

28 February 2024

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By email to:

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Your request for information received on 26 February 2024 has been dealt with under the provisions of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA).

You requested the following information:

Please provide the following information:

- From 2015 to 2023, the numbers of Middlesex University London degrees (including all Bachelor and Master) conferred every year at the Middlesex College of Minzu University of China. Please provide this information in aggregated numbers by different programmes.
- Lists of education programmes, research projects, and research grants that are currently
 operational at Middlesex College of Minzu University of China, either participated by Middlesex
 College of Minzu University of China students and staff or sponsored by the Middlesex College of
 Minzu University of China and the Middlesex University London.
- Middlesex University London policies and governance structure which oversee the operations, including student experience and research, at the Middlesex College of Minzu University of China. Please provide relevant policy documents and/or relevant administrative staff role specifications where applicable.
- From 2015 to 2023, donations, grants, and research fundings received by the Middlesex University London and its affiliated entities from the Minzu University of China and/or any affiliated individuals, companies, or relevant Chinese official agencies.

The University's response

We have not conferred any degrees yet as the joint institute hasonly just launched.; We have four Undergraduate programmes and one Postgraduate. The staffing so far has been simply an administrative post (through the University's China office) and we have staff providing the English Language tuition.

There are no donations, grants or research income.

Your Right to Request a University Review of the Response

If you are not satisfied with the response above, you have the right to request a review. You should address your review request to Jo Farrington, using the email address: j.farrington@mdx.ac.uk.

A review request must be made within 40 working days of the response you want reviewed. Please note we are not obliged to carry out a review if the request is made after 40 working days.

When we acknowledge your review request, we will specify when you will receive the review outcome, which should be 20 working days from the date we received your review request. There may be circumstances where we will need more time to complete an internal review, for example if the matter is complex, or we need to consult with third parties, or we need to consider substantial amounts of information. If we do need additional time we will let you know when we acknowledge the review request. Any extension of time should not exceed an additional 20 working days, unless there are legitimate reasons for a longer extension.

The outcome of the review request will be one of the following

- (I) To uphold the response provided in this letter above;
- (II) To reverse it; or
- (III) To modify it.

If you remain dissatisfied with the outcome of the review, you may complain to the Information Commissioner's Office.

Yours faithfully