETING ALL THE CRITERIA DOES **NOT** AUTOMATICALLY MEAN THAT YOU WILL BE COMPETITIVELY AWARDED THIS (OR ANY) SCHOLARSHIP AS THE NUMBER OF ELIGIBLE CANDIDATES MAY EXCEED THE NUMBER OF PLACES AND TIE-BREAKERS MAY APPLY WHILE THE PRIMARY TIE-BREAKER WILL BE THE POSITION OF THE UNIVERSITY IN THE QS WORLD UNIVERSITY RANKINGS 2020 (NOT 2021) VERSION, AND NOT YOUR AVERAGE/COMPETITIVE SCORE (THIS IS THE SECONDARY TIE-BREAKER, IF E.G. UNIVERSITIES ARE WITHIN THE SAME RANKING RANGE). FOR THIS REASON, YOU SHOULD ALWAYS COMPETITIVELY APPLY FOR MORE THAN ONE TYPE OF SCHOLARSHIP, SEAT OR GRANT THAT COVER THE COURSE(S) YOU ARE GENUINELY INTERESTED IN. **HOWEVER, IF YOU MEET THE CRITERIA, AND AS MENTIONED IN THE HEAC STUDENT GUIDE AND DES BOOKLET, WE DO ADVISE YOU TO LIST DE001 AS YOUR PREFERRED OPTION (SEE ALSO THE ANSWER TO THE NEXT QUESTION)**

WHEN CAN I EXPECT TO FIND OUT THE DECISION ON MY APPLICATION?

THIS YEAR'S TIMELINE IS A BIT DIFFERENT DUE TO THE IMPACT OF THE PANDEMIC. HOWEVER, SHORTLISTED DE001 CANDIDATES WILL BE INFORMED NO LATER THAN THE FOURTH WEEK OF AUGUST 2021, **PROVIDED THEY LISTED DE001 AS THEIR FIRST OPTION AND DEPENDING ON THEIR COMPETITIVENESS. IF YOUR PROGRAMME STARTS IN FALL (AUGUST/ SEPTEMBER) YOU SHOULD INFORM THE UNIVERSITY ABOUT THE SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION TIMELINE AND PLEASE NOTE THAT THE MoHERI IS NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR ACCOMODATION OR VISA APPLICATION PROCEDURES. IF YOU ARE COMPETITIVELY AWARDED A DES, YOU WILL HAVE TO REGISTER AS AN EXTERNAL SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENT WITH THE EXTERNAL SCHOLARSHIPS DEPARTMENT VIA THE MOHERI.GOV.OM E-SERVICES WEB PAGE. THIS HAS ALSO BEEN EXPLAINED IN THE HEAC STUDENT GUIDE AND ON THE MoHERI WEBSITE.**

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WILL MY DES APPLICATION BE REVIEWED EARLIER IF I SUBMIT IT EARLIER?

NO, APPLICATIONS ARE REVIEWED ALL AT ONCE SHORTLY AFTER THE RELEVANT APPLICATION DEADLINES. SUBMITTING YOUR APPLICATION EARLIER DOES NOT MEAN IT WILL BE REVIEWED EARLIER.

I UPLOADED AN UNCONDITIONAL OFFER FROM UNIVERSITY X IN COUNTRY Y BUT I AM PLANNING TO UPLOAD AN UNCONDITIONAL OFFER FROM ANOTHER UNIVERSITY IN ANOTHER COUNTRY – WILL THE MINISTRY REVIEW BOTH?

AS MENTIONED EARLIER, IN THIS CASE, THE SCREENING COMMITTEE WILL REFER TO THE LATEST DOCUMENT AND DISCARD THE OFFER YOU UPLOADED EARLIER. YOU ARE ADVISED TO UPLOAD ONE UNCONDITIONAL LETTER OF ACCEPTANCE PLUS, IF REQUIRED, A SUPPORTING DOCUMENT (E.G. AN EMAIL) ISSUED BY THE UNIVERSITY'S ADMISSIONS OFFICE PROVIDING MORE DETAILS ABOUT THE OFFER AS EXPLAINED IN THE BOOKLET AND THIS DOCUMENT,, THE LETTER OF ACCEPTANCE SHOULD HAVE BEEN ISSUED **BY ONE OF THE APPROVED UNIVERSITIES OR BY AN ENTITY USED BY STUDENTS TO APPLY TO UNIVERSITIES AND THAT HAS BEEN AUTHORISED TO ISSUE LETTERS OF ACCEPTANCE ON BEHALF OF THE UNIVERSITY.**

