HE-Business & Community Interaction Survey Summary 2018-19

1. INTRODUCTION

The Higher Education – Business and Community Interaction (HE-BCI) Survey is collected annually from all UK publicly funded higher education providers (HEPs) and a number of alternative higher education providers. The HE-BCI Survey is the main vehicle for measuring the volume and direction of interactions between UK Higher Education Providers and business and the wider community. It covers a range of activities: from the commercialism of new knowledge, through to the delivery of professional training, consultancy and services, to activities intended to have direct social benefits. 'Business' in this context refers to both public and private sector partners of all sizes and sectors, with which higher education institutions have interactions.

This report summarises BU's performance in the 2018/19 return and progress since 2016/17. Comparison against the sector median average is provided. The median average has been used when comparing to the sector in order to exclude any outliers which could drastically alter the mean average making any comparisons with the sector misleading. Comparison against the current, aspirational and stretch aspirational comparator groups is also provided. The mean average has been used when comparing to these groups due to the small number of institutions within each comparator group.

Comparison against the recently formed Knowledge Exchange Framework (KEF) cluster group E, which includes universities with the following characteristics has also been included this year:

- Large universities with broad discipline portfolio across both STEM and non-STEM generating a mid-level amount of world-leading research across all disciplines
- Significant amount of research funded by gov't bodies/hospitals; 9.5% from industry
- Large proportion of part-time undergraduate students, and small postgraduate population dominated by taught postgraduates.

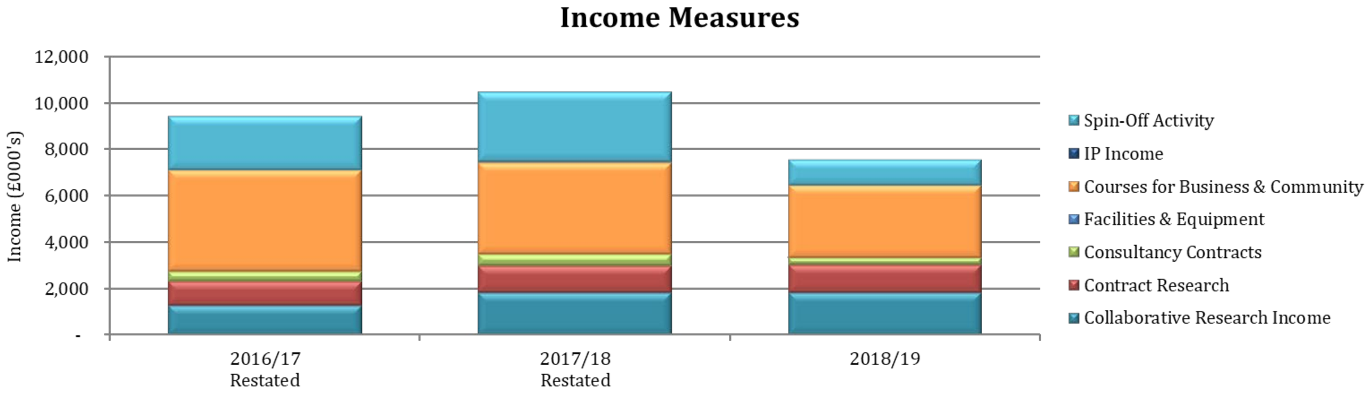
2. PERFORMANCE SUMMARY

The following table shows BU's performance since 2018. BU has performed well since 2018 in the number of attendees to both chargeable and free events up 2 and 10 places respectively. However, due to fewer intuitions BU has dropped into the 2nd Quartile for Chargeable events but remains in the 3rd Quartile for Free Events, where the number of institutions has increased. Contract Research for BU has also performed well, an increase of 72 has allowed BU to climb 2 places to 88. Across the remaining areas BU has either remained static or dropped in rank since 2018.

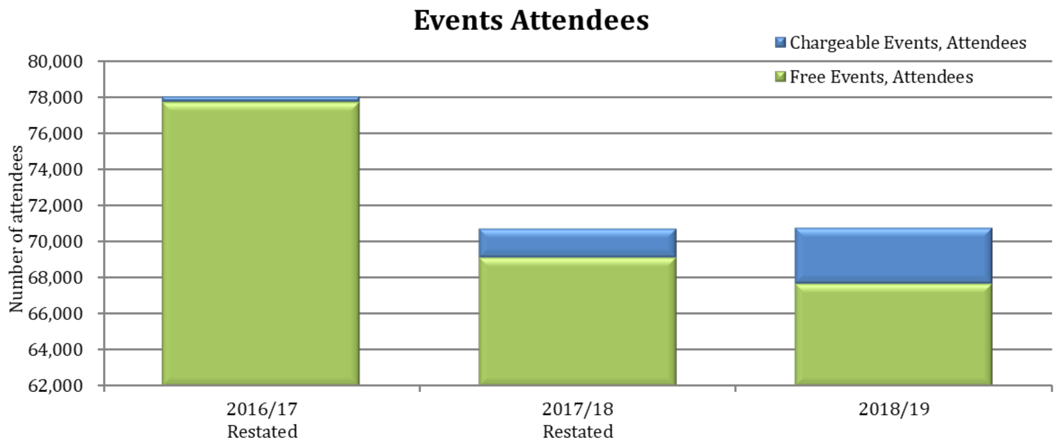
	Collaborative Research Income (£000s)	Contract Research (£000s)	Consultancy Contracts (£000s)	Facilities & Equipment (£000s)	Courses for Business & Community (£000s)	Disclosures & Patents Filed, HEI (By Number)	Licenses Granted (By Number)	IP Income (£000s)	Spin-Off Activity (£000s)	Free Events, Attendees (By Number)	Chargeable Events, Attendees (By Number)
BU 2018/19	1,829	1,214	309	2	3,111	26	2	11	1,117	67,719	3,111
BU 2017/18 Restated	1,841	1,142	529	0	3,944	76	2	11	3,024	69,167	1,606
Change	-12	72	-220	2	-833	-50	-	-	-1,907	-1,448	1,505
BU Rank 2018/19	76/132	88/142	108/152	135/136	66/158	47/94	79/89	89/102	84/113	62/160	102/136
BU Rank 2017/18 Restated	75/126	90/138	91/152	-	54/158	26/92	78/95	89/107	70/107	64/157	112/140
BU Quartile 2018/19	2nd	2nd	2nd	1st	3rd	2nd	1st	1st	2nd	3rd	2nd
BU Quartile 2017/18 Restated	2nd	2nd	2nd	0	3rd	3rd	1st	1st	2nd	3rd	1st

3. YEAR ON YEAR TREND

The chart below shows BU's performance in the HE-BCI survey's income measures since 2016/17.

