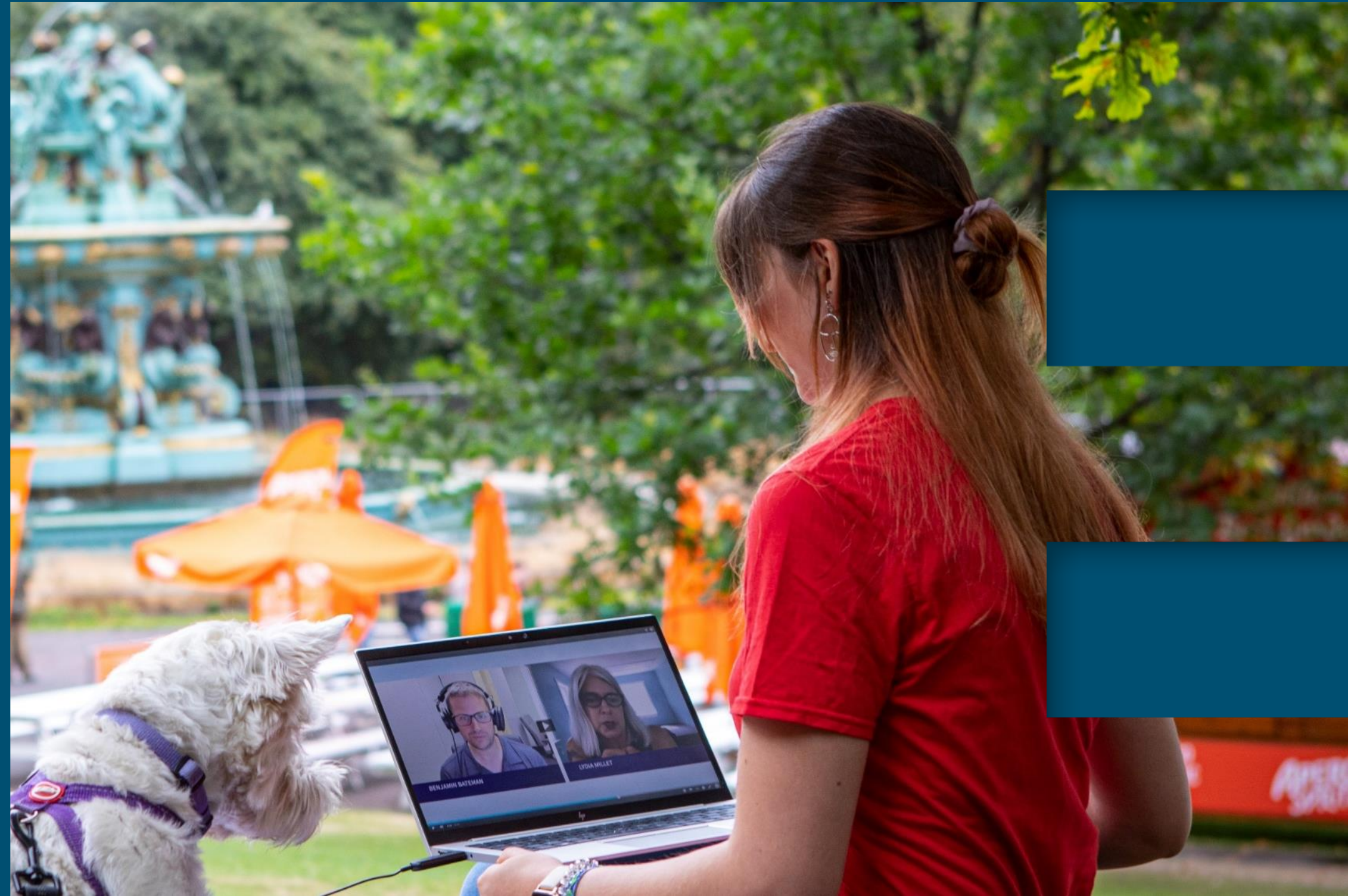


Postgraduate Online Learning Open Days 2025

Why choose the University of Edinburgh?
In conversation with
Dr Melissa Highton
Assistant Principal Online
and Open Learning

Hosted by Lauren Johnston-Smith

Session Start Time 09:30 (BST)





Before we start

Welcome live from Edinburgh!



Tell us, in the chat, where you are joining us from in the world today.



Let us know in the chat which degree you are interested in studying!



