

NICEC Seminar: Aligning Careers provision for International cohorts

25th March 2025



Programme

5pm – Russell George – Introduction & Welcome

5.10pm – Anne Marie Graham, UKCISA

5.30pm – Yash Sardal - International student, The University of Hertfordshire

5.45pm – Break

6.00pm – Noeleen Hammond Jones, AGCAS

6.20pm – Plenary and discussion





Welcome to a NICEC seminar

Founded in 1975, NICEC is a learned society for reflective practitioners in career education, career guidance/counselling, and career development.

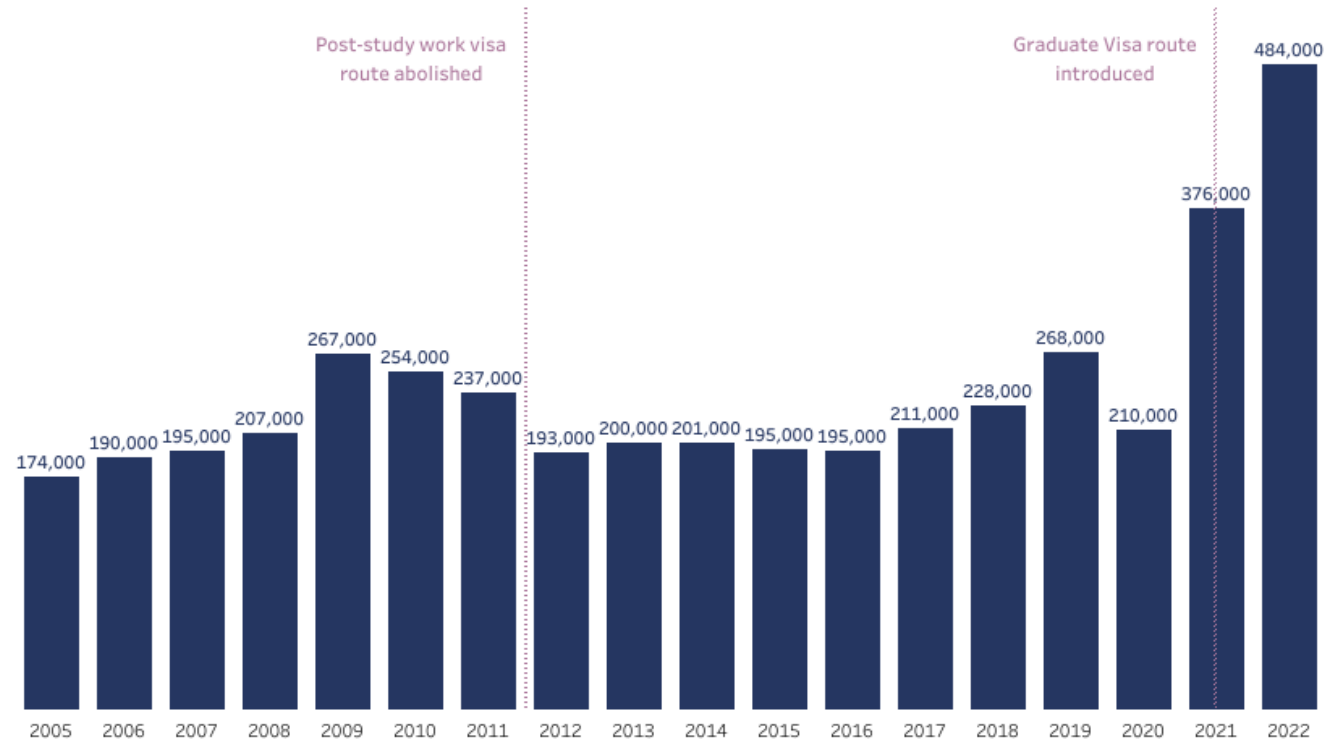
This includes those working in research, policy, consultancy, scholarship, service delivery and management, within education, the workplace, or the wider community. We foster dialogue and innovation between these areas through events, networking, publications and projects.

A bit of recent scene setting...



Sponsored study visas issued

Main applicants only, by year, 2005 to 2022



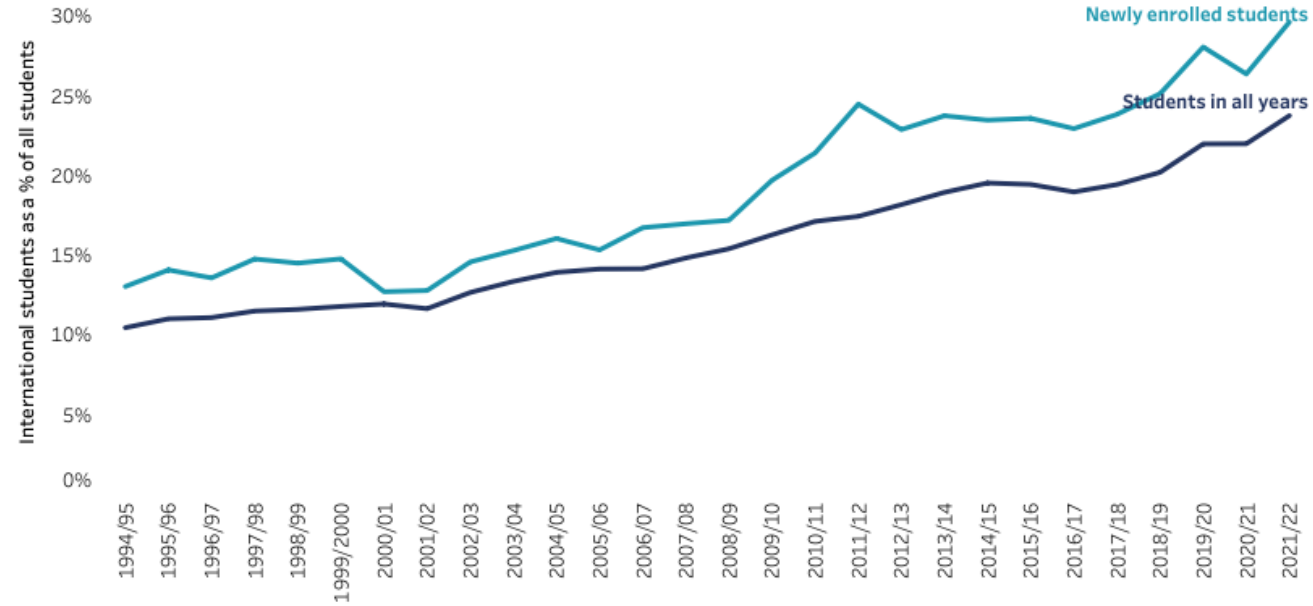
Source: Migration Observatory analysis of Home Office Immigration Statistics Quarterly Release, Entry clearance visa outcomes datasets, Table Vis_D02.