PLEASE ALSO REFER TO THE UPDATED LISTS OF UNIVERSITIES APPROVED FOR THE DIRECT ENTRY SCHOLARSHIP FOR THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2021/22 ON THE FOLLOWING PAGES – THE UPDATES CONCERNED UNIVERSITIES IN AUSTRALIA, NEW ZEALAND AND SCOTLAND.



قائمة مؤسسات التعليم العالي المعتمدة من قبل وزارة التعليم العالي
لبعثات القبول المباشر للعام الأكاديمي 2021/2022
مصنفة حسب الدولة/القارة وبالترتيب الأبجدي*

LISTS OF HIGHER EDUCATION INSTITUTIONS* APPROVED FOR THE DIRECT ENTRY SCHOLARSHIP (DES) PROGRAMME FOR THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2021/22 LISTED BY COUNTRY/CONTINENT AND IN ALPHABETICAL ORDER



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***NOTA BENE FOR DE001 APPLICANTS ON BEHALF OF THE EXTERNAL SCHOLARSHIPS DEPARTMENT,
DIRECTORATE-GENERAL FOR SCHOLARSHIPS,
MINISTRY OF HIGHER EDUCATION, RESEARCH AND INNOVATION (MoHERI):**

The list of Higher Education Institutions approved for DES was updated due to circumstances beyond the Ministry's reasonable control as the borders of Australia and New Zealand remain closed to international students due to the pandemic, and following MoHERI's public announcement in June 2021, the approved universities in Australia and New Zealand were removed from the lists of approved universities in view of the academic year 2021/22.

As previously mentioned, students with offers from approved universities in Scotland may submit an offer of admission based on a year 1 point of entry (instead of year 2). The general terms and conditions and eligibility criteria were published in the DES booklet and HEAC student guide.
The following list of approved universities supersedes the list of universities published in December 2020.

مؤسسات التعليم العالي في الدول الآسيوية المعتمدة لبعثات القبول المباشر 22/21

يمكن للطلبة الراغبين في التنافس على البرنامج تقديم طلب لأي من الجامعات الآسيوية المشار إليها أدناه والحصول على قبول مباشر وغير مشروط لدرجة البكالوريوس لأي تخصص ما عدا تخصصات الطب البشري، وطب الأسنان، والطب البيطري، والصيدلة. يرجى الأخذ في الاعتبار بأنه سوف يستبعد أي قبول يحتوي على برنامج لغوي أو سنة تأسيسية أو أي برامج تجسيرية.

HIGHER EDUCATION INSTITUTIONS (HEIs) APPROVED BY THE MoHERI FOR THE DES SCHEME IN ASIAN COUNTRIES FOR THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2021/22:

Prospective DES applicants may make an application to any of the following HEIs in ASIAN COUNTRIES and apply for admission directly into any eligible undergraduate degree course of their choice, with the exception of Medicine, Dentistry, Veterinary Medicine or Pharmacy. Please note that the DE scholarship does NOT cover any pre-sessional language and/or foundation pathways, bridging course or similar.

CHINA

BEIHANG UNIVERSITY
ev.buaa.edu.cn

CENTRAL SOUTH UNIVERSITY
en.csu.edu.cn

CHINA AGRICULTURAL UNIVERSITY
www.cau.edu.cn

CHINA UNIVERSITY OF GEOSCIENCES
en.cug.edu.cn

CHONGQING UNIVERSITY
english.cqu.edu.cn

DALIAN UNIVERSITY OF TECHNOLOGY
en.dlut.edu.cn

EAST CHINA NORMAL UNIVERSITY
english.ecnu.edu.cn

FUDAN UNIVERSITY
www.fudan.edu.cn

HARBIN INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY
en.hit.edu.cn

HUAZHONG UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY
english.hust.edu.cn

