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Award

UKRI-5371 CREST Award scheme

UK Research & Innovation (UKRI)

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Scope

Reference

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Description

We seek to make a direct award to support the delivery of the CREST Awards through to the end of September 2026

Contract 1

Supplier

- British Science Association

Contract value

- £1,000,000 excluding VAT
- £1,200,000 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

Award decision date

29 January 2026

Standstill period

- End: 11 February 2026
- 8 working days

Earliest date the contract will be signed

13 February 2026

Contract dates (estimated)

- 13 February 2026 to 30 September 2026
- 7 months, 16 days

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

- 79410000 - Business and management consultancy services

Contract locations

- UK - United Kingdom

Procedure

Procedure type

Direct award

Supplier

British Science Association

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PBPR-1971-VLWT

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London

SW7 5HD

United Kingdom

Email: enquireis@britishscienceassociation.org

Region: UKI33 - Kensington & Chelsea and Hammersmith & Fulham

Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): Yes

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): No

Supported employment provider: No

Public service mutual: No

Contract 