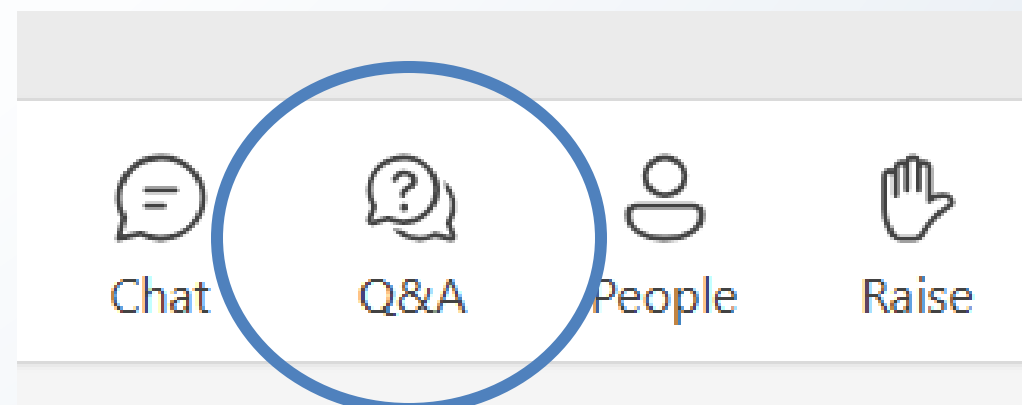
How the session will work

In-conversation session

Dr Melissa Highton, Assistant Principal Online and Open Learning will introduce you to Online Masters and talk more about why you should choose to study an Online Postgraduate degree at the University of Edinburgh, one of the world's best universities.

Q&A

This is a 30 minute session but we hope to have 5-10 minutes at the end for some questions – you can add questions throughout via the Q&A button.

