

Science and Technology Facilities Research Council

Grant Awards 2009/10

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Science and Technology Facilities Research Council: overall grant awards 2009/10

1. Of 54 research organisations (ROs) applying for standard and rolling grants, seven were based in London of which six received one or more grants.

| Region | No. ROs | No. applications | No. awards | % successful applications |
|-----------------|---------|------------------|------------|---------------------------|
| E Midlands | 3 | 6 | 3 | 50% |
| East | 2 | 14 | 10 | 71% |
| London | 7 | 37 | 20 | 54% |
| N East | 1 | 5 | 5 | 100% |
| N Ireland | 2 | 6 | 2 | 33% |
| N West | 7 | 35 | 15 | 43% |
| Open University | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0% |
| S East | 12 | 36 | 19 | 53% |
| S West | 2 | 13 | 4 | 31% |
| Scotland | 7 | 28 | 19 | 68% |
| W Midlands | 3 | 9 | 5 | 56% |
| Wales | 2 | 4 | 3 | 75% |
| Yorks & Humber | 5 | 25 | 10 | 40% |
| Total | 54 | 221 | 115 | 52% |

2. The success rate for ROs in London was 54%, 10% higher than the previous year, but less than the East or Scotland.
3. ROs in London obtained £14.1 million, £4 million more than last year, which was equivalent to 24% of the total of £58.3 million awarded by STFC.
4. Of the 20 grants awarded to London ROs, Imperial College London and UCL obtained six each while Queen Mary, University of London, received five.

Source: Overall Grants Success Rates for Applications made in Financial Year 2009/10 at:

www.stfc.ac.uk/webstatistics/stfcStatistics.aspx?m=Success_Rates&fy=0910&s=v#i115 (accessed 9 September 2011).

STFC grant success rates: amounts awarded for 2010/11

