



Freedom of Information Request

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[REDACTED]
Fri, Aug 11, 2023 at 9:15 AM

To: info-compliance@kcl.ac.uk

Hello

This is an FOI request about the Lau China Institute.

It has been reported that the Lau China Institute was set up following a donation from Dr Lau Ming-wai, who is based in Hong Kong. Please provide

- a) emails sent in 2011 and 2012 between KCL staff responsible for administering this donation and Dr Lau,
 - b) any due diligence conducted by KCL on Dr Lau,
 - c) a list of Dr Lau's visits to the Institute,
 - d) any agreement or MoU signed in relation to this gift,
 - e) details of any requests Dr Lau made in respect of his gift or has made since,
 - f) details of any further donations by Dr Lau, or any other 'ongoing support' as mentioned here (<https://www.kcl.ac.uk/lci/assets/ming-wai-lau-summary-report-final-2020.pdf>)
 - g) information as to how Dr Lau's donation is held by KCL. Is it invested? Is it in an endowment?
- [REDACTED]

Information Compliance <info-compliance@kcl.ac.uk>

Sat, Aug 12, 2023 at 11:25 AM

To: [REDACTED]

Dear [REDACTED]

Further to your request for information dated 11th August 2023, please can you clarify the following part(s) of your request:

- b) any due diligence conducted by KCL on Dr Lau,*
- c) a list of Dr Lau's visits to the Institute,*
- d) any agreement or MoU signed in relation to this gift,*

Please can you provide the time frame you are interested in for the above questions.

Your request has been put on hold until we hear from you. Once we receive clarification, the university will respond to your request as soon as possible.

Kind Regards,

[REDACTED]

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From: [Redacted]
Sent: Friday, August 11, 2023 10:15 AM
To: Information Compliance <info-compliance@kcl.ac.uk>
Subject: Freedom of Information Request

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Mon, Aug 14, 2023 at 3:21 PM

To: Information Compliance <info-compliance@kcl.ac.uk>

Hi

The University must do its due diligence before receiving the money, so I think b) is self explanatory. The same goes for d): the MoU or agreement would date from the time the gift was agreed...

c) should be in the last ten years.

Please let me know you are proceeding with my request.

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