

UCAS Conservatoires End of Cycle 2016 Data Resources



CD1_017_08 Acceptances by POLAR3

Statistic: Acceptances

Variables: POLAR3 Quintile , Cycle Year

Coverage: UK domiciled undergraduate age 18

Definitions

POLAR3 Quintile

Developed by HEFCE, POLAR3 classifies small areas across the UK into five groups according to their level of young participation in Higher Education. Each of these groups represents around 20 per cent of young people and is ranked from Quintile 1 (areas with the lowest young participation rates, considered as the most disadvantaged) to Quintile 5 (highest young participation rates, considered most advantaged). These groups are assigned using the postcode declared by the applicant at the time of their application. If a UK postcode is invalid, considered unsafe for measurement or there is no link to Census geography possible then the applicant is classified as 'Not Assigned'.

Cycle year

The application year in which the application was processed.

Acceptances

An acceptance is defined as an applicant who has been accepted to start a course through the UCAS Conservatoires scheme.

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POLAR3 Quintile	Acceptances by Cycle Year						
	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
POLAR3 Quintile 1	15	15	10	25	30	35	30
POLAR3 Quintile 2	40	40	50	55	60	75	65
POLAR3 Quintile 3	60	50	60	75	75	100	90
POLAR3 Quintile 4	115	70	100	120	110	140	135
POLAR3 Quintile 5	135	135	135	190	205	240	195
Not Assigned	5	0	5	0	0	5	0
Total	365	310	360	470	480	600	520