TEF award summary
Statement of findings

University of Central Lancashire
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TEF Silver

This award was made in June 2019.

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 excellent outcomes. Rates of full-time student continuation and progression to employment and highly skilled or further study are consistent with the provider's benchmark, as are levels of satisfaction with assessment and feedback and academic support. The level of satisfaction with teaching on my course is, however, below the provider's benchmark. The Panel judged this is partially addressed in the submission.

The Panel considered the provider's submission and supplementary metrics, where appropriate, in relation to the TEF criteria and its judgement reflects, in particular, evidence of:

- a strong culture of reward and recognition for teaching and an extensive programme of staff development
- partnership between the provider and the Students' Union leading to effective representation and improvement in institutional engagement
- the embedding of employability skills in all curricula, involving extensive engagement with local employers for facilitating students' progression to employment.

Overall, the TEF Panel judged that the combination of evidence in the provider metrics and the provider submission best fits the descriptor for a Silver award.

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