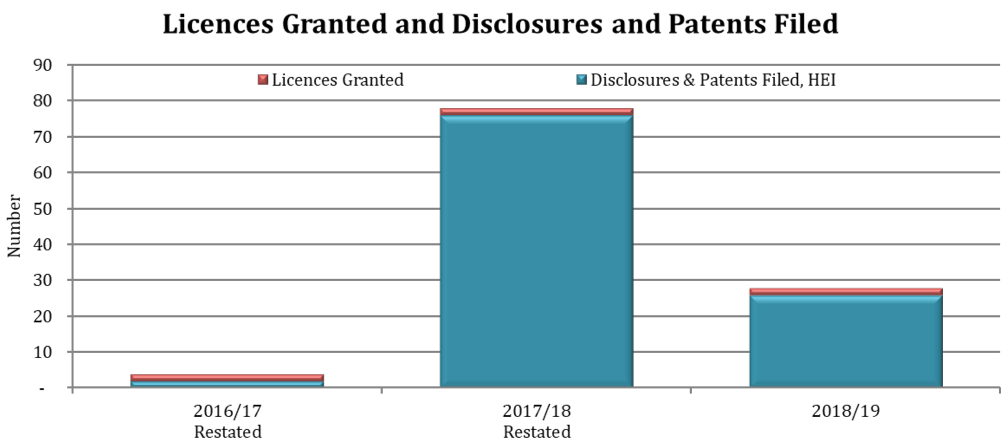


Overall income has seen a decrease of £2.898M since 2017 (a percentage difference of 27.6%) to £7.598M which is largely attributed to a fall in spin off activity down £1.907M to £1.117M (63.1%), less consultancy contracts down £220,000 to £309,000 (41.6%) and Courses for Business and Community down £833,000 to £3.111M (21.1%). Facilities and Equipment has £2,000 income attributed to it for 2018/19, this is the first time that income has been measured here since the data has been recorded (2013/14). Contract and Research is the only measure that has had a positive % change since 2017/18, increasing £72,000 to £1.214M; a percentage difference of 6.3%.



The number of attendees at chargeable events has increased by 1,505 (3,111 compared to 1,606 of the prior year) mainly due to increased attendants at Performance Arts and Other Events. In comparison Free Event attendees has fallen by 2.1% from 69,167 to 67,719. The largest attendance was to Free Performance Arts events in 2018/19 (39,425), in 2017/18 it was Public Lectures that attracted the most attendees at 37,151 compared to 8,773 for 2018/19. As a total of both free and chargeable events there has been an overall decline of 0.1% since 2017/18.

The number of disclosures has also seen a fall for 2018/19. In comparison to 2017/18 where 76 Disclosures and Patents were filed, in 2018/19 this has fallen to 26; a drop of 50 or 65.8%. Licences granted however, remained static with the previous two years at 2. Allowing for a total difference in Licence Measures of 64.1% since 2017/18.

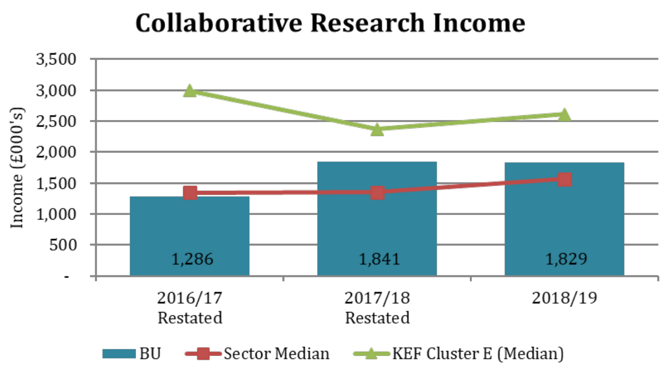


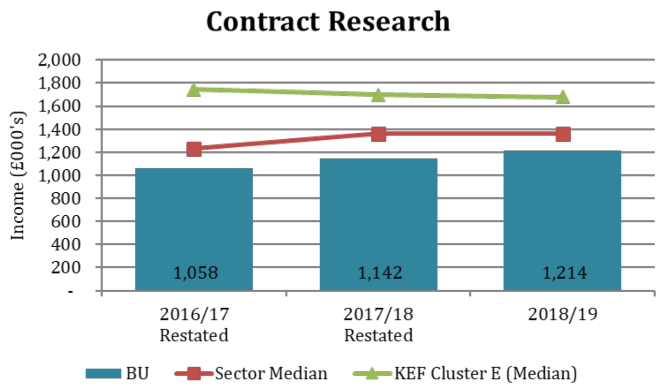
4. INCOME MEASURES

This section examines BU's trend within the income measures and compares this to the median scores of the sector and KEF cluster group E.

Income from collaborative research for BU has fallen slightly to £1.829M from £1.841M in 2017/18, remaining above the sector median of £1.564M. BU is still behind the KEF cluster Median although this has increased for 2018/19, creeping back up since the decline in 2017/18. This change at BU is attributed to increases in EU government income from £12,000 to £263,000 and Other Income up from zero in 2017/18 to £12,000 in 2018/19. However, there have been decreases for both UKRI Research Councils, Royal Society and British Academy from £927,000 to £779,000 and Other UK government departments income from £902,000 to £775,000.

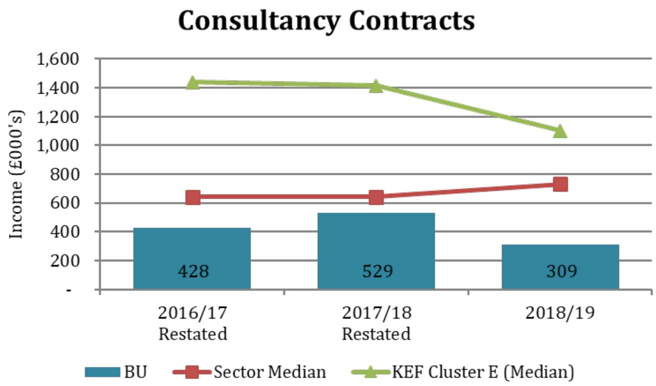
Positively, contract research income has seen further growth since 2017/18 to £1.214M, up £72,000 from £1.142M. The increase at BU could have been greater, but the decline in income for total value with other (non-SME) commercial businesses from £215,000 to £162,000 has counteracted the increase for total value with SMES up from £101,000 to £139,000 and total value with non-commercial organisations up from £826,000 to £913,000. This does leave BU behind both the Sector median and the KEF cluster median for contract research at £1.361M and £1.680M respectively, which both remain relatively static since 2017/18.

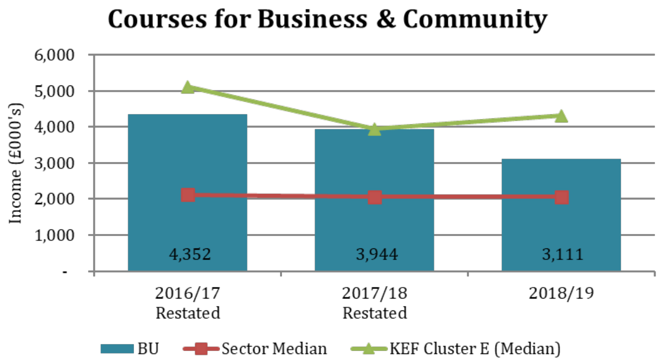




Since 2017/18 BU has seen a decline in consultancy contract income; a decline of £220,000 to £309,000 for 2018/19. This has meant that BU is below the increased sector median of £731,000 (the sector median was £641,000 for 2017/18). However, there has also been a decline in the KEF cluster median, now at £1.101M down from £1.415M in 2017/18. The reason in decline is attributed to the fall in the total number of contracts from 101 in 2017/18 to 84 in 2018/19. The cluster median however has seen an increase in the number of contracts from 122 to 124, therefore BU's average income per contract is higher than the cluster because of their smaller number of contracts for a higher income.