HUNAN UNIVERSITY
www-en.hnu.edu.cn

JILIN UNIVERSITY
global.jlu.edu.cn

TONGJI UNIVERSITY
www.tongji.edu.cn

NANJING UNIVERSITY
www.nju.edu.cn/EN

NANKAI UNIVERSITY
study.nankai.edu.cn

PEKING UNIVERSITY
english.pku.edu.cn

SHANGHAI JIAO TONG UNIVERSITY
en.sjtu.edu.cn

EAST CHINA NORMAL UNIVERSITY
lxs.ecnu.edu.cn

SICHUAN UNIVERSITY
www.scu.edu.cn/en

SUN YAT-SEN UNIVERSITY
www.sysu.edu.cn/2012/en/index.htm

SOOCHOW UNIVERSITY
eng.suda.edu.cn

SOUTH CHINA UNIVERSITY OF TECHNOLOGY
en.scut.edu.cn

NORTHWESTERN POLYTECHNICAL UNIVERSITY
en.nwpu.edu.cn

TIANJIN UNIVERSITY
www.tju.edu.cn/english

TSINGHUA UNIVERSITY
www.tsinghua.edu.cn/publish/newthuen

UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY OF CHINA
en.ustc.edu.cn/mainm.htm

WUHAN UNIVERSITY
en.whu.edu.cn

XIAMEN UNIVERSITY
en.xmu.edu.cn

XIÁN JIAOTONG UNIVERSITY
en.xjtu.edu.cn

ZHEJIANG UNIVERSITY
www.zju.edu.cn/english

SINGAPORE

NANYANG TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY
www.ntu.edu.sg/Pages/home.aspx

NATIONAL UNIVERSITY OF SINGAPORE
nus.edu.sg

SOUTH KOREA

HANYANG UNIVERSITY
www.hanyang.ac.kr

KOREA ADVANCED INSTITUTE OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY
www.kaist.ac.kr/html/en

KOREA UNIVERSITY
www.korea.edu

KYUNG HEE UNIVERSITY
www.khu.ac.kr

POHANG UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY
www.postech.ac.kr

SEOUL NATIONAL UNIVERSITY
www.useoul.edu

SUNGKYUNKWAN UNIVERSITY
www.skku.edu/eng

UNIVERSITY OF ULSAN
ulsan.ac.kr

YONSEI UNIVERSITY (SEOUL CAMPUS)
www.yonsei.ac.kr

HONG KONG

CHINESE UNIVERSITY OF HONG KONG
www.cuhk.edu.hk

CITY UNIVERSITY OF HONG KONG
www.cityu.edu.hk

HONG KONG POLYTECHNIC UNIVERSITY
www.polyu.edu.hk

HONG KONG UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY
www.ust.hk

UNIVERSITY OF HONG KONG
www.hku.hk

JAPAN

HOKKAIDO UNIVERSITY
www.global.hokudai.ac.jp

KEIO UNIVERSITY
www.keio.ac.jp

KYOTO UNIVERSITY
www.kyoto-u.ac.jp/en

KYUSHU UNIVERSITY
www.kyushu-u.ac.jp/en

NAGOYA UNIVERSITY
en.nagoya-u.ac.jp

OSAKA UNIVERSITY
www.osaka-u.ac.jp

TOHOKU UNIVERSITY
www.tohoku.ac.jp

TOKYO INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY
www.titech.ac.jp/english

UNIVERSITY OF TOKYO
www.u-tokyo.ac.jp/en/index.html

UNIVERSITY OF TSUKUBA
www.tsukuba.ac.jp/en

WASEDA UNIVERSITY
www.waseda.jp/top/en

MALAYSIA

UNIVERSITY OF MALAYA
www.um.edu.my

مؤسسات التعليم العالي في الدول الأوروبية المعتمدة لبعثات القبول المباشر 22/21

يمكن للطلبة الراغبين في التنافس على هذا البرنامج تقديم طلب لأي من الجامعات الأوروبية المشار إليها أدناه والحصول على قبول مباشر وغير مشروط لدرجة البكالوريوس لأي تخصص ما عدا تخصصات الطب البشري، وطب الأسنان، والطب البيطري، والصيدلة. يرجى الأخذ في الاعتبار بأنه سوف يستبعد أي قبول يحتوي على برنامج لغوي أو سنة تأسيسية أو أي برامج تجسيرية (pre-sessional language or foundation course).

