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## **UKRI-1997 Delivery of the STEM Ambassadors Programme**

UK Research & Innovation

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### **Section I: Contracting authority**

#### **I.1) Name and addresses**

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**Region code**

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**Internet address(es)**

Main address

[www.ukri.org](http://www.ukri.org)

**I.3) Communication**

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

**I.4) Type of the contracting authority**

Body governed by public law

**I.5) Main activity**

Other activity

Research

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## Section II: Object

### II.1) Scope of the procurement

#### II.1.1) Title

UKRI-1997 Delivery of the STEM Ambassadors Programme

Reference number

UKRI-1997

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 79410000 - Business and management consultancy services

#### II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

#### II.1.4) Short description

Supplier Event for the Delivery of the STEM Ambassadors Programme. to be held via a webinar on 4th April 2024 10:30 United Kingdom Research and Innovation (UKRI) wish to fund a national informal learning programme that aims to foster meaningful, equitable engagement between young people and volunteer role models from research and innovation. This programme will be an evolution of the existing STEM Ambassador programme: the UK's largest science, technology, engineering and mathematics (STEM) informal learning engagement programme for young people. Please register to join the webinar.

#### II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £8,330,000

#### II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

### II.2) Description

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

Main site or place of performance

UNITED KINGDOM

#### **II.2.4) Description of the procurement**

UKRI is holding a supplier event via webinar on 4th April 2024 at 10.30 am. UKRI wish to fund a national informal learning programme that aims to foster meaningful, equitable engagement between young people and volunteer role models from research and innovation. This programme will be an evolution of the existing STEM Ambassador programme: the UK's largest science, technology, engineering and mathematics (STEM) informal learning engagement programme for young people. Young people, as the decision makers, citizens and workers of the future, are crucial to realising our vision for Public Engagement (PE) to reshape a more equitable relationship between society and research and innovation. UKRI want the research and innovation system to be a part of everyday culture; one that young people feel works for their benefit and that of society, and which they can enjoy, participate in or challenge. Our Public Engagement Strategy has three key goals: 1. Build a sense of shared endeavour by making R&I relevant and accessible to all 2. Making sure the benefits of R&I are shared widely by supporting collaboration and valuing diverse forms of knowledge. 3. Create opportunities for all by inspiring and engaging the next generation. UKRI is running a competed procurement opportunity and seeking a supplier to deliver a refreshed programme that builds on the success of the STEM Ambassadors programme and incorporates UKRI's public engagement strategy and goals. It is anticipated that the programme will be delivered from 1st October 2024 until 30 September 2026. UKRI is holding a supplier event webinar on 4th April 2024 commencing at 10.30 am, the event is expected to last about an hour and will include a presentation about the STEM Ambassadors programme, plus a question-and-answer session. Please register to join the webinar [https://ukri.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN\\_u\\_HPGIq4R8WaFwVwXCpZFw](https://ukri.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_u_HPGIq4R8WaFwVwXCpZFw)

#### **II.2.14) Additional information**

Supplier event via webinar on 4th April 2024 commencing at 10.30 am, Please register [https://ukri.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN\\_u\\_HPGIq4R8WaFwVwXCpZFw](https://ukri.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_u_HPGIq4R8WaFwVwXCpZFw) After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the webinar.

#### **II.3) Estimated date of publication of contract notice**

1 May 2024

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## **Section IV. Procedure**

### **IV.1) Description**

#### **IV.1.8) Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)**

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: Yes

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

### **VI.3) Additional information**

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