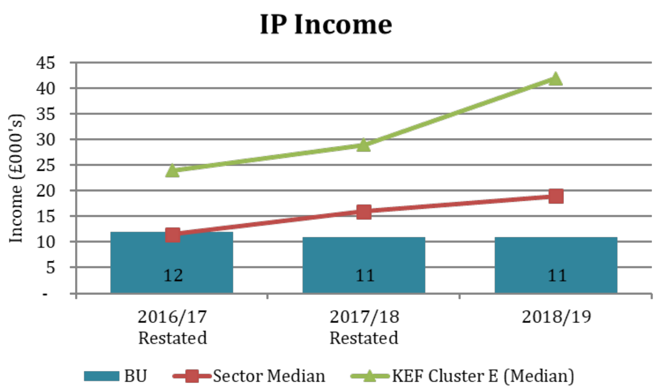
Courses for business and community has also seen a decline over recent years. BU has received an income of £3.111M in 2018/19 but this is £833,000 down on 2017/18 (£3.944M) and £1.241 change since 2016/17 (£4.352).This allows BU to remain above the sector median since 2016/17 as the sector median has remained relatively static across this time at £2.125M (2016/17), £2.058M (2017/18) and £2.062M (2018/19). In comparison the KEF Cluster has seen an improvement on their income since the fall in 2017/18. Currently at £4.308M, an increase of £364,000 on £3.944M since 2017/18. Despite BU having a decrease in CPD for other commercial organisations from £3.325M to £2.419M and CE and CPD for individuals from £603,000 to £519,000, BU has seen substantial increase in CPD for other (non-SME) commercial business of £157,000 from £16,000 to £173,000.

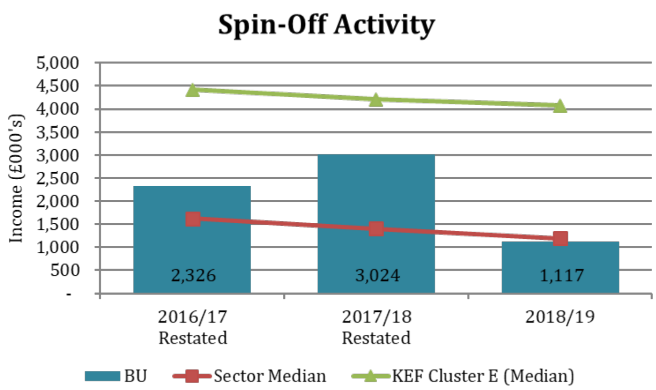




IP Income remains unchanged since the previous year for BU at £11,000, all of which coming from non-software licenses from SMEs. BU does remain below both the sector and cluster E medians, however these have both seen an increase. The sector median and cluster E median have seen an increase of £3000 (up to £19,000) and £13,000 (up to £42,000) respectively.

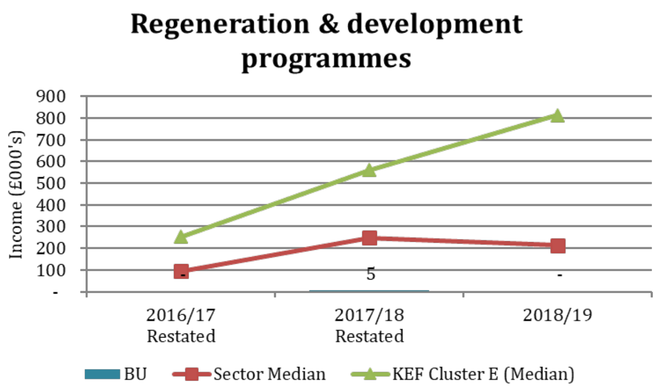
BU has performed poorly from Spin-off activity income falling £1.907M from £3.204M to £1.117M. The main reason behind this is due to Formal Spin-offs not HEP owned down £1.405M to £595,000 and graduate start-ups down £512,000 to zero for 2018/19. The sector median continues to also fall since prior years down £212,000 to £1.188M (from £1.400M in 2017/18). Similarly, cluster E has also seen a decline since 2015/16 down £127,000 to £4.076M from £4.203M in 2016/17.

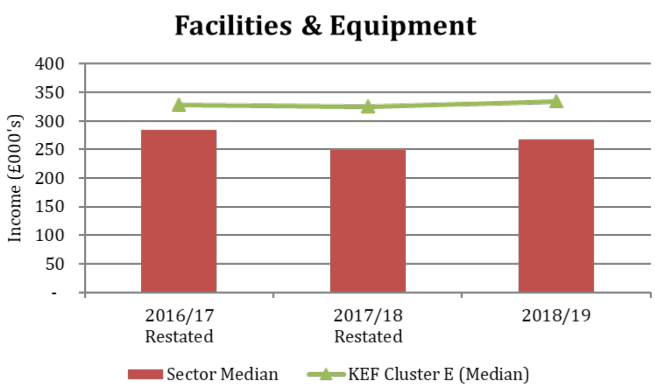




BU returned no income from Regeneration & Development Programmes income for 2018/19; placing it back where it was for 2016/17. However, the Sector Median has also fallen since the rise in 2017/18 to £214,000 from £249,000 recorded the prior year. The cluster E median however has seen a sharp increase across the previous two years; now at £813,000 compared to £252,000 in 2016/17.

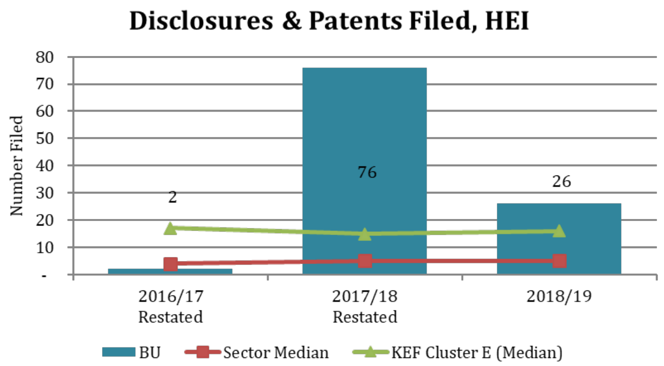
The chart for facilities & equipment income below shows the median average for both the sector and KEF cluster E. Both the sector and the cluster have remained fairly static over the previous 3 years with the 2018/19 income £267,000 and £334,000 respectively. BU continues to not return any income for this measure over the reported three-year period.

