Additional evidence from the Open University in Wales following the Committee meeting on Wednesday 13 November 2013

The tables attached show details of our undergraduate student numbers broken down by age from 2002/3 to 2012/13. As the table indicates, for Academic Year 2012/13 (which is the most recent year for which we have a complete set of student data figures) we had 1416 students under the age of 25. This compares to 678 students under 25 in AY 2002/3. In 2002/3 those students represented 11% of our overall undergraduate student numbers in 2013/13 that figure is 17.7%. The spreadsheet also contains graphs showing young students as a proportion of our overall undergraduate students and the breakdown of our students by age.

Information Office: Web Stats Output

SOS - Actuals - reservations and registrations / student progress

for Detailed Price Area UK price area - Wales

Generated Summary Statistics

RegStart: Registered at Module Start

Age Band	2002/03 [A]	2003/04 [A]	2004/05 [A]	2005/06 [A]	2006/07 [A]	2007/08 [A]	2008/09 [A]	2009/10 [A]	2010/11 [A]	2011/12 [A]	2012/13 [A]
0 - 17	11	15	8	14	91	149	222	182	191	251	166
18 - 20	176	149	137	152	177	198	214	259	306	338	329
21 - 24	491	528	467	527	586	612	748	846	913	936	921
25 - 29	820	835	795	763	891	951	1112	1313	1430	1518	1552
30 - 34	1052	1050	874	825	816	796	931	1169	1193	1300	1263
35 - 39	1115	1042	972	918	895	934	1016	1139	1035	1026	977
40 - 44	876	925	817	746	852	883	970	975	975	965	853
45 - 49	615	595	563	609	579	645	755	825	855	784	701
50 - 54	417	378	361	347	375	433	485	505	490	496	510
55 - 59	279	304	303	310	289	286	323	350	330	311	304
60 - 64	156	168	165	166	186	186	253	263	253	217	224
65 plus	173	169	156	182	196	219	224	235	246	230	211
	6,181	6,158	5,618	5,559	5,933	6,292	7,253	8,061	8,217	8,372	8,011
Proportion											
0 - 17	0.2%										
18 - 20	2.8%										
Under 25	11.0%	11.2%	10.9%	12.5%	14.4%	15.2%	16.3%	16.0%	17.2%	18.2%	17.7%
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Change year on ye	ear			/					/		
0 - 17		36.4%									
18 - 20		-15.3%									
Under 25		2.1%	-11.6%	13.2%	23.2%	12.3%	23.5%	8.7%	9.6%	8.2%	-7.1%
Change from 2002	1/02										
Change from 2002	2/03	26.40/	27 20/	27 20/	777 20/	1254 50/	1010 20/		1626 40/	2101.00/	1 400 10/
0 - 17		36.4%									
18 - 20		-15.3%									
Under 25		2.1%	-9.7%	2.2%	26.0%	41.4%	74.6%	89.8%	108.0%	124.9%	108.8%