Notes: Main applicants only, excluding dependants. Data includes legacy student route visas, mostly issued before the introduction of sponsored study visas in 2009.



Number and share of international students in UK higher education

Non-UK domiciled students, 1994/95 to 2021/22 academic years



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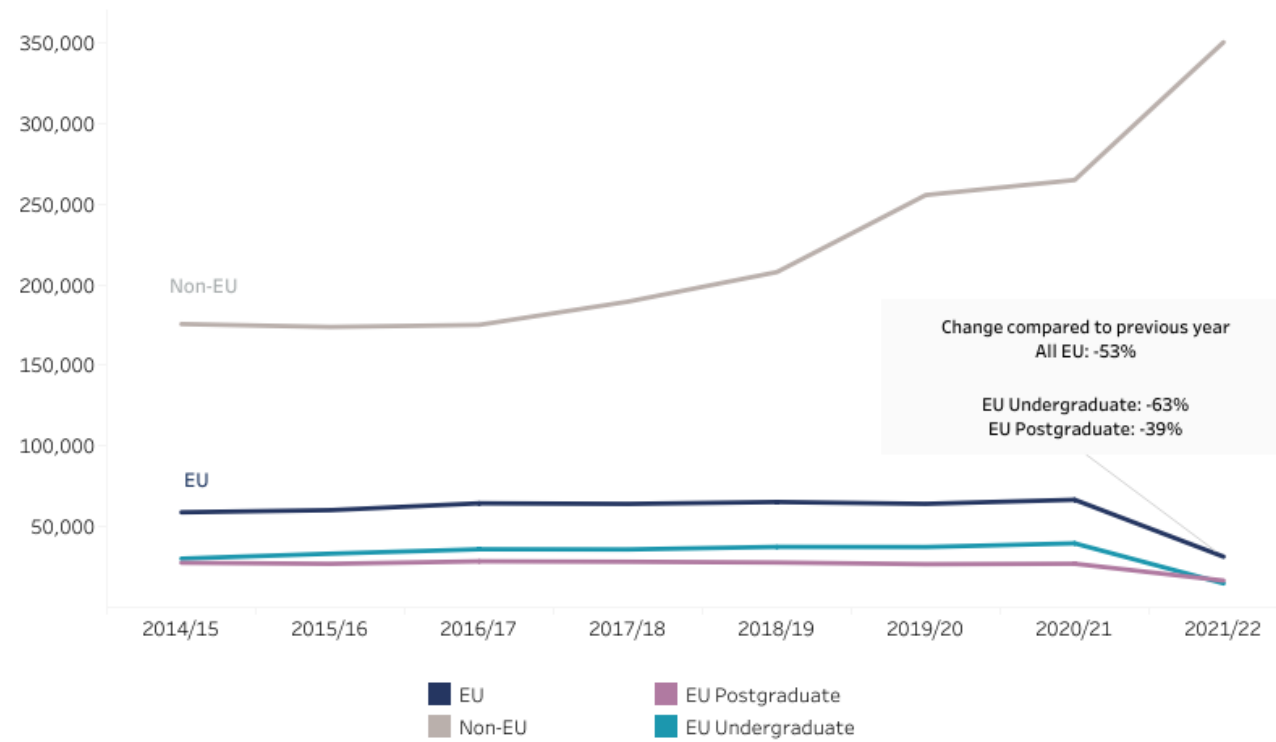
- Absolute number of international students
- International students as a % of total students

Source: Migration Observatory analysis of HESA data. For 1994/5 to 2015/16: Students in Higher Education. For 2016/17 to 2021/22: Higher Education Student Data: Where do HE students come from? Note: These counts comprise part-time and full-time undergraduates and postgraduates. Numbers are rounded to the nearest five. Counts for 2015/16 and after are more comprehensive than previous counts and so are not strictly comparable.



Newly enrolled students at UK universities, by domicile

2014/15 to 2021/22 academic years




Source: HESA Higher Education Student Statistics, 2021-22 academic year.

Note: Data is disaggregated by students' last domicile - their last country of residence before coming to the UK - rather than nationality, meaning some British and non-EU citizens living in the EU will be included in the figures.



Points of discussion to post questions, thoughts and comments on (or just muse over):

- What do International students want from their UK HE Careers Service?
 - How have UK HEI's adapted to these demands?
 - What provision, structures and approaches have been successful and where can UK HEI's do more to support these students and graduates?
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Comfort Break

Back at 6pm

Plenary and discussion



Wrap up

- Thank you to all speakers and contributors
- Our next NICEC event is:
NICEC Network Meeting: Supporting and empowering clients with additional learning needs
22 May 2025 2:00pm to 4:30pm
<https://www.nicec.org/>