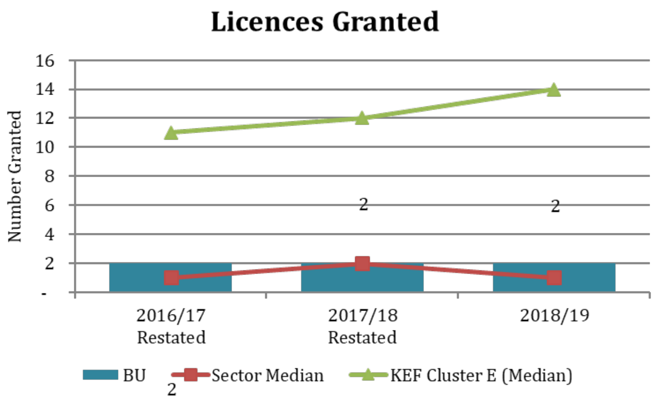




5. FURTHER DETAIL

License measures

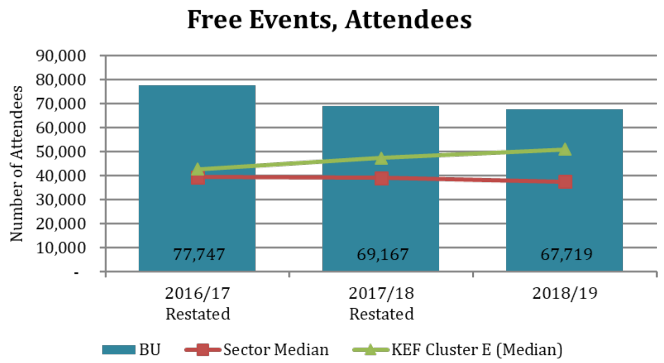


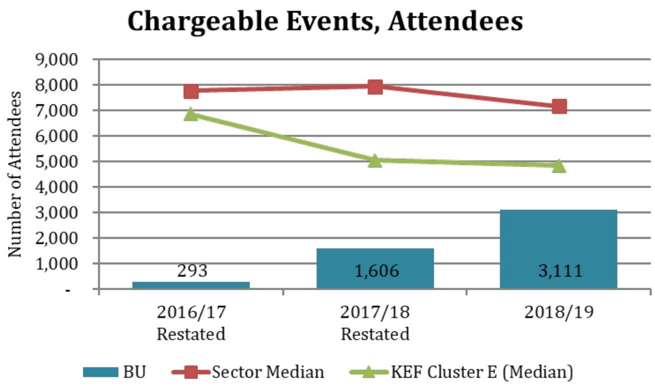


The number of disclosures dropped from 76 in 2017/18 to 26 in 2018/19; a decline of 50. There have also been 2 new applications filed this year, although this is less than the 10 of the previous year this is still more than the 0 filed in 2016/17. BU remains above the sector median of 5 and the Cluster median of 16.

The number of licences granted remain at 2 for BU, both of which being non-software. The sector median has declined for 2018/19 by 1 to 1 licence granted whereas the cluster median has increased by 2 to 14.

Events measures



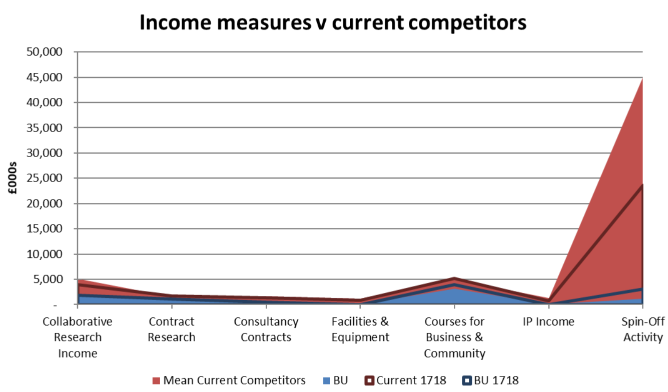


Attendees to Free events have seen a marginal decline for BU since 2017/18; down 1,448 to 67,719 attendants. The largest differences were Public Lecture attendees down 28,378 to 8,773 but Performance Arts Attendees were up 25,769 to 39,425. However, this has meant that BU has remained above the sector median of 37,504 and the Cluster E Median of 50,937, a trend that has continued since 2016/17.

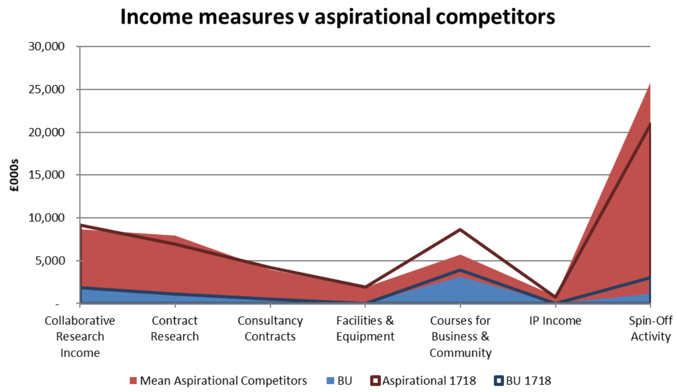
However, although Chargeable event attendees at BU has increased by 1,505 to 3,111, the sector median and cluster E median are much higher. Other event attendees were up 2,050 to 2,110 since 2017/18 whereas Performance arts attendees saw a drop in attendees from 650 to zero. The sector remains strong at 7162 attendees (despite a decline from 7,939 in 2016/17), and the KEF cluster E although lower than the sector median is at 4,834 for 2018/19 compared to 5,050 for 2016/17.

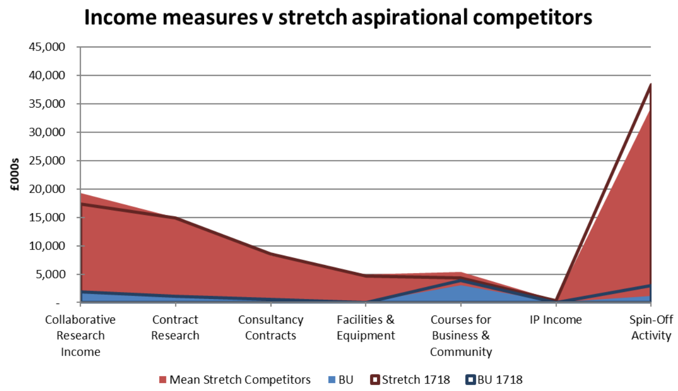
6. ASPIRATIONAL COMPETITORS

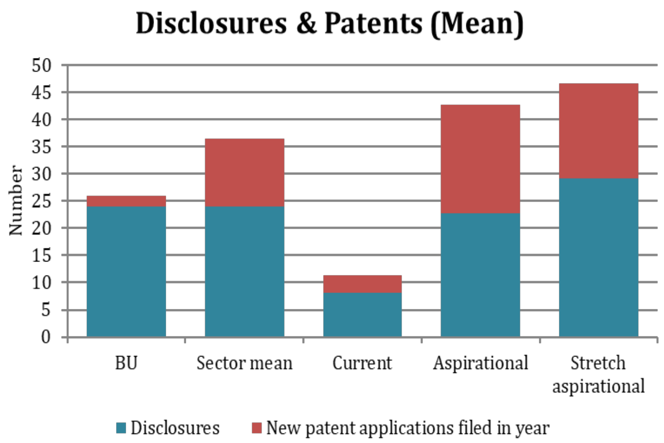
With only five institutions per competitor set, the mean average has been used in this section to provide more insightful analysis.
With the exception of spin-off activity, BU is showing similar trend to its current competitors within the income measures albeit with slightly reduced income in each area.



As in the previous year, this gap to the competitor mean increases when looking at both the aspirational and stretch aspirational competitor sets with BU showing less income than both sets for all seven measures.