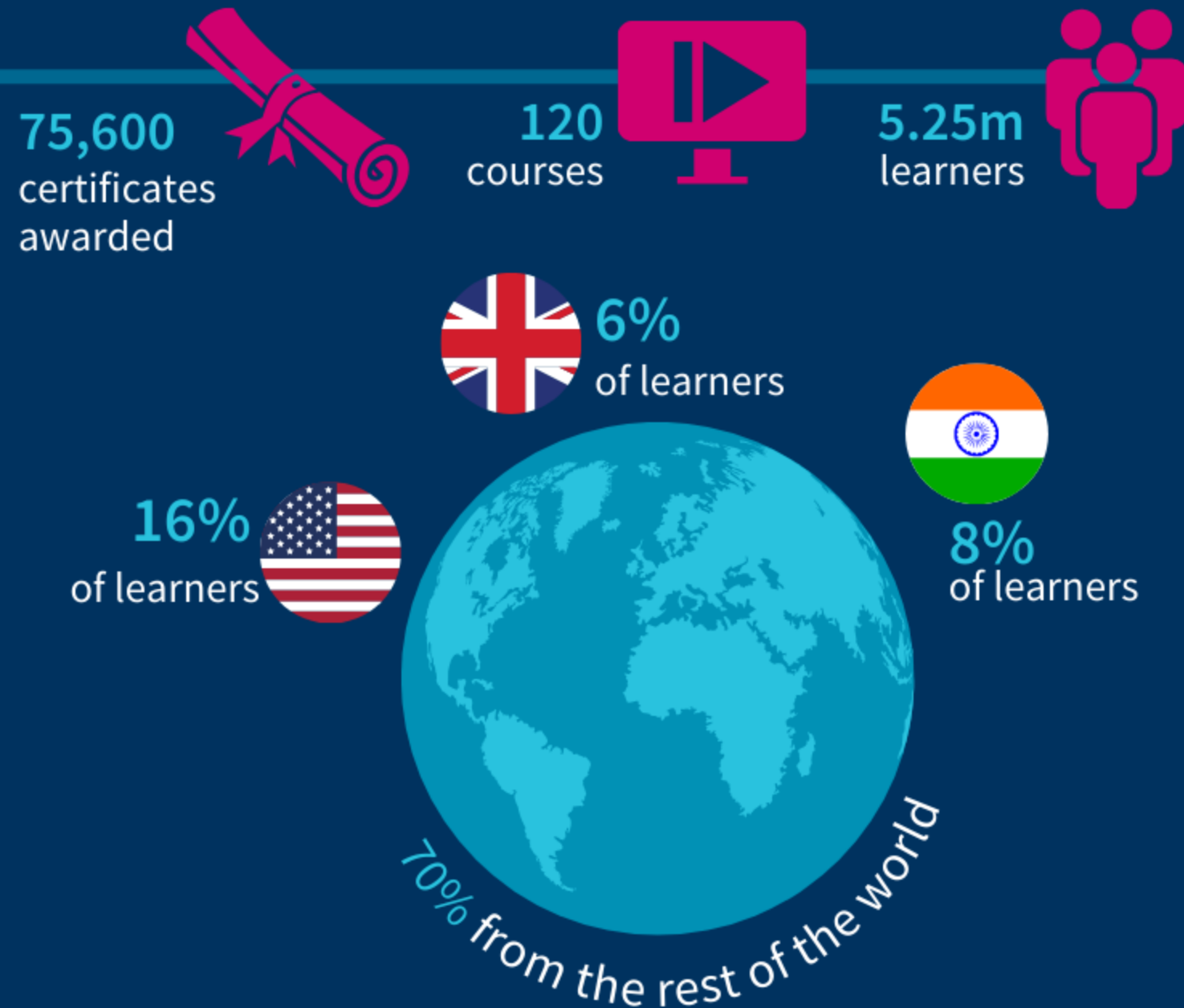


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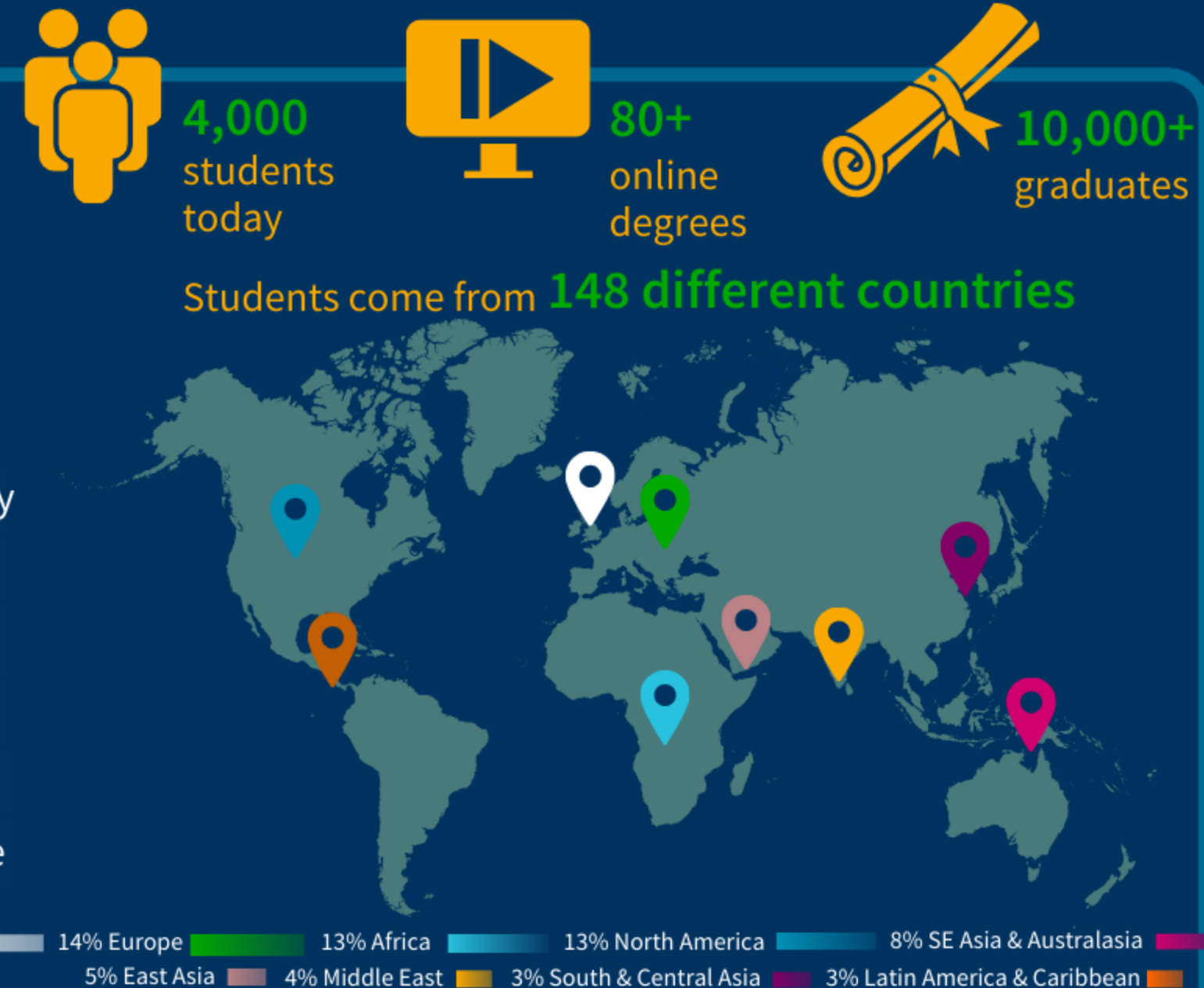
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Business
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Online masters