HIGHER EDUCATION INSTITUTIONS (HEIs) APPROVED BY THE MoHERI FOR THE DES SCHEME IN CONTINENTAL EUROPEAN COUNTRIES FOR THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2021/22: Prospective DES applicants may make an application to any of the following HEIs and in any eligible undergraduate degree course, with the exception of Medicine, Dentistry, Veterinary Medicine or Pharmacy. The DE scholarship does NOT cover any pre-sessional language and/or foundation pathways or similar.

AUSTRIA

UNIVERSITY OF INNSBRUCK
www.uibk.ac.at/index.html.en

UNIVERSITY OF VIENNA
www.univie.ac.at/en

VIENNA UNIVERSITY OF TECHNOLOGY
www.tuwien.ac.at/en

BELGIUM

GHENT UNIVERSITY
www.ugent.be/en

KATHOLIEKE UNIVERSITEIT (KU) LEUVEN
www.kuleuven.be/english

UNIVERSITÉ CATHOLIQUE DE LOUVAIN
uclouvain.be

UNIVERSITÉ LIBRE DE BRUXELLES
www.ulb.ac.be

UNIVERSITY OF ANTWERP
www.uantwerpen.be/en

VRIJE UNIVERSITEIT BRUSSEL
www.vub.ac.be/en

DENMARK

AALBORG UNIVERSITY
www.en.aau.dk

AARHUS UNIVERSITY
international.au.dk

TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY OF DENMARK
international.au.dk

UNIVERSITY OF COPENHAGEN
www.ku.dk/english

UNIVERSITY OF SOUTHERN DENMARK
www.sdu.dk/en

FINLAND

AALTO UNIVERSITY
www.aalto.fi

UNIVERSITY OF HELSINKI
www.helsinki.fi/e

FRANCE

ÉCOLE NORMALE SUPÉRIEURE DE LYON
www.ens-lyon.fr

ÉCOLE POLYTECHNIQUE
www.polytechnique.edu/en

GRENOBLE ALPES UNIVERSITY
www.univ-grenoble-alpes.fr/en

MONTPELLIER UNIVERSITY
www.umontpellier.fr

SORBONNE UNIVERSITY
www.sorbonne-universite.fr/en

UNIVERSITY OF BORDEAUX
www.u-bordeaux.com

GERMANY

BIELEFELD UNIVERSITY
www.uni-bielefeld.de/(en)

HEIDELBERG UNIVERSITY
www.heidelberg.edu

JOHANNES GUTENBERG UNIVERSITY OF MAINZ
www.uni-mainz.de/eng

KARLSRUHE INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY
www.kit.edu/english

RUHR UNIVERSITY BOCHUM
www.ruhr-uni-bochum.de/en

RWTH AACHEN UNIVERSITY
www.rwth-aachen.de

TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY OF BERLIN
www.tu-berlin.de

TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY OF DARMSTADT
www.tu-darmstadt.de

TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY OF MUNICH
www.tum.de/en

TU DRESDEN
tu-dresden.de

ULM UNIVERSITY
www.uni-ulm.de/en

UNIVERSITY OF BAYREUTH
www.uni-bayreuth.de/en

UNIVERSITY OF COLOGNE
www.portal.uni-koeln.de/uoc_home.html?L=1

UNIVERSITY OF DUISBURG-ESSEN
www.uni-due.de/en

UNIVERSITY OF ERLANGEN-NUREMBERG
www.fau.eu

UNIVERSITY OF FREIBURG
www.uni-freiburg.de

UNIVERSITY OF HAMBURG
www.uni-hamburg.de/en.html

UNIVERSITY OF KIEL
www.uni-kiel.de/en/?no_cache=1

UNIVERSITY OF KONSTANZ
www.uni-konstanz.de/en

UNIVERSITY OF STUTTGART
www.uni-stuttgart.de/en

NORWAY

UNIVERSITY OF BERGEN
www.uib.no/en

NORWEGIAN UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY
www.ntnu.edu

UNIVERSITY OF OSLO
www.uio.no/english

ITALY

SAPIENZA UNIVERSITY OF ROME
www.uniroma1.it/en

UNIVERSITY OF BOLOGNA
www.unibo.it/en0

UNIVERSITY OF MILAN
www.unimi.it/ENG

UNIVERSITY OF PISA
www.unipi.it/index.php/english

VITA-SALUTE SAN RAFFAELE UNIVERSITY
www.unisr.it/en

SPAIN

AUTONOMOUS UNIVERSITY OF BARCELONA
www.uab.cat/en

POMPEU FABRA UNIVERSITY
www.upf.edu/en/home

COMPLUTENSE UNIVERSITY OF MADRID
www.ucm.es/english

UNIVERSITY OF BARCELONA
www.ub.edu/web/ub/en

SWEDEN

CHALMERS UNIVERSITY OF TECHNOLOGY
www.chalmers.se/en

KTH ROYAL INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY
www.kth.se/en

LINKÖPING UNIVERSITY
liu.se/en

LUND UNIVERSITY
www.lunduniversity.lu.se

STOCKHOLM UNIVERSITY
www.su.se/english

UNIVERSITY OF GOTHENBURG
www.gu.se/english

UPPSALA UNIVERSITY
www.uu.se/en

SWITZERLAND

ÉCOLE POLYTECHNIQUE FÉDÉRALE DE LAUSANNE
www.epfl.ch/en/hom

UNIVERSITY OF BASEL
www.unibas.ch/en.html

UNIVERSITY OF BERN
www.unibe.ch/index_eng.html

UNIVERSITY OF GENEVA
www.unige.ch/en/university

UNIVERSITY OF LAUSANNE
www.unil.ch/central/en/home.html

UNIVERSITY OF ZURICH
www.uzh.ch/en.html

THE NETHERLANDS

DELFT UNIVERSITY OF TECHNOLOGY
www.tudelft.nl/en

EINDHOVEN UNIVERSITY OF TECHNOLOGY
www.tue.nl/en

ERASMUS UNIVERSITY ROTTERDAM
www.eur.nl/en

GRONINGEN UNIVERSITY
www.rug.nl

LEIDEN UNIVERSITY
www.universiteitleiden.nl/en

MAASTRICHT UNIVERSITY
www.maastrichtuniversity.nl

RADBOD UNIVERSITY NIJMEGEN
www.ru.nl/english

UNIVERSITY OF AMSTERDAM
www.uva.nl/en/home

UTRECHT UNIVERSITY
www.uu.nl/en

VRIJE UNIVERSITEIT AMSTERDAM
www.vu.nl/en

WAGENINGEN UNIVERSITY
www.wur.nl/en



مؤسسات التعليم العالي الكندية المعتمدة لبعثات القبول المباشر 22/21

يمكن للطلبة الراغبين في التنافس على هذا البرنامج تقديم طلب لأي من الجامعات الكندية المشار إليها أدناه والحصول على قبول مباشر وغير مشروط لدرجة البكالوريوس لأي تخصص ما عدا تخصصات الطب البشري، وطب الأسنان، والطب البيطري، والصيدلة أو أي تخصصات علمية مهنية أخرى (مثل: القانون، المعمار.. الخ) وأية برامج تتطلب دراسة مؤهل يتجاوز المرحلة الجامعية الأولى أو تتطلب دراسة شهادتين جامعتين. يرجى الأخذ في الاعتبار بأنه سوف يستبعد أي قبول يحتوي على برنامج لغوي أو سنة تأسيسية أو أي برامج تجسيرية (pre-sessional language or foundation course)، ويمكن اعتبار أي قبول صادر من كندا ويتضمن freshman year IS كقبول مباشر.

HIGHER EDUCATION INSTITUTIONS (HEIs) APPROVED BY THE MoHERI FOR THE DES SCHEME IN CANADA FOR THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2021/22: Prospective DES applicants may make an application to any of the following HEIs in Canada and in any eligible undergraduate (UG) degree course, EXCEPT for in Medicine, Dentistry, Veterinary Medicine, Pharmacy or any other professional degree course as these are usually not available at UG degree level in Canada. The DES also does NOT cover any pre-sessional language, foundation course, bridging programme other similar. Direct entry means level of entry 1 and this can include the first year of a 4 year undergraduate degree course that can either start in the Fall or Winter term (first or second intake).