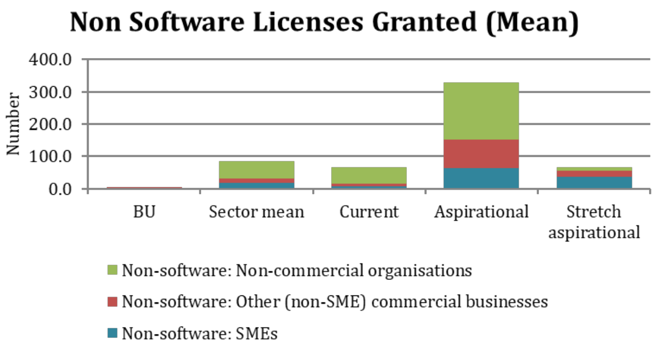


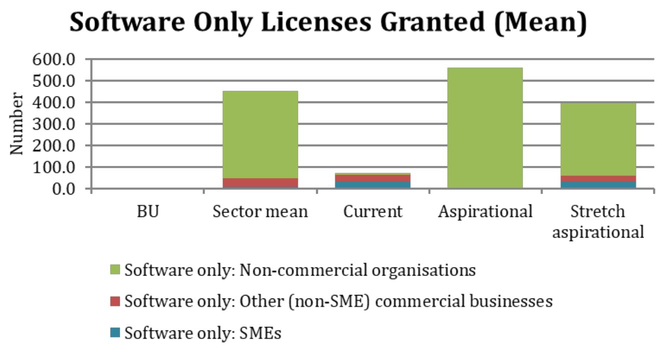
Unlike 2017/18 where BU had moved ahead of all competitor groups, for 2018/19 BU is only performing better than the current competitors and sector for mean averages, for disclosures and patents.

However, this is mostly due to the lack of new patents filled for BU (2), as when only disclosures are considered, BU match the sector mean at 24, is ahead of the aspirational mean at 23, and slightly behind the stretch aspirational mean of 29.

Cardiff had the highest number of disclosures and patents filed for the aspirational competitors at 131, and Southampton was highest for the stretch aspirational competitors at 2163 for 2018/19.

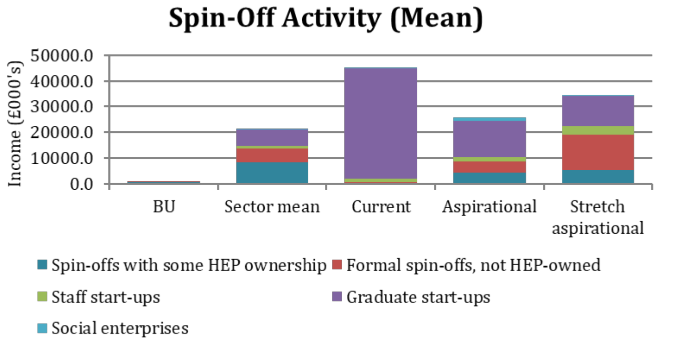
With only 2 non-software licences and zero software only licences granted at BU this year, BU remains behind all competitor set mean averages in both areas. Oxford Brookes had the most granted for the current competitors at 349, followed by UWE at 342. All other current competitors were 2 or less. Within all competitor groups, the most licenses granted were over 2000; including for Cardiff with 2175, Keele with 2095 both within the aspirational competitor set and Southampton with 2163 within the stretch aspirational group.

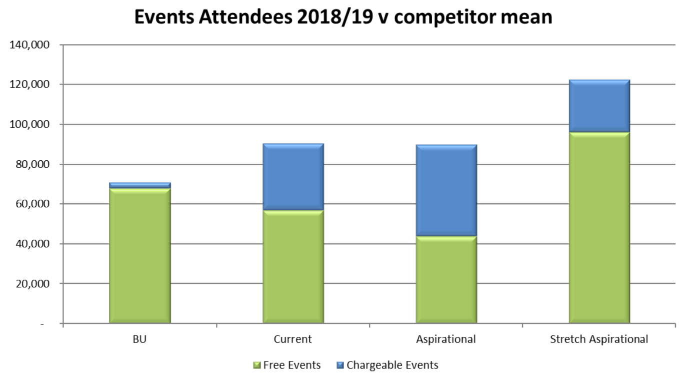




Similarly, to licences granted above, BU remains below the sector and competitor averages for spin-off activity. 95% of the £44.901M income for current competitors is due to the graduate start-ups worth £42.838M. BU is the only university to not return any income here, for both current competitors and aspirational competitors. However, Reading also doesn't within the stretch aspirational group.

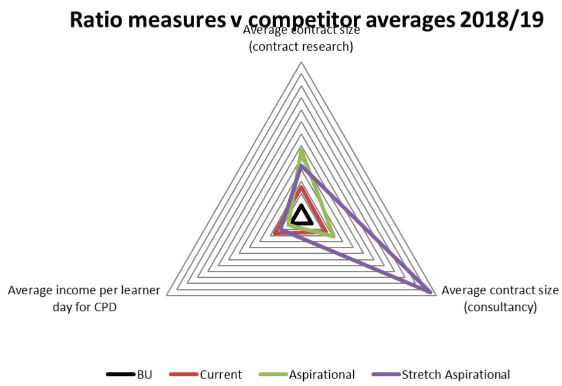
The stretch aspirational mean has fallen slightly since 2017/18, the only competitor group to do so. Falling from £38.442M £34.308M in 2018/19.





To avoid skewing the comparison, the 32,448,000 attendees to Free events at UWE (99% of current competitor free events) and 5,726,000 attendees to free events at Sussex (93% of Stretch Aspirational Competitors) have been excluded from the Event Attendees chart.

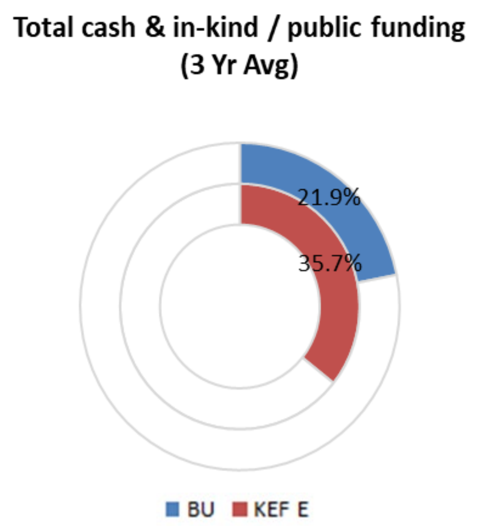
The radar chart to the right shows BU's 2018/19 results in relation to the three aspirational competitor sets for the three ratio measures. BU remains relatively similar in performance to the current competitor set. The gap between the BU and the stretch aspirational set has grown in terms of consultancy contracts, with the competitor set average £45,900 compared to £3,700 for BU. This, similar to 2017/18, is largely attributed to the £32.820M Income from Southampton with 165 contracts (an average of £198,000 per contract) an increase of £35M income from just 270 contracts at Southampton (£129,767 per contract) in 2017/18.



7. KEF PROPOSED METRICS

Within the Knowledge Exchange Framework Consultation published by Research England in January 2019, several metrics were proposed to measure performance under a list of perspectives. The detail surrounding these proposals is currently relatively vague, and therefore leaves room for interpretation, however, the charts below aim to provide a preview of how BU may compare to KEF Cluster Group E in each of the seven perspectives.

The measurements were changed for 2020 to mostly look at proportions by HEI Income, rather than by Academic FTE as per the previous years, apart from community engagement which does still reference Academic FTE.



