

# Headline postgraduate funding data 2022/23

4131 students have confirmed their offer and will begin their course



1966 total funding awards declared\*

30% (1274) of all students were fully funded.



69% of PhD students fully funded  
13% of Masters students fully funded

2438 (59%) of all students self funded their studies\*\*

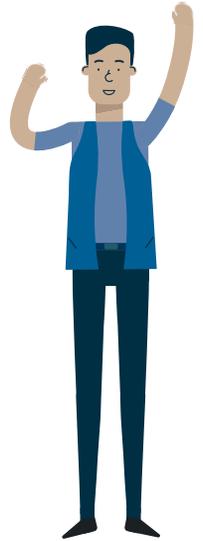


Over £100m total award value\*

\*This is a combination of Cambridge and external funder award declarations. This also includes the 3-4 years of funded Doctoral study

\*\*Loans from the UK Student Loans Company are also categorized as a method of self-funding

# Postgraduate Funding infographic 2022/23



This infographic contains applicant-declared information entered by the Postgraduate admissions office at the time of admission, through the [applicant portal](#).\*



This infographic only contains data relating to course administered by the Postgraduate Admissions Office\*\*



This infographic categorizes Masters and Doctorates based on the information in the [course directory](#).

Applicants can view funds offered by the collegiate University of Cambridge on the [Postgraduate Funding Search](#)

For 22/23, almost 500 funds were visible in the funding search. Most of these funds did not require an additional application. Your department will assess your funding application before it is assessed by the funding bodies.

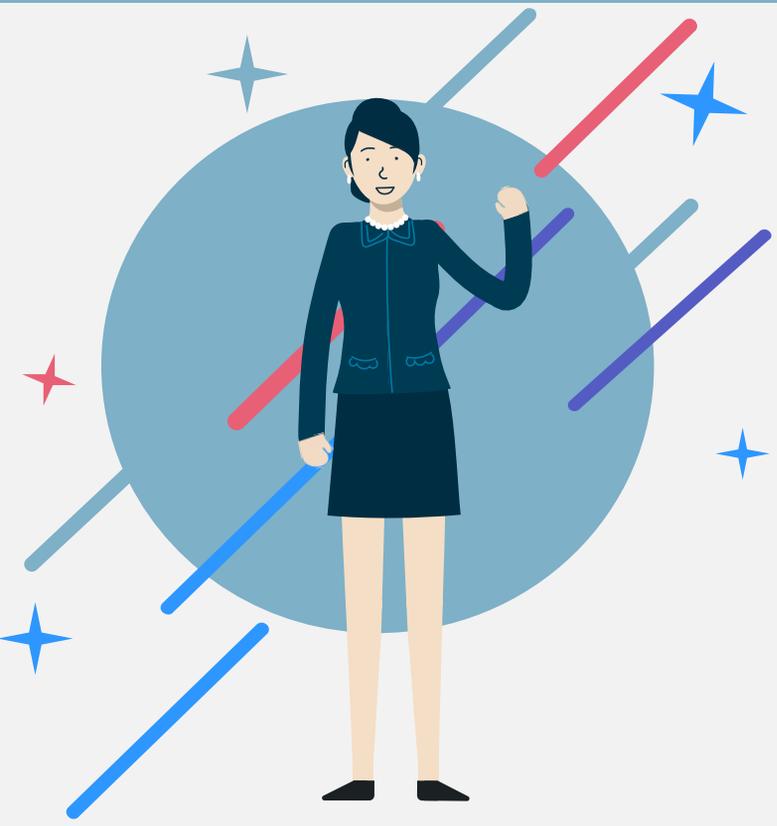


\*Funding data relates to students starting a new course in 2022/23, and not to all students on a course at that time. Data is accurate as of May 2023.