MCGILL UNIVERSITY
www.mcgill.ca

MCMASTER UNIVERSITY
www.mcmaster.ca

UNIVERSITY OF ALBERTA
www.ualberta.ca

UNIVERSITY OF BRITISH COLUMBIA
www.ubc.ca

UNIVERSITY OF CALGARY
www.ucalgary.ca

UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO
www.utoronto.ca

UNIVERSITY OF WATERLOO
www.uwaterloo.ca



THE REPUBLIC OF IRELAND

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مؤسسات التعليم العالي الايرلندية المعتمدة لبعثات القبول المباشر 22/21

للطلبة الراغبين في التنافس على هذا البرنامج تقديم طلب لأي من الجامعات الأيرلندية المشار إليها أدناه والحصول على قبول مباشر وغير مشروط لدرجة البكالوريوس لأي تخصص بما فيها تخصصات الطب البشري، وطب الأسنان، والطب البيطري، والصيدلة. يرجى الأخذ في الاعتبار بأنه سوف يستبعد أي قبول يحتوي على برنامج لغوي أو سنة تأسيسية أو أي برامج تجسيرية .

تنوه الوزارة بأن أنظمة ولوائح جمهورية إيرلندا تلزم مخرجات دبلوم التعليم العام الحكومية وبعض المدارس ثنائية اللغة على دراسة البرنامج التأسيسي، لذا لا ننصح هذه الفئة بالتقدم للجامعات الإيرلندية لبرنامج القبول المباشر.

HIGHER EDUCATION INSTITUTIONS (HEIs) APPROVED BY THE MoHERI FOR THE DES SCHEME IN IRELAND FOR THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2021/22: Prospective DES applicants may make an application to any of the following HEIs in any eligible undergraduate degree course, including Medicine, Dentistry, Veterinary Medicine or Pharmacy. Please note that the DES scholarship does NOT cover any pre-sessional language and/or foundation pathways or similar.

TRINITY COLLEGE DUBLIN
www.tcd.ie

UNIVERSITY COLLEGE DUBLIN
www.ucd.ie



مؤسسات التعليم العالي البريطانية المعتمدة لبعثات القبول المباشر 22/21 يمكن للطلبة الراغبين في التنافس على هذا البرنامج تقديم طلب لأي من الجامعات في المملكة المتحدة المشار إليها أدناه والحصول على قبول مباشر وغير مشروط لدرجة البكالوريوس لأي تخصص بما فيها تخصصات الطب البشري، وطب الأسنان، والطب البيطري، والصيدلة .

❖ **الجامعات المبينة باللون الأحمر** هي الجامعات المعتمدة لتخصصات الطب البشري، وطب الأسنان، والطب البيطري، والصيدلة فقط وليس لباقي التخصصات .

❖ في بعثات القبول المباشر سيتم استبعاد أي قبول يحتوي على برنامج لغوي أو سنة تأسيسية أو أي برامج تجسيرية .

❖ تنوه الوزارة بأن أنظمة ولوائح المملكة المتحدة تلزم مخرجات دبلوم التعليم العام الحكومية وبعض المدارس ثنائية اللغة على دراسة البرنامج التأسيسي، لذا لا ننصح هذه الفئة بالتقدم للجامعات البريطانية لبرنامج القبول المباشر .

❖ لا يعتبر القبول الذي يتضمن (integrated foundation programme، foundation certificate، international year one أو ما يعادلها) قبولاً مباشراً، حيث أن القبول المباشر في الجامعات البريطانية يكون (point of entry year 1) ويتم تدريسه في نفس الجامعة أو المؤسسة .

HIGHER EDUCATION INSTITUTIONS (HEIs) APPROVED FOR THE DES SCHEME IN THE UK FOR THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2021/22

- ❖ Prospective DES applicants may make an application to any of the following HEIs in any eligible undergraduate degree course, including Medicine, Dentistry, Veterinary Medicine or Pharmacy.
- ❖ The HEIs **marked in red** are approved for Medicine, Dentistry, Veterinary Medicine or Pharmacy ONLY and NOT for any other courses. All the other HEIs are approved for all undergraduate courses (as per their availability).
- ❖ The DES scholarship does NOT cover any pre-sessional pathways, language course, foundation programme or similar. Students should be aware of the fact that universities in the UK, as per UK rules and regulations, are usually NOT able to exempt General Education Certificate (GED)-holders from having to pursue a pre-sessional programme due to the duration and 'maturity' of their secondary school education and regardless of their grades.
- ❖ Please note that an international year one, foundation certificate, integrated foundation programme or similar are **NOT** considered a direct entry - a direct entry in the UK means point of entry year 1, except for in Scotland, and should concern a course taught AT and (directly BY) the HEI.