Research Partnerships

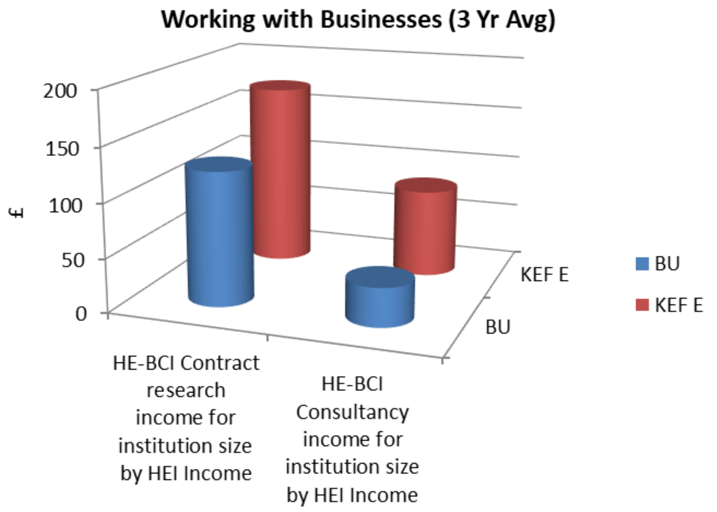
The contribution to collaborative research income from both cash and in-kind as a proportion of that from public funding has increased year on year within Cluster group E over the past 3 years, rising from 27.2% in 2016/17 to 44.9% in 2018/19, with an average of 35.7% over the 3 year period.

The proportion at BU has seen further fluctuation over this period, falling from 34.7% in 2016/17 to 12.7% in 2017/18. However, for 2018/19 this has increased to 18.4%.

Working with businesses

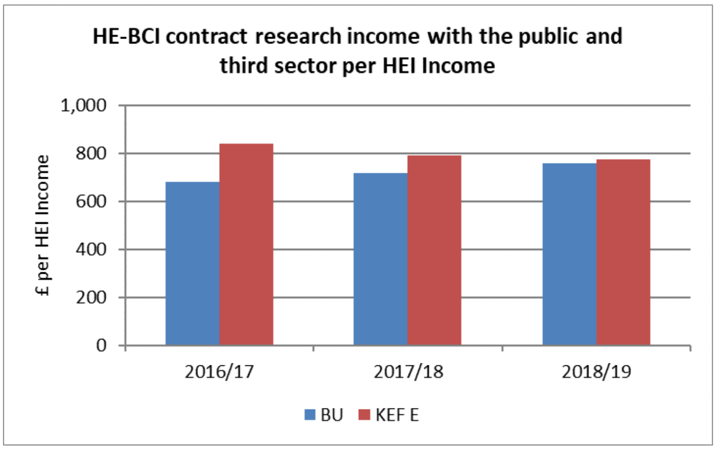
Contract research income has seen a fall since 2017/18 for BU. Falling from £135,000 in 2017/18 to £101,000 in 2018/19. BU also remains behind the cluster income for the previous 3 years. The 3 year median for BU is £125,000, compared to the cluster median of £172,000.

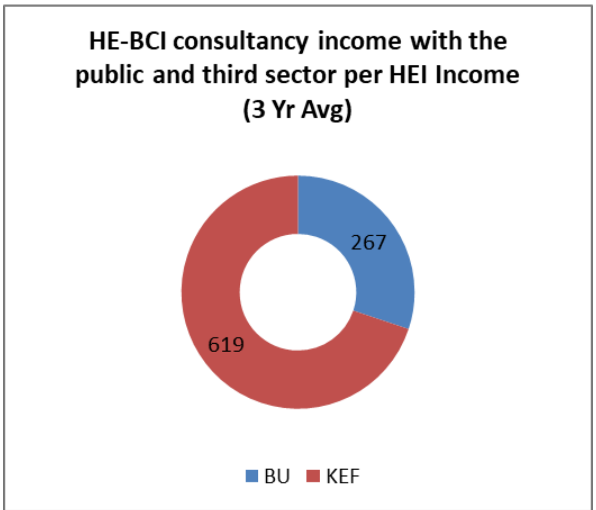
Consultancy income with business has also seen a decline for both BU and the cluster group. BU falling from £48,000 to £37,000 and the cluster income falling from £99,000 to £61,000. BU remains behind the 3 year average at £36,000 compared the cluster average of £82,000.



Working with the public and third sector

BU has performed okay since 2016/17 for contract research income with the public and third sector, increasing yearly from £682,000 in 2016/17 to £758,000 in 2018/19. This has meant that BU is narrowing the gap between the KEF cluster which is at £776,000 for 2018/19. The 3 year average for both BU and the KEF cluster is at £719,000 and £802,000 respectively.



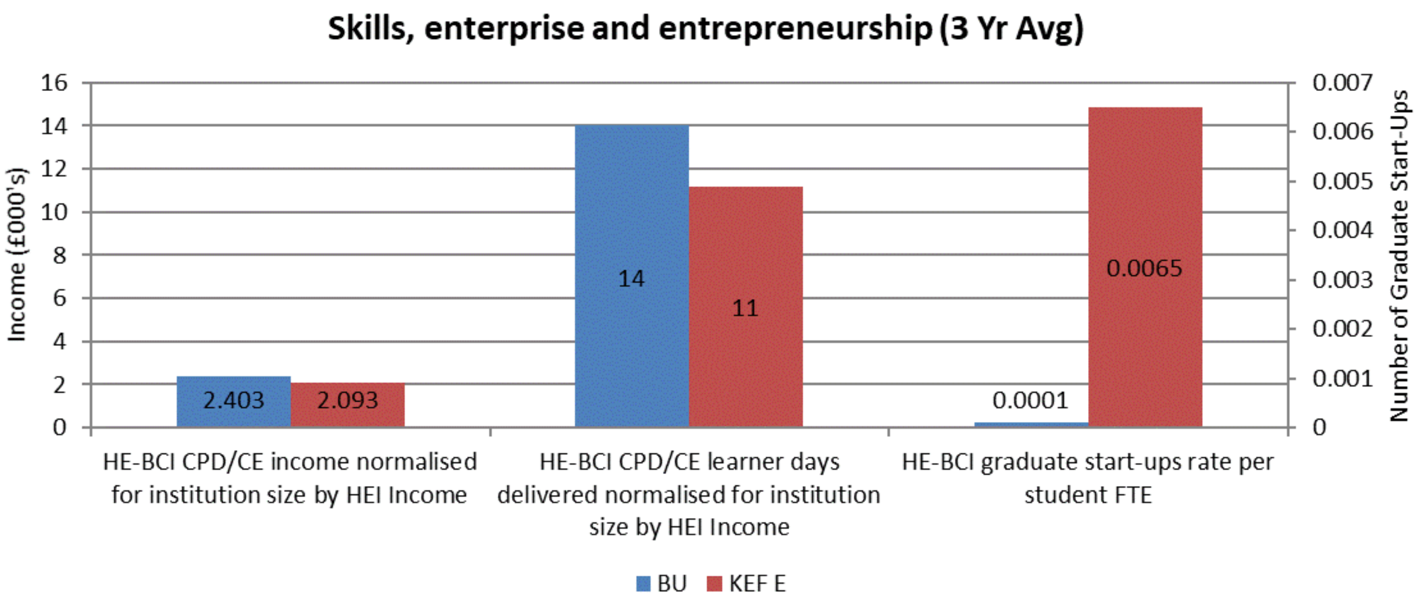


Unlike contract research and income, BU has seen a downturn in income from consultancy for 2018/19, opposing the improvement that had been made in 2017/18. BU has fallen from £332,000 in 2017/18 to £193,000 in 2018/19. However, the KEF cluster performance has also fallen again for 2018/19 to £508,000, continuing its decline from 2016/17 where income peaked at £693,000.

BU has seen a slight increase in HEI Income similarly to the increased HEI Income for the cluster, making the average for consultancy income with the public and third sector at £267,000 and £619,000 respectively.

