Admissions’ policy regarding current Masters students hoping to start PhD in September

For those of you who are expecting a current Masters student to start their PhD with you in September, please be aware of the following Admissions policy if one of the criteria for acceptance is successful completion of their Masters degree:

- For students, both home and overseas, who are just finishing their Masters at Royal Holloway, Admissions are happy to accept a ‘highly likely to succeed’ letter from the applicant’s personal tutor in lieu of the transcript.
- For students who are just finishing their Masters at an institution outside of Royal Holloway, they will need to wait until Admissions has received official confirmation of their Masters outcome before they can start with us. One exception however:
- If the student is a home student / does not need a visa, the department has the option to change the entry criteria to accept them just on their UG results rather than waiting until their Masters outcome has been confirmed. If you would like to change the entry criteria in this way, please contact Admiss.pq@rhul.ac.uk

Any queries regarding this, should be addressed to the PG Admissions team at Admiss.pq@rhul.ac.uk