

Annual Membership Survey 2021: Monthly Insights – June 2022

Insight of the Month: June – LGBTQ+ Students



June is 'Pride' month and the Association's [Annual Membership Survey](#) showed some interesting student insights, amongst respondents, which then help to shape Association services in support of all student:

DID YOU KNOW?



2021 saw a large jump in students who identified as LGBTQ+, from 13.49% in 2020 to 18.03% in 2021.



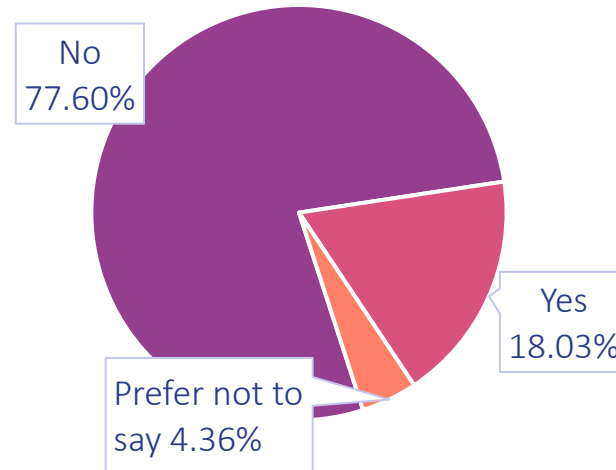
At the same time, there was a large drop in the number of students selecting 'prefer not to say', reduced from 16.90% in 2020 to 4.26% in 2021.



There was a huge increase of 37.5%* in student membership to the LGBTQ+ network, OU Pride, between December 2020 to December 2021.

* compared to 2020

LGBTQ+



WHY DOES IT MATTER?

Student survey results are used to help decide what services and support the Association should provide, as part of our mission to make a positive difference for all OU students.

WHAT SERVICES ARE OUT THERE FOR ME?

The Association is here to support all students in their learning journey and offers a number of [clubs and societies](#) for students to get involved with. These include:

[OU Pride](#), a group that offers a supportive and safe space for all LGBTQI+ OU students and their student allies.

Student-led clubs and societies: the [Action for Change Club](#); [Human Rights Club](#), [Drag Fans Club](#), the [Unity in Diversity Club](#) and more

This month's student hub, [The Hoot](#), is focussed on student inclusivity and wellbeing, with articles on [Pride](#), [Study Tips](#), and [Loneliness](#). There are also useful links to: [Studying](#); [Identity](#); [Representation](#); [Lifestyle](#); and [Community](#).