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## **DMU London**

De Montfort University

F02: Contract notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-032909

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## **Section I: Contracting authority**

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

De Montfort University

LE1 9BH

Leicester

#### **Email**

[Simon.Palethorpe@dmu.ac.uk](mailto:Simon.Palethorpe@dmu.ac.uk)

#### **Country**

United Kingdom

#### **NUTS code**

UKI - London

#### **Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://www.dmu.ac.uk/home.aspx>

### **I.3) Communication**

The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access, free of charge, at

<https://in-tendhost.co.uk/demontfort.aspx/Home>

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

<https://in-tendhost.co.uk/demontfort.aspx/Home>

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted to the above-mentioned address

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

Body governed by public law

### **I.5) Main activity**

Education

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## Section II: Object

### II.1) Scope of the procurement

#### II.1.1) Title

DMU London

Reference number

1778

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 80300000 - Higher education services

#### II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

#### II.1.4) Short description

De Montfort University (DMU) has strategic objectives to connect to the infrastructure of the capital, operating a campus in London to raise the profile of the university and capitalise on student recruitment growth potential. The aim of this procurement exercise is to appoint a high quality, commercially minded partner with a demonstrable and successful track record in partnership working, student recruitment and providing a consistently excellent student experience. Full details of the scope of this contract can be found within the Invitation to Tender documents, freely accessible at : <https://intendhost.co.uk/demontfort/aspx/Home>

#### II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £200,000,000

#### II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

### II.2) Description

#### II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 80300000 - Higher education services

### **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKI - London

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

De Montfort University (DMU) has strategic objectives to connect to the infrastructure of the capital, operating a campus in London to raise the profile of the university and capitalise on student recruitment growth potential. The aim of this procurement exercise is to appoint a high quality, commercially minded partner with a demonstrable and successful track record in partnership working, student recruitment and providing a consistently excellent student experience. We are open to applications from a range of prospective Partners and considering a range of models.

### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

### **II.2.6) Estimated value**

Value excluding VAT: £200,000,000

### **II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system**

Duration in months

120

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

It is anticipated that the Contract will be awarded for an initial period of 7 years, with a view to extend for a further period of 3 (three) years, subject to performance.

### **II.2.10) Information about variants**

Variants will be accepted: No

### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: No

### **II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

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

The figures given are an estimate only of the total value of the Contract and should not be taken as a guarantee of any minimum contract value

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## **Section III. Legal, economic, financial and technical information**

### **III.1) Conditions for participation**

#### **III.1.1) Suitability to pursue the professional activity, including requirements relating to enrolment on professional or trade registers**

List and brief description of conditions

Selection Criteria as stated in the procurement documents

#### **III.1.2) Economic and financial standing**

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

#### **III.1.3) Technical and professional ability**

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

### **III.2) Conditions related to the contract**

#### **III.2.2) Contract performance conditions**

As stated in the procurement documents

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## **Section IV. Procedure**

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

#### **IV.1.1) Type of procedure**

Open procedure

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: Yes

### **IV.2) Administrative information**

#### **IV.2.2) Time limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate**

Date

4 May 2022

Local time

12:00pm

#### **IV.2.4) Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted**

English

#### **IV.2.7) Conditions for opening of tenders**

Date

4 May 2022

Local time

1:00pm

Place

De Montfort University, Leicester

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

### **VI.1) Information about recurrence**

This is a recurrent procurement: No

### **VI.2) Information about electronic workflows**

Electronic ordering will be used

Electronic invoicing will be accepted

Electronic payment will be used

### **VI.4) Procedures for review**

#### **VI.4.1) Review body**

The High Court of Justice

The Strand

London

WC2A 2LL

Country

United Kingdom

#### **VI.4.3) Review procedure**

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures

The authority will incorporate a minimum 10 calendar days standstill period at the point information on the award of the contract is communicated to tenderers. Applicants who are unsuccessful shall be informed by the authority as soon as possible after the decision has been made as to the reasons why the applicant was unsuccessful. If an appeal regarding the award of the contract has not been successfully resolved, The public contracts Regulations 2015 (SI 2015 no 102) provide for aggrieved parties who have been harmed or are at risk of harm by breach of the rules to take action in the High Court (England, Wales, and Northern Ireland). Any such action must generally be brought within three months. If a declaration of

ineffectiveness is sought, any such action must be brought within 30 days where the authority has communicated the award of the contract and a summary of reasons to tenderers, or otherwise within 6 months of the contract being entered into. Where a contract has not been entered into, the court may order the setting aside of the award decision or order the authority to amend any document and may award damages. If the contract has been entered into the court may, depending on the circumstances, award damages, make a declaration of ineffectiveness, order the authority to pay a fine, and/or order that the duration of the contract be shortened. The purpose of the standstill period referred to above is to allow the parties to apply to the courts to set aside the award decision before the contract is entered into.

#### **VI.4.4) Service from which information about the review procedure may be obtained**

De Montfort University

The Gateway

Leicester

LE1 9BH

Country

United Kingdom

Internet address

[www.dmu.ac.uk](http://www.dmu.ac.uk)