Teaching Excellence Framework: Year two

Statement of findings

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TEF Silver

This award was made in June 2017 and is valid for up to three years.

The TEF Panel reviewed the provider metrics and provider submission according to the process and criteria specified in the TEF guidance.

The provider metrics supplemented by the submission indicate that students achieve excellent outcomes. While the provider has above benchmark performance for teaching, assessment and feedback, academic support, employment, highly-skilled employment or further study, retention of its students is below benchmark and this factor is not adequately explained by the written submission.

The Panel considered the College submission in relation to the TEF criteria and its judgement reflects, in particular, evidence of:

- the excellent focus on learning and teaching, enterprise and skills in a local context
- small group teaching and skills development support which is highly valued by students
- the highly effective partnership approach to students and student feedback through which students are involved in decision making
- the implementation of an institutional culture that facilitates, recognises and rewards excellent teaching.

Overall, the TEF Panel judged that the combination of evidence in the provider metrics and the provider submission best fits the descriptor for a Silver award.

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