Skills, enterprise and entrepreneurship

In 2018/19, BU and the cluster median have become more aligned at £1.942M and £1.989M income from CPD/CE, shorteneing the gaps seen in prior years. However, BU's income has fallen from £2.474M, since 2017/18, in comparison to the cluster median that has increased from £1.838M. However, although there is a lower HEI Income at BU (3 year average of £1.582M) compared to the cluster (3 year average of £2.129M), BU has a higher 3 year income average of £2.403M compared to the clusters average of £2.093M.

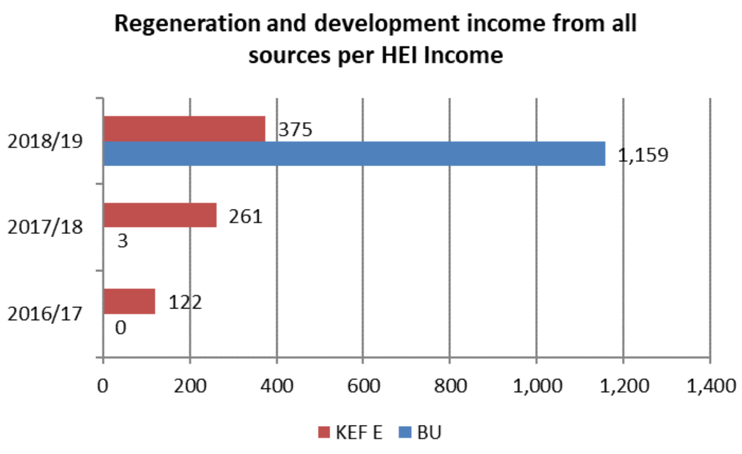


BU has also delivered slightly more CPD/CE learner days than the cluster group during 2018/19 (12.46 compared to 10.61 for the HEI). This is also visible in the 3 year average, where due to a lower HEI income for BU (£1.582M) compared to the sector (£2.129M), these higher amount of learner days has widened the gap across the 3 year average.

Due to BU only having 1 graduate start-up for 2018/19 in comparison to the cluster group median of 130, BU has significantly fewer graduate start-ups rate per student FTE. Previously, the cluster group median was 128 which is an increase on 2017/18 compared to BU which had 3 for 2017/18.

Local growth and regeneration

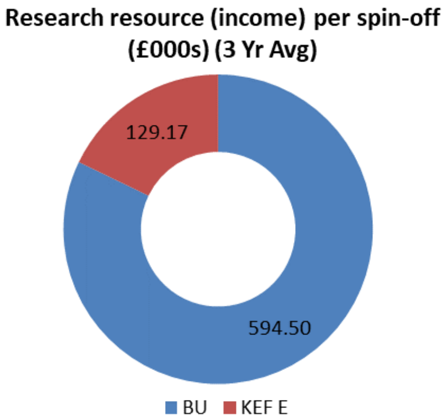
The large increase in regeneration and development income for BU is attributable to capital income (attributable to survey year) of £1.856M. In comparison the cluster mean is £315,000 for capital income



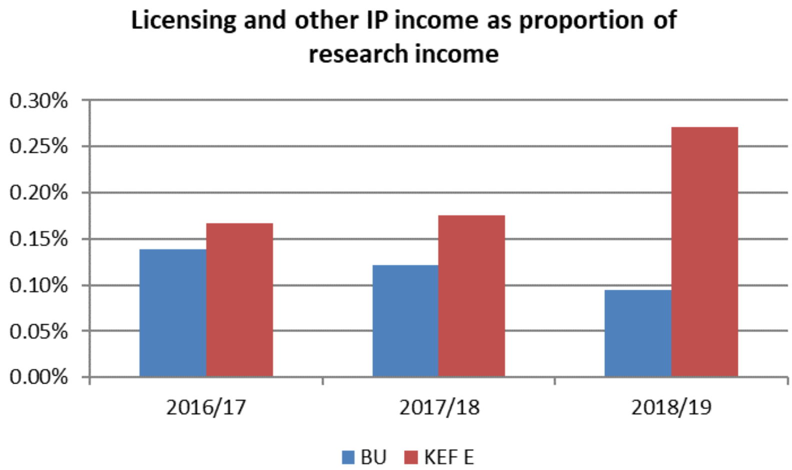
(attributable to survey year), with only 5 other institution recording income here. An Increase HEI Income at BU for 2018/19 has meant that there is an increased income than prior years. HEI Income is up from £1.594M to £1.602M for BU in 2018/19. Similarly, the cluster HEI Income has increased from £2.146M in 2016/17 to £2.166M, also pushing their income up to £375,000 for regeneration and development.

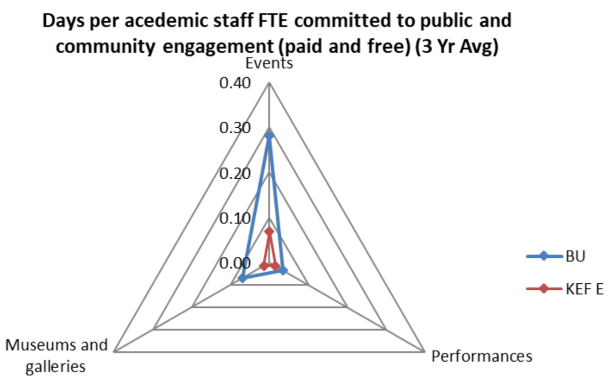
IP and commercialisation

BU's performance is much better than the cluster median for research resource (income) per spin off; a trend that has continued over the previous 3 years. However, BU's income has fallen this year by £465,000 to £372,000 in comparison to the cluster that has increased by £66,500.



Licensing and other IP income for BU has remained static for 2018/19 at £11,000, nearly 4 times below the same for the cluster at £42,000; an increase of £13,000 since 2017/18. BU has however seen an increase in Research income of £2.535M to £11.616M, whereas the cluster has seen this decline by £1.091M to £15.461M. Therefore the 3 year average at BU for Licensing and other IP income as proportion of research income is 0.12% compared the cluster median of 0.20%.





Public and community engagement

The 232 average hours committed by BU to public and community engagement events is significantly higher than the 73 from the cluster group median, resulting in an average of 0.28 days committed at BU per academic staff FTE compared to 0.07 days from the cluster group.

There is a similar trend when looking at museums and galleries, with BU committing an average of 58 days (0.07 per academic FTE) compared to just 15 days (0.01 per academic FTE) in cluster group E.

BU is much closer to the cluster group median when looking at Performances however, with BU committing an average of 29 days to public and community engagement performances (both paid and free) compared to 16 days in the cluster group (0.03 days per academic FTE at BU compared to 0.01 in the cluster group.