ENGLAND

CARDIFF UNIVERSITY
www.cardiff.ac.uk

DURHAM UNIVERSITY
www.dur.ac.uk

IMPERIAL COLLEGE LONDON
www.imperial.ac.uk

KING'S COLLEGE LONDON
www.kcl.ac.uk

LONDON SCHOOL OF ECONOMICS AND POLITICAL SCIENCE
www.lse.ac.uk

NEWCASTLE UNIVERSITY
www.ncl.ac.uk

QUEEN MARY UNIVERSITY OF LONDON
www.qmul.ac.uk

UNIVERSITY OF BIRMINGHAM
www.birmingham.ac.uk

UNIVERSITY OF BRISTOL
www.bristol.ac.uk

UNIVERSITY OF CAMBRIDGE
www.cam.ac.uk

UNIVERSITY COLLEGE LONDON (UCL)
www.ucl.ac.uk

UNIVERSITY OF EXETER
www.exeter.ac.uk

UNIVERSITY OF LEEDS
www.leeds.ac.uk

UNIVERSITY OF LIVERPOOL
www.liverpool.ac.uk

UNIVERSITY OF MANCHESTER
www.manchester.ac.uk

UNIVERSITY OF NOTTINGHAM
www.nottingham.ac.uk

UNIVERSITY OF OXFORD
www.ox.ac.uk

UNIVERSITY OF SOUTHAMPTON
www.southampton.ac.uk

UNIVERSITY OF SHEFFIELD
www.sheffield.ac.uk

UNIVERSITY OF WARWICK
www.warwick.ac.uk

UNIVERSITY OF YORK
www.york.ac.uk

SCOTLAND

Students can apply to study a programme at the following Scottish universities provided the programme starts in Year 1.

UNIVERSITY OF EDINBURGH
www.ed.ac.uk

UNIVERSITY OF GLASGOW
www.gla.ac.uk

UNIVERSITY OF DUNDEE
www.dundee.ac.uk

UNIVERSITY OF EAST ANGLIA
www.uea.ac.uk

UNIVERSITY OF LEICESTER
www.le.ac.uk

UNIVERSITY OF ST ANDREWS
www.st-andrews.ac.uk



الجامعات المبينة باللون الأحمر هي الجامعات المعتمدة لتخصصات الطب البشري، وطب الأسنان، والطب البيطري، والصيدلة فقط وليس لتخصصات.

The following HEIs (marked in **red**) in the UK are approved for courses **NO OTHER** than Medicine, Dentistry, Veterinary Medicine (VET) or Pharmacy **ONLY**, while all of the above-mentioned UK universities are approved for any undergraduate degree courses (including Medicine, Dentistry, VET or Pharmacy - subject to availability). The point of entry at the following HEIs should be year 1, including at the Scottish universities marked in **red**.

مؤسسات التعليم العالي الأمريكية المعتمدة لبعثات القبول المباشر 22/21 يمكن للطلبة الراغبين في التنافس على هذا البرنامج تقديم طلب لأي من الجامعات الأمريكية المشار إليها أدناه والحصول على قبول مباشر وغير مشروط لدرجة البكالوريوس لأي تخصص ما عدا تخصصات الطب البشري، وطب الأسنان، والطب البيطري، والصيدلة أو أي تخصصات علمية مهنية أخرى (مثل: القانون، المعمار.. الخ) وأية برامج تتطلب دراسة مؤهل يتجاوز المرحلة الجامعية الأولى أو تتطلب دراسة شهادتين جامعتين. سوف يستبعد أي قبول يحتوي على برنامج لغوي أو سنة تأسيسية أو أي برامج تجسيرية. وجب التنويه بأن العام الأكاديمي المعروف ب freshman يعادل السنة الأولى وعليه يعامل كقبول مباشر. سوف يستبعد القبول الذي لا يحتوي على اسم التخصص , كما يجب ان يكون القبول صادرا من المقر الرئيسي للجامعة كما هو محدد باللون الأحمر في القائمة ، ويجب أن تكون الدراسة في المقر الرئيسي اعتبارا من السنة الأولى ولا يقبل بخلاف ذلك.