2005

First online masters launched



2009

Edinburgh joins iTunes U



2012

First international partner with Coursera



2013

Partner with FutureLearn



2016

Partner with edX



2019

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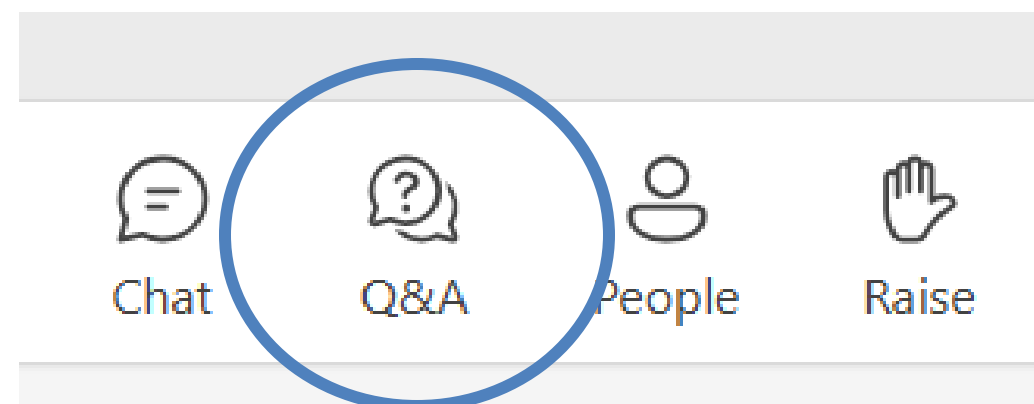
