

Committee Title	Student Voice					
Date of Meeting	20 th February 2023					
Title/Subject	Remove the New York Campus and reinvest the funds					
Paper Presenter	David Grimm, Care Experienced Officer & member of Student Solidarity Society					
Brief Summary of Issues/Topic	<p>Some members of voice are aware that Glasgow Caledonian University has three primary campuses, Glasgow, London and New York alongside connections across the world.</p> <p>Most of these connections appear to be quite fruitful and beneficial to the university and its global reputation, however there is uncertainty around the New York campus. To which end, We would like to ask that the Student officers engage with the principal and the Senate to remove the New York campus.</p> <p>We are seeking this on the grounds that the university appears to be nothing more than a financial Black hole, that in turn hasn't produced many students since its inception, less than 100 graduates as of 2022 https://www.google.com/amp/s/www.dailyrecord.co.uk/news/politics/fewer-100-students-graduated-white-26162673.amp</p> <p>It is our belief that this money would be immeasurably better utilised by removing the campus and allocation a good portion of its annual cost towards lecturers here in the UK, which in turn should increase student retention and student experience while studying. The money could also be used towards furthering the universities research output, positively bolstering our reputation in the global education market as the best place to study.</p> <p>So what are we asking? We would ask the student officers to lobby our principal, Senate and other appropriate members of the university for the removal of the New York campus and to reallocate the funds towards lecturers' pay scales and invest in the student culture here in the UK as opposed to further financing a campus that causes a deficit each year.</p>					
Recommendation(s)	Information		Discussion		Approval	X
	<p><i>Any member can ask a question by raising their voting card and being recognised by the Chair to speak.</i></p> <p>Student Voice is asked to approve the motion.</p>					
Who have you consulted when developing the paper?	Student Solidarity Society					
Staff/Student Protocol	Yes	X	No	X	N/A	
Will any decision approved directly affect the work of staff?						

<p>Should the paper be submitted to any other committee following its consideration/approval at this meeting?</p> <p>If yes, please state the committee and proposed date of submission.</p>	<p>N/A</p>