Teaching Excellence Framework: Year two

Statement of findings

The London School of Economics and Political Science

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TEF Bronze

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 provider submission, indicate that while very high proportions of students progress to highly skilled employment or further study, which is notably above benchmark for many student groups, progression to employment or further study is notably below benchmark. Students' levels of satisfaction with teaching, assessment and feedback, and academic support, are also notably below benchmark. The Panel deemed that the provider submission partially addressed this pattern of performance.

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

- a research-led curriculum taught by world-renowned experts, visiting scholars and research-active staff
- an educational framework that is both inter and multi-disciplinary, and research-led, and which provides choice and stretch for students
- significant investment in the learning environment, for example the LSE LIFE centre, opened in response to student feedback, provides access to individual support services.

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

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