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https://www.100test.com/kao\_ti2020/533/2021\_2022\_2009\_E5\_B9\_ B4\_E8\_80\_83\_c73\_533181.htm In recent years , we have all watched the increasing commercialization of the campus . The numerous advertising posters and the golden arches of fast food outlets may be an affront to our aesthetic sensibilities , but they are

, arguably , no worse than ugly . Some of the other new features of commercialized campus lire d0 , however , constitute a serious threat to things we rightly revere . " Privatization " and the

" business model " are the potential menace. What do these notions mean? To me, they involve an increased dependence on industry and philanthropy for operating the university; an increased amount of our resources being directed to applied or so-called practical subjects, both in teaching and in research; fl proprietary treatment of research results, with the commercial interest in secrecy overriding the public 's interest in free, shared knowledge; and an attempt to run the university more like a business that treats industry and students as clients and ourselves as service providers with something to sell . o We pay increasing attention to the immediate needs and demands of our " customers " and , as the old saying goes , the customer is always right . Privatization is particularly frightening from the point of view of public well-bein9. A researcher employed by fl university-affiliated hospital in Canada, working under contract with a pharmaceutical company, made public her findings that a particular drug was

harmful . This violated the terms of her contract , and so she was fired . Her dismissal caused a scandal , and she was subsequently reinstated . The university and hospital in question are now working OUt something akin to tenure for hospital-based researchers and guidelines for contracts , so that more public disclosure of privately funded research will become Dossible . This is a rare victory and a small step in the right direction , but the general trend is the other waY . Thanks to profit-driven private fundin9 , researchers are not only forced to keep valuable information secret , theY are often contractually obliged to keep discovered dangers to public health under wraDs , t00 . Of course

, we must not be too naive about this . Governments can unwisely insist on secrecy,t00, as did the British Ministry of Agriculture

, Fisheries , and Food in the work they funded in connection with the bovine spongiform encephalopathy epidemic . This prevented others from reviewing the relevant data and pointing out that problems were more serious than government was letting on.[387 words] 1 . From the first paragraph we can learn that the campus life has become\_\_\_\_\_\_ . A . more convenient B . rather ugly C . somewhat harmful D . no more aesthetic than before 2 . The author believes that we should pay\_\_\_\_\_\_ . A . more attention to the immediate needs and demands of our customers B . due attention to the public interest in free , shared knowledge C . 1ittle attention to applied subjects D . considerable attention to the commercial interest in the secrecy of research results , 百考试题祝 你元旦快乐!3 . The researcher mentioned in the third paragraph

was fired because\_\_\_\_\_\_. A . she worked for a pharmaceutical company B . she was obliged to keep her discoveries secret C . she failed to keep her research results secret D . she committed herself to a contract with a company 4 . It is implied in the passage that\_\_\_\_\_\_

. A . the general public is too naive to accept the " privatization " B. it is a general trend that there will be more public disclosure of privately funded research C. the notion that "the customer is always right " is out of date D. the bovine spongiform encephalopathy epidemic in Britain was more serious than what was disclosed 5. The author argues for \_\_\_\_\_. A . public disclosure of privately funded research B. profitdriven private funding C. the cooperation of universities and hospitals D. the increasing commerdahzation of the campus 超纲词汇 Affront vt . / n . 公开 侮辱,轻蔑 Skin 同族的,类似的 Benchmark 基准 bovine 迟钝 的,牛的,耐心的 diagnosis n. 诊断 disqualify vt. 使丧失资格 encephalopathy n.脑疖旨menace v. / n. 威胁 override vt. /n.制服,践踏,不顾;代理佣金 philanthropy n. 慈善事 业 reinstate v.恢复 scandal n. 丑行, 丑闻, 诽谤, 流言蜚语 spongilorm adj.海绵状的,与海绵同类的 secrecy n.秘密,保 密 tenure n. (土地等的)使用,占用;(土地)使用期限 100Test 下载频道开通,各类考试题目直接下载。详细请访问 www.100test.com