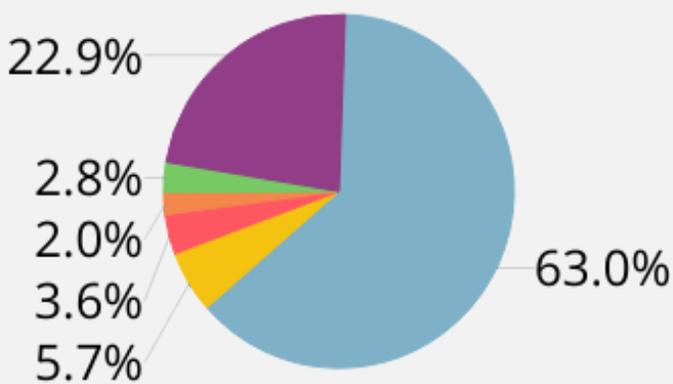
\*\*Does not include ICE (institute of continuing education) JBS (Judge business school) or Undergraduate courses

# Funding data breakdown

## Doctoral



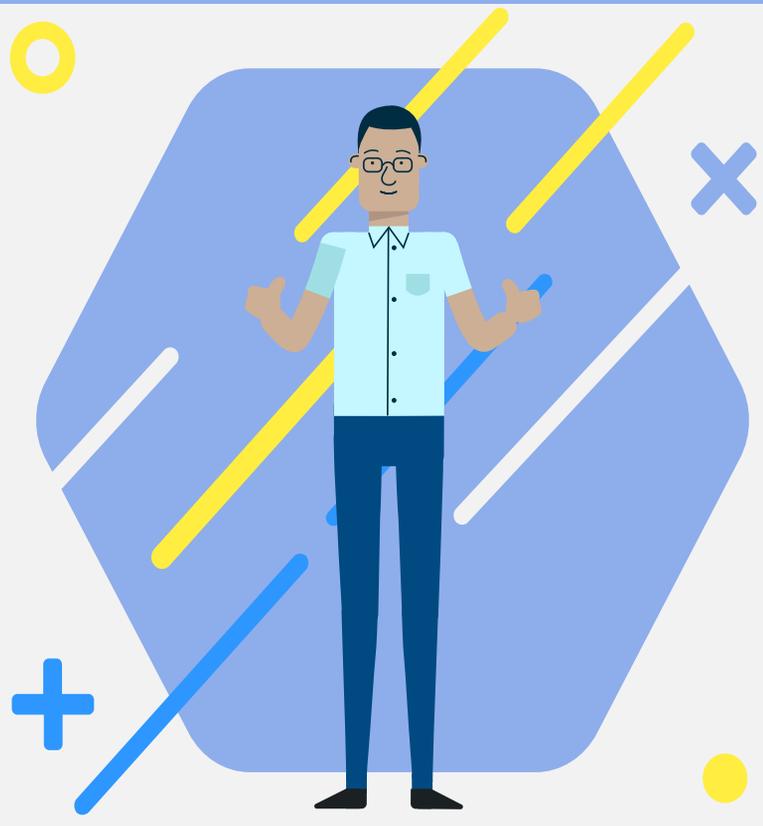
1302  
total students



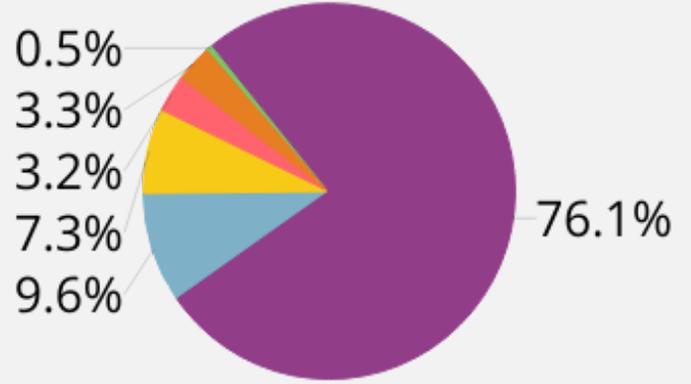
- Fully Cambridge funded
- Self and Cambridge funded
- External funded
- Combined self and external
- Cambridge and external
- Self Funded