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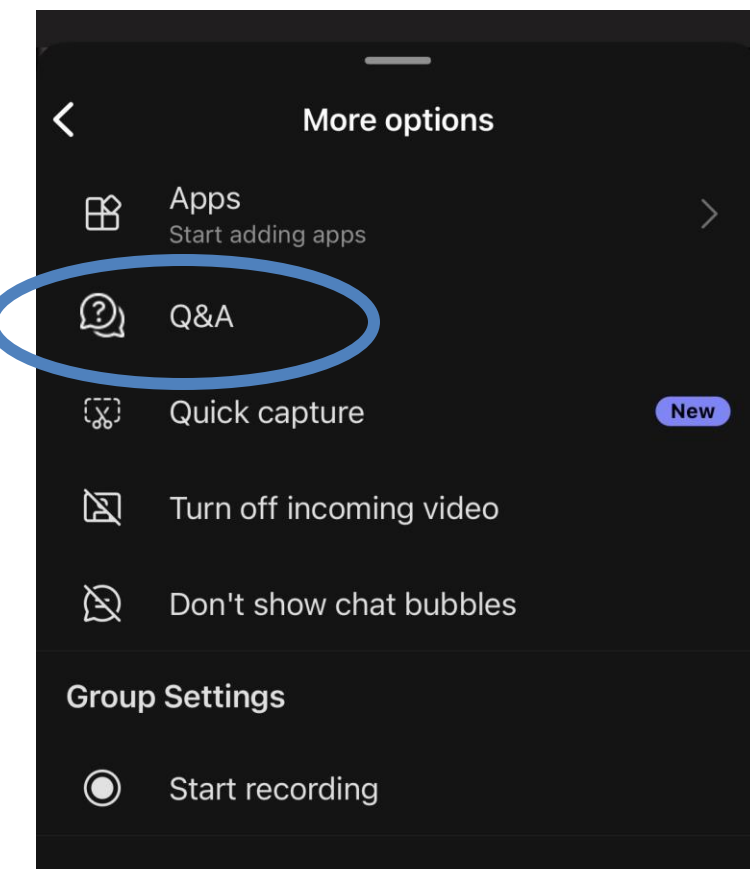
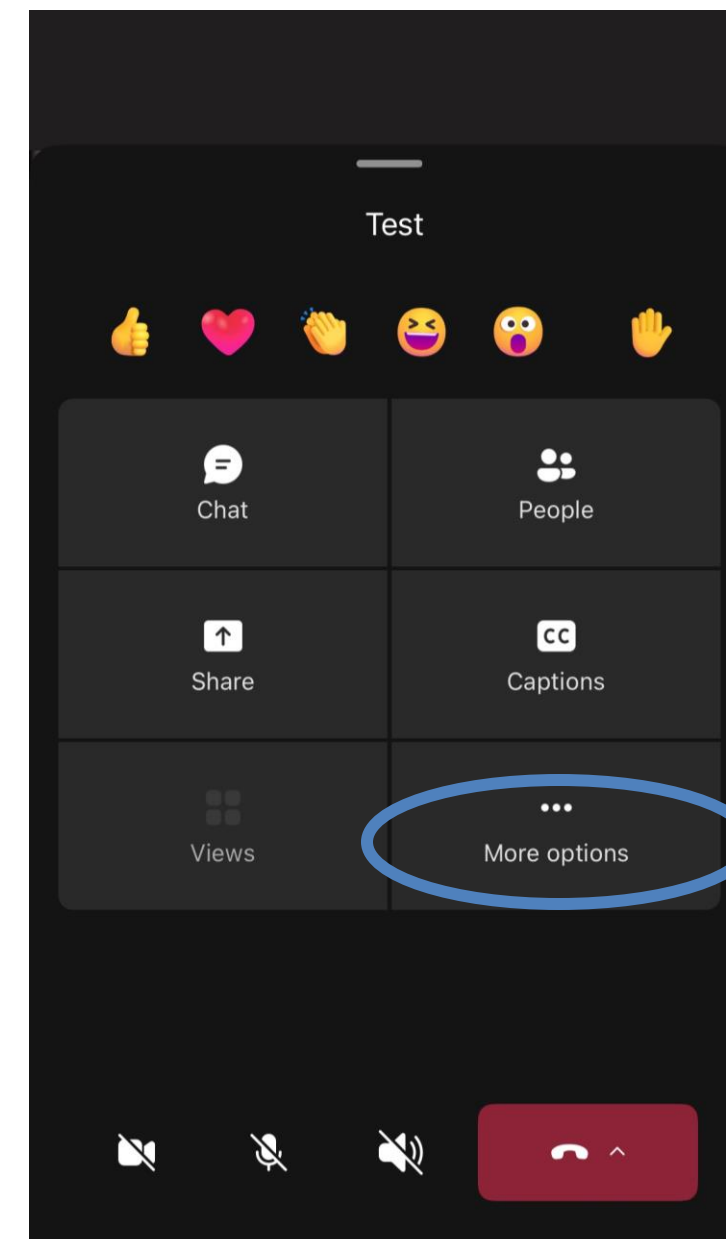
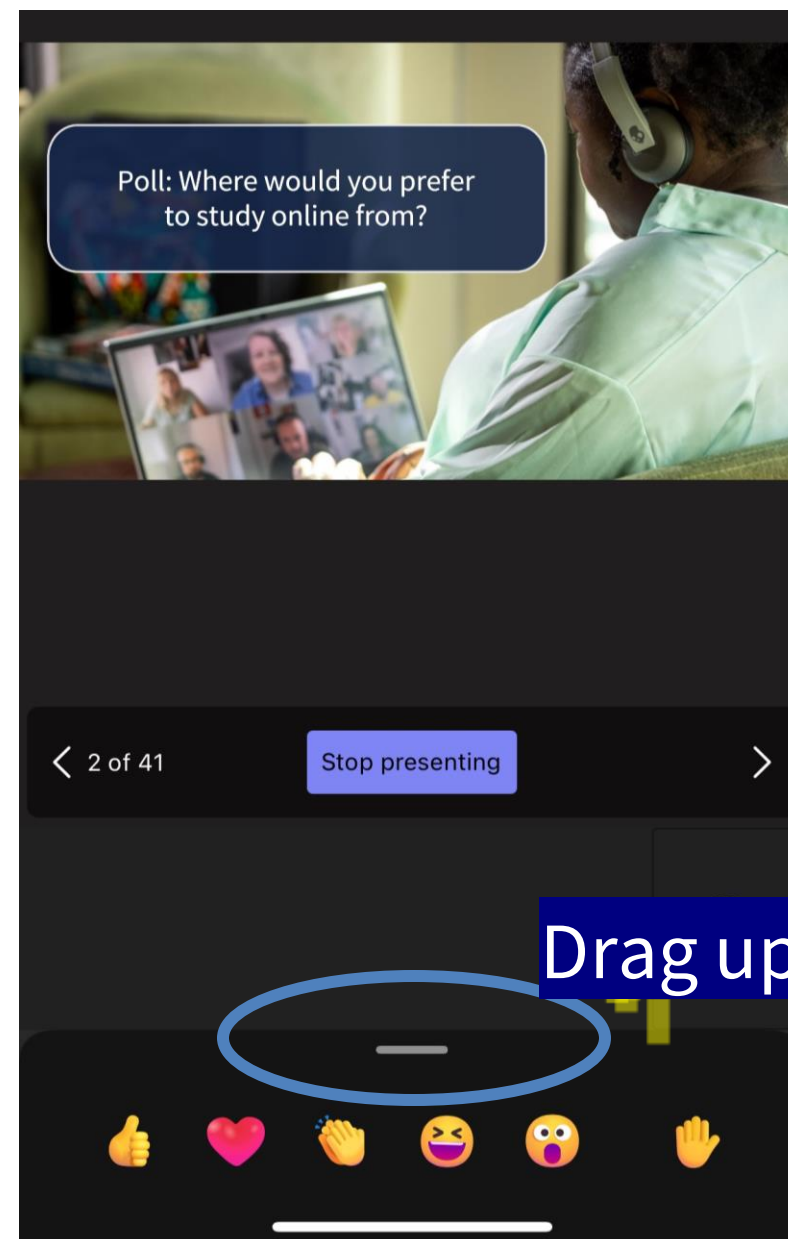
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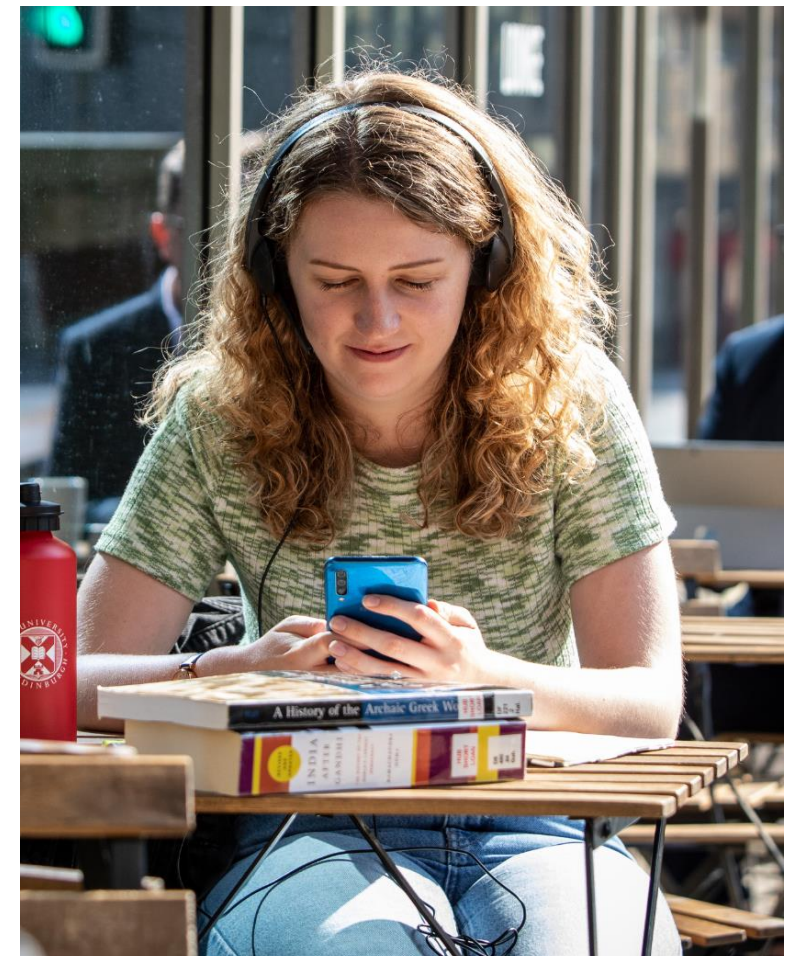


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21st May, 10:00am BST:

How to apply for postgraduate study

21st May, 12:00pm BST:

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21st May, 3:00pm BST:

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