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**From:** Paul Younger  
**Sent:** 25 January 2015 18:57  
**To:** Robert Ellam  
**Subject:** RE: Lost grants

Hi Rob

For a while we had one ongoing project and membership of a NERC DTC hanging in the balance, but after the univ published its 'clarification' (climb-down) these dangers receded ...

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**From:** Robert Ellam  
**Sent:** 23 January 2015 15:21  
**To:** Paul Younger  
**Subject:** Lost grants

Hi Paul,

Sorry I didn't make it into yours and Susan's event the other evening – I was tied up with visitors from Fukushima until after 5. I've been asked by Edinburgh Uni Social Responsibility and Sustainability department to take part in a debate on the relationship between social responsibility and academic freedom – apparently putting my name to our Guardian letter makes me an expert! Do you have definite evidence that the divestment decision has cost the University research funding?

Cheers, Rob

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