- 63% fully funded by one or multiple Cambridge awards
- 6% combined self funding and Cambridge awards
- 4% funded externally
- 2% combined self and external funding
- <1% Combined Cambridge and external
- 23% are self funded

## Masters



2829  
total students

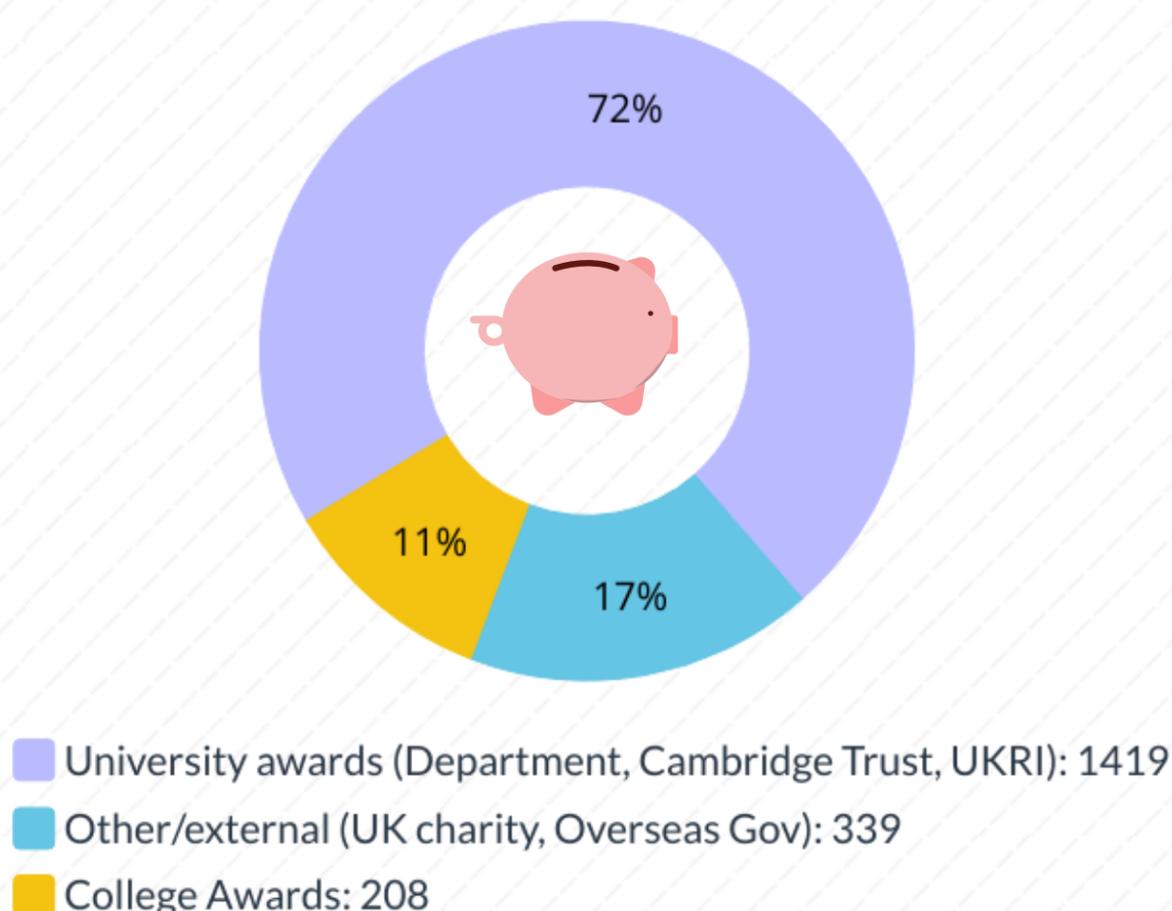


- Fully Cambridge funded
- Self and Cambridge funded
- External funded
- Combined self and external
- Cambridge and external
- Self funded

