Teaching Excellence Framework: Year two

Statement of findings

BMC (Brooksby Melton College)

UKPRN: 10000952

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 submission, indicate that most students achieve good outcomes. Very high proportions of students' progress to employment, and the high number of students from disadvantaged backgrounds progressing to highly skilled employment or further study notably exceeds the provider's benchmark. However, students continue with their studies at levels that are substantially below the provider's benchmark, and the Panel deemed this was partially addressed by the provider submission. The NSS metrics indicate that students are satisfied with academic support and that levels of satisfaction with assessment and feedback are marginally below benchmark. The panel noted the limited statistical significance of the provider's metrics and regarded the evidence in the submission as particularly important in reaching an overall judgement.

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

- the College's focus on employability through the embedding, within both programmes and extracurricular activities, of master classes, industry competitions and industry standard resources
- the opportunities available to students to work with industry professionals
- commendations from external examiners regarding high standards of assessment and the high quality of student work, some of which has won international awards
- substantial investment in physical and digital resources, including a permanent 35ft widescreen green screen film and TV studio, eight professional dance/performance studios and a 500 seater professional theatre.

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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