

**Graduate Widening Participation (WP) Criteria**

The University of Exeter believes in the principle that everyone with the potential to benefit from higher education should have equal opportunity to do so. We are committed to widen participation in higher education; raise pupil attainment; and put students on a level playing field to ensure they enjoy the best possible outcomes at University and as graduates. The definition of a WP graduate Access to Internships (A2I) uses is below.

**You must:**

1. **Have graduated in 2017 from an undergraduate degree at the University of Exeter and have paid 'Home/EU' fees whilst studying at Exeter.**
2. **AND, be one of the following:**

* A British National
* Not a British National but have lived in the UK for 3 years or more before coming to University
* Hold a Refugee Status

1. **AND, at least one of the following must have applied to you whilst studying at Exeter**:

* You received a bursary from the University of Exeter
* You were a mature student (over 21 on point of entry to University)
* You have a disability
* You were a care leaver
* You were a carer
* You participated in any of the following fair access programmes: STAR, Realising Opportunities, Pathways to Law, Exeter Progression
* You attended a state school or college in a ‘Low Participation Neighbourhood’. (You can check this by visiting the A2I website and entering your school or college postcode in the WP Criteria box).
* You lived in a ‘Low Participation Neighbourhood’, defined by your home postcode. (You can check this by visiting the A2I website and entering your home postcode in the WP Criteria box).

***We will be confirming your eligibility using the University’s Student Record System. If you are unsure if you are eligible for WP funding please contact us so we can verify for you.***

**www.exeter.ac.uk/careers/internships/access/a2i-fundingforwpstudents**