

Degree classification of BPTC students

The data below shows a breakdown of characteristics of UK/EU domiciled students from 2011-2015 by first degree classification. It demonstrates that a requirement of a minimum 2:1 or first class degree for entry to the BPTC could have a disproportionate effect on certain groups, including BAME students, women, those with a declared disability and those who studied at academic institutions outside of the top 50 universities.

Degree classification and ethnicity (for UK/EU domiciled students only).

UK/EU domiciled only: Enrolled on BPTC from 2011-2015 (academic years): Percentage of intake for each degree class by ethnicity							
First Degree Classification	Asian/Asian British	Black/Black British	Mixed/Multiple ethnic groups	Not provided	Other ethnic group	White	Grand Total
First class	5.59%	3.08%	2.97%	10.27%	1.26%	76.83%	100.00%
Upper second class	12.91%	7.66%	4.12%	7.71%	1.43%	66.16%	100.00%
Lower second class	28.32%	14.24%	3.24%	13.92%	2.75%	37.54%	100.00%

Degree classification and gender (for UK/EU domiciled students only).

First Degree Classification	Female	Male	Not provided	Grand Total
First class	45.89%	54.11%	0.00%	100.00%
Upper second class	54.55%	45.41%	0.04%	100.00%
Lower second class	53.88%	45.63%	0.49%	100.00%

Degree classification and disability (for UK/EU domiciled students only).

First Degree Classification	Disability declared	No disability declared	Not provided	Grand Total
First class	8.11%	91.10%	0.80%	100.00%
Upper second class	11.03%	87.76%	1.21%	100.00%
Lower second class	13.27%	84.95%	1.78%	100.00%

Degree classification and first degree institution ranking (for UK/EU domiciled students only).

First Degree Classification	Top ten	Next forty	Other University	0	Not provided	Overseas	Grand Total
First class	38.01%	33.33%	25.91%	0.11%	2.05%	0.57%	100.00%
Upper second class	27.07%	42.45%	24.97%	0.31%	4.71%	0.49%	100.00%
Lower second class	6.80%	36.57%	49.03%	0.81%	6.15%	0.65%	100.00%