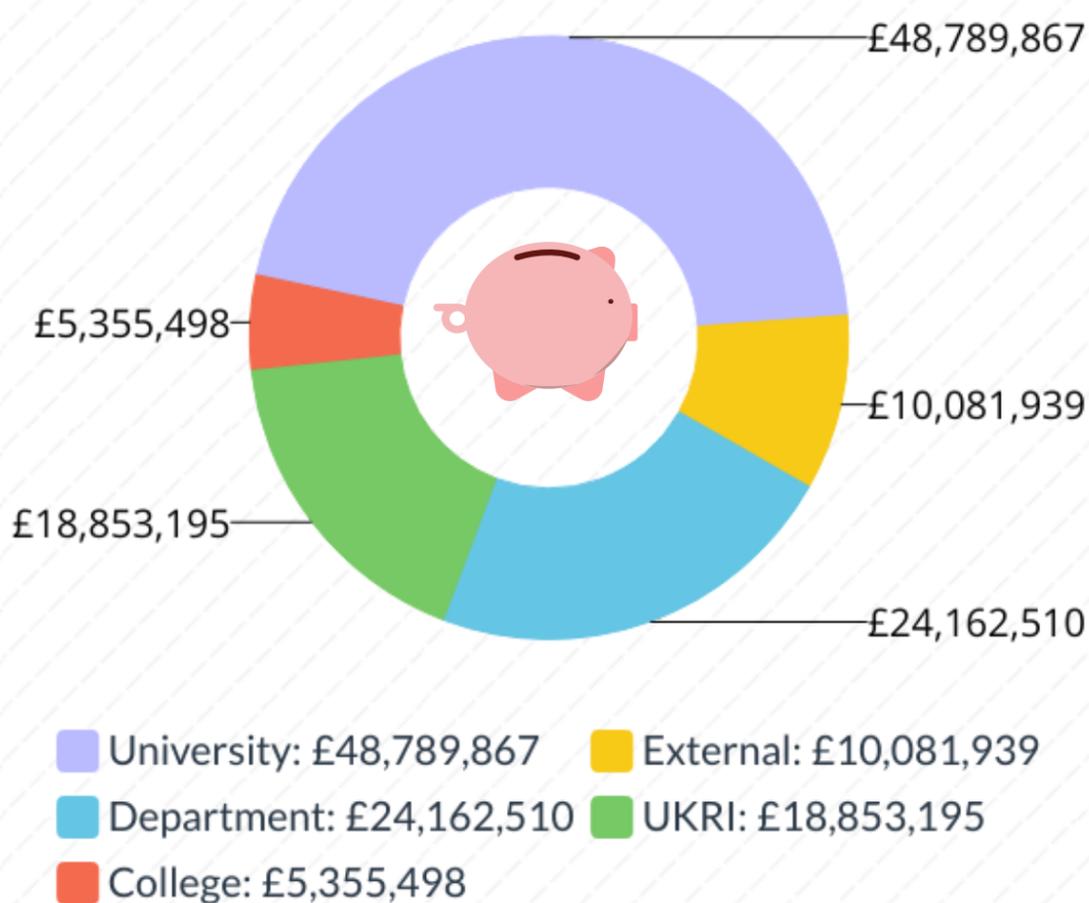
- 10% fully funded by one or multiple Cambridge awards
- 7% combined self funding and Cambridge awards
- 3% funded externally
- 3% combined self and external funding
- <1% Combined Cambridge and external
- 76% are self funded