APPENDIX 1: BU TOTALS AGAINST COMPARATOR GROUPS

	Collaborative Research Income (£000s)	Contract Research (£000s)	Consultancy Contracts (£000s)	Facilities & Equipment (£000s)	Courses for Business & Community (£000s)	Disclosures & Patents Filed, HEI (By Number)	Licenses Granted (By Number)	IP Income (£000s)	Spin-Off Activity (£000s)	Free Events, Attendees (By Number)	Chargeable Events, Attendees (By Number)	Average contract size (contract research)	Average contract size (consultancy)	Average income per learner day for CPD
Current Competitors														
Bournemouth	1,829	1,214	309	2	3,111	26	2	11	1,117	67,719	3,111	7.06	3.68	0.16
Brunel	8,095	1,713	386	2,515	1,652	24	2	10	64	14,948	5,738	15.03	4.06	0.20
Northumbria	5,583	1,738	649	9	7,085	18	1	14	85,008	61,788	22,001	17.73	3.40	0.26
Oxford Brookes	1,641	761	3,879	66	1,914	5	349	4,063	4,076	44,614	0	30.44	24.09	1.10
Portsmouth	2,611	1,935	2,010	2,051	9,027	5	0	2,182	121,470	78,378	11,057	12.02	12.04	0.26
UWE	7,521	1,513	1,101	1,438	5,562	5	342	43	13,885	32,448,999	128,586	13.51	0.65	0.18
BU Rank	5	5	6	6	4	1	3	5	5	3	5	6	4	6
BU 2017/18 Rank	5	5	5	6	4	1	4	5	5	4	5	6	3	6
Aspirational Competitors														
Bournemouth	1,829	1,214	309	2	3,111	26	2	11	1,117	67,719	3,111	7.06	3.68	0.16
Cardiff	17,210	13,267	3,691	579	10,880	131	2,175	2,582	49,154	44,083	196,026	44.67	5.87	0.13
City University	2,655	1,163	3,156	31	4,875	9	15	334	43,797	14,378	198	33.23	7.44	0.22
Essex	4,646	14,639	410	4,090	2,997	12	1	42	1,966	89,504	10,992	91.49	8.91	0.43
Keele	8,123	683	1,126	3,382	1,757	1	2,095	46	495	14,792	12,660	6.90	5.36	0.06
Leicester	10,908	9,978	11,332	1,249	8,133	61	174	1,215	33,548	55,837	9,487	22.17	29.90	0.13
BU Rank	6	4	6	6	4	3	5	6	5	2	5	5	6	3
Bu 2017/18 Rank	5	5	5	6	4	2	6	5	4	1	5	6	5	4
Stretch Aspirational Competitors														
Bournemouth	1,829	1,214	309	2	3,111	26	2	11	1,117	67,719	3,111	7.06	3.68	0.16
Aston	9,262	2,399	2,721	570	1,172	21	14	231	2,910	154,817	0	16.54	6.92	0.33
Exeter	32,038	21,603	1,787	556	2,635	62	54	183	29,982	81,574	10,665	29.11	5.18	0.00
Reading	9,417	8,617	349	6,984	11,539	8	31	32	900	76,270	5,459	32.64	7.12	0.46
Southampton	44,409	29,823	32,820	12,767	10,734	126	2,163	1,225	119,412	133,505	91,987	33.06	165.76	0.16
Sussex	1,456	12,662	3,784	4,021	676	16	39	36	18,339	5,572,617	22,631	41.79	44.52	0.61
BU Rank	5	6	6	6	3	3	6	6	5	6	5	6	6	5
BU 2017/18 Rank	5	6	6	6	3	2	6	6	5	5	5	6	6	4

KEF Cluster Group E	Collaborative Research Income (£000s)	Contract Research (£000s)	Consultancy Contracts (£000s)	Facilities & Equipment (£000s)	Courses for Business & Community (£000s)	Disclosures & Patents Filed, HEI (By Number)	Licenses Granted (By Number)	IP Income (£000s)	Spin-Off Activity (£000s)	Free Events, Attendees (By Number)	Chargeable Events, Attendees (By Number)	Average contract size (contract research)	Average contract size (consultancy)	Average income per learner day for CPD
Bournemouth	1,829	1,214	309	2	3,111	26	2	11	1,117	67,719	3,111	7	4	0
Anglia Ruskin	1,401	1,404	1,192	294	9,212	21	1	0	0	24,886	8,477	21.9	7.7	0.07
Aston	9,262	2,399	2,721	570	1,172	21	14	231	2,910	154,817	0	16.5	6.9	0.33
Bedfordshire	2,044	1,680	799	334	19,243	4	0	0	12,386	5,078	820	40.0	19.5	0.05
Bradford	2,918	1,782	410	104	2,224	25	28	315	3,397	4,018,158	3,956	20.3	3.7	0.20
Brighton	2,362	1,421	1,453	3,798	3,071	2	0	0	747	43,169	24,552	22.9	20.5	0.04
Central Lancs	7,050	1,383	12,676	540	10,477	48	28	30	35,948	228,077,864	8,006	2.7	181.1	0.14
City University	2,655	1,163	3,156	31	4,875	9	15	334	43,797	14,378	198	33.2	7.4	0.22
Coventry	45,584	1,713	4,009	2,393	8,964	175	39	54	59,736	6,911,697	25,893	14.2	0.8	0.04
De Montfort	808	3,034	464	529	3,300	4	11	10	887	82,835	2,894	27.6	2.7	0.12
Goldsmiths	1,807	417	694	532	2,368	0	42	949	250	15,250	5,150	13.9	14.5	0.19
Greenwich	426	6,951	5,145	140	1,989	28	81	351	0	1,854	0	71.7	42.9	1.80
Hertfordshire	668	5,111	6,718	1,419	3,158	16	34	116	2,281	30,241	35,295	50.6	1.0	0.20
Huddersfield	3,757	1,030	1,280	359	725	35	6	19	1,025	1,018,381	402	24.0	2.9	0.31
John Moores	2,715	1,480	603	83	3,283	20	0	0	31,372	37,036	3,524	13.0	9.1	0.00
Kingston	2,627	606	52	32	2,762	5	1	1	28,542	7,717	7,162	12.6	5.2	0.20
Lincoln	3,735	7,247	735	930	6,514	14	3	26	2,145	37,811	97,402	25.1	6.2	0.13
Manchester Met	4,943	1,986	938	183	7,286	14	3	33	5,086	50,937	4,181	16.4	7.6	0.22
Middlesex	1,815	2,056	35	8	7,683	8	0	364	16,178	118,440	0	22.1	7.0	0.12
N'ham Trent	1,076	3,328	756	3,850	5,618	50	14	125	21,003	30,385	8,127	24.8	17.6	0.16
Northumbria	5,583	1,738	649	9	7,085	18	1	14	85,008	61,788	22,001	17.7	3.4	0.26
Open	67	1,608	994	281	13,047	9	55	2,877	94	282,454,965	27,766	25.5	13.1	0.35
Oxford Brookes	1,641	761	3,879	66	1,914	5	349	4,063	4,076	44,614	0	30.4	24.1	1.10
Plymouth	1,597	896	2,971	2,000	326	45	20	238	22,180	32,848	4,834	35.8	8.4	0.13
Portsmouth	2,611	1,935	2,010	2,051	9,027	5	0	2,182	121,470	78,378	11,057	12.0	12.0	0.26
Salford	7,993	1,828	2,882	100	4,308	21	27	41	13,440	106,391	10,884	19.0	2.0	0.19
Sheffield Hallam	5,748	3,669	2,970	267	3,314	25	28	42	100	3,465	4,405	20.8	9.3	0.00
UWE	7,521	1,513	1,101	1,438	5,562	5	342	43	13,885	32,448,999	128,586	13.5	0.6	0.18
Westminster	2,146	687	176	400	4,575	8	595	0	34	60,761	1,382	22.9	3.9	0.20
BU Rank	19	22	26	29	20	7	21	22	20	12	20	28	22	18
BU 2017/18 Rank	19	25	23	29	15	2	20	22	18	14	21	28	20	17