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Contract

Library Resources

THE OPEN UNIVERSITY

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Scope

Reference

OUPA11623

Description

Subscription to academic journals for the OU Library

Contract 1. Subscription to access academic journals

Supplier

- EBSCO INTERNATIONAL INC.

Contract value

- £135,286 including VAT

Below the relevant threshold

Date signed

1 October 2025

Contract dates

- 1 October 2025 to 30 September 2028
- 3 years

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

- 80000000 - Education and training services

Contract locations

- UKJ12 - Milton Keynes

Procedure

Procedure type

Below threshold - unknown

Supplier

EBSCO INTERNATIONAL INC.

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- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PHHL-9383-NLJL

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Region: UKI54 - Enfield

Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): No

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): No

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Contracting authority

THE OPEN UNIVERSITY

- Charity Commission (England and Wales): RC000391
- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PYNW-6296-ZJQQ

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Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government