# Funding awards by source

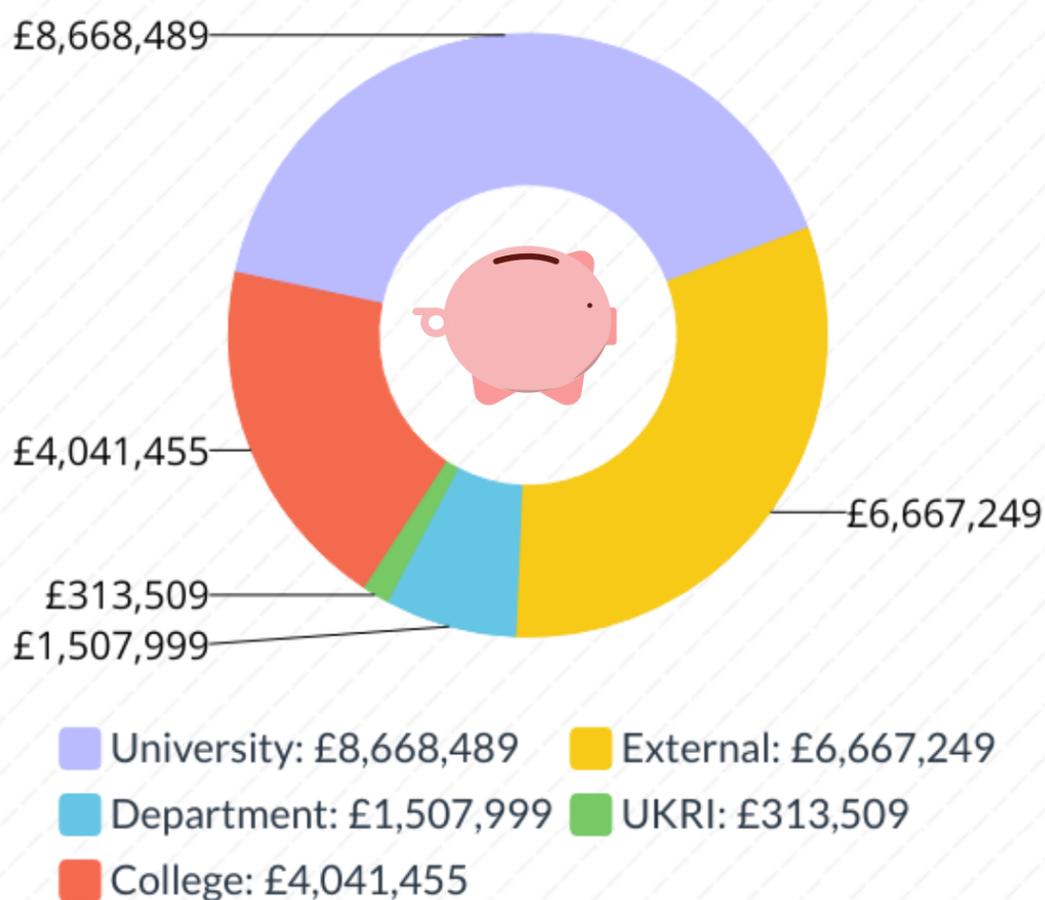
## Total awards given\*



## Total Doctoral award value in £\*\*



## Total Masters award value in £



\*Students may receive more than one award

\*\*This counts the three years of funding associated with PhD course length. Some doctoral courses will be 3.5-4 years

# Funding status by School: Doctoral Students\*

## Arts and Humanities

65%

received full or partial funding for their study\*



151 total students

35%

Self financed their study

## Biological Sciences

86%

received full or partial funding for their study



205 total students

14%

Self financed their study

## Clinical Medicine

83%

received full or partial funding for their study



151 total students

17%

Self financed their study

## Humanities and Social Sciences

62%

received full or partial funding for their study



247 total students

38%

Self financed their study

## Physical Sciences

87%

received full or partial funding for their study



318 total students

13%

Self financed their study

## Technology

76%

received full or partial funding for their study



230 total students

24%

Self financed their study

\*This category includes external awards applicants and co-funded applicants

# Funding status by School: Master's Students\*

## Arts and Humanities

31%

received full or partial funding for their study\*



403 total students

69%

Self financed their study

## Biological Sciences

27%

received full or partial funding for their study



113 total students

73%

Self financed their study

## Clinical Medicine

36%

received full or partial funding for their study



141 total students

64%

Self financed their study

## Humanities and Social Sciences

21%

received full or partial funding for their study



1404 total students

79%

Self financed their study

## Physical Sciences

27%

received full or partial funding for their study



353 total students

73%

Self financed their study

## Technology

23%

received full or partial funding for their study



415 total students

77%

Self financed their study

\*This category includes external awards applicants and co-funded applicants