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Request Ref: 2617, 2618, 2619

FOI Request dated 27/04/2022 as follows -

1-) Number of recorded complaints made to the university, citing homophobia, in 2019, 2020,2021. Please break down by:

- complaints made by students, accusing academic staff of being homophobic against them personally - complaints made by students, accusing non-academic staff of being homophobic against them personally

- complaints made by students, accusing guest lecturers/ speakers at events of being homophobic against them personally

Please provide result for each complaint and weather it was upheld - staff member warned/ dismissed/ staff member quit/ complaint not upheld, etc.

2-) Number of recorded complaints made to the university, citing transphobia, in 2019,2020,2021. Please break down by:

complaints made by students, accusing academic staff of being transphobic against them personally
complaints made by students, accusing non-academic staff of being transphobic against them personally

- complaints made by students, accusing guest lecturers/ speakers at events of being transphobic against them personally

Please provide result for each complaint and weather it was upheld - staff member warned/ dismissed/ staff member quit/ complaint not upheld, etc.

3-) Number of recorded complaints made to the university, citing homophobia, in 2019, 2020,2021. Please break down by:

- complaints made by students, citing general homophobic believes of academic staff, expressed on social media, media interviews, publications, etc.

- complaints made by students, citing general homophobic believes of non-academic staff, expressed on social media, media interviews, publications, etc.

- complaints made by students, citing general homophobic believes of guest lecturers/ speakers at events, expressed on social media, media interviews, publications, etc.

Please provide result for each complaint and weather it was upheld - staff member warned/ dismissed/ staff member quit/ complaint not upheld, etc.

Response

There have been no formal complaints citing transphobia or homophobia involving Academic or Non – Academic staff, and no formal reports against guest speakers via Student Complaints.