HIGHER EDUCATION INSTITUTIONS (HEIs) APPROVED BY THE MoHERI FOR THE DES SCHEME IN THE USA FOR THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2021/22: Students make may an application to any of the following schools in the USA, except for in Medicine, Dentistry, VET or any other professional degree programme. The DES scheme does NOT cover any pre-session courses, however, the freshman year is considered a direct entry into the first year of an UG degree course while the offer should include the name of the intended major. DES recipients have to study, from the first year onwards, at the MAIN campus as marked in RED underneath the names of the following approved schools. You are NOT allowed to study at a branch campus (abroad OR in-country). DES recipients may start with their UG studies in the fall semester 2021 or spring semester 2022 (if the US school offers two intakes).

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| BOSTON COLLEGE Newton, Massachusetts www.bc.edu | NEW YORK UNIVERSITY (NYU) New York City, New York www.nyu.edu | UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, RIVERSIDE (UC RIVERSIDE) Riverside, California www.ucr.edu | UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA AT CHAPEL HILL Chapel Hill, North Carolina www.unc.edu |
| BOSTON UNIVERSITY Boston, Massachusetts www.bu.edu | NORTH CAROLINA STATE UNIVERSITY Raleigh, North Carolina www.ncsu.edu | UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, SAN DIEGO (UC SAN DIEGO) San Diego, California www.ucsd.edu | UNIVERSITY OF NOTRE DAME Notre Dame, Indiana www.nd.edu |
| BRANDEIS UNIVERSITY Waltham, Massachusetts www.brandeis.edu | MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY East Lansing, Michigan www.msu.edu | UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, SANTA BARBARA (UC SANTA BARBARA) Santa Barbara, California www.ucsb.edu | UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA (UPENN) Philadelphia, Pennsylvania www.upenn.edu |
| BROWN UNIVERSITY (BROWN) Providence, Rhode Island www.brown.edu | NORTHEASTERN UNIVERSITY Boston, Massachusetts www.northeastern.edu | UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, SANTA CRUZ (UC SANTA CRUZ) Santa Cruz, California www.ucsc.edu | UNIVERSITY OF PITTSBURGH Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania www.pitt.edu |
| CASE WESTERN RESERVE UNIVERSITY Cleveland, Ohio www.case.edu | NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY Evanston, Illinois www.northwestern.edu | UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO Chicago, Illinois www.uchicago.edu | UNIVERSITY OF ROCHESTER Rochester, New York www.rochester.edu |
| COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY (COLUMBIA) New York City, New York www.columbia.edu | OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY Columbus, Ohio www.osu.edu | UNIVERSITY OF COLORADO BOULDER Boulder, Colorado www.colorado.edu | UNIVERSITY OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA Los Angeles, California www.usc.edu |
| CALIFORNIA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY (CALTECH) Pasadena, California www.caltech.edu | PENNSYLVANIA STATE UNIVERSITY (PENN STATE) University Park, Pennsylvania www.psu.edu | UNIVERSITY OF DELAWARE Newark, Delaware www.udel.edu | UNIVERSITY OF TENNESSEE, KNOXVILLE Knoxville, Tennessee www.utk.edu |
| CORNELL UNIVERSITY Ithaca, New York www.cornell.edu | PRINCETON UNIVERSITY (PRINCETON) Princeton, New Jersey www.princeton.edu | UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA Gainesville, Florida www.ufl.edu | UNIVERSITY OF VIRGINIA Charlottesville, Virginia www.virginia.edu |
| CARNEGIE MELLON UNIVERSITY Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania www.cmu.edu | PURDUE UNIVERSITY West Lafayette, Indiana www.purdue.edu | UNIVERSITY OF GEORGIA Athens, Georgia www.uga.edu | UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON Seattle, Washington www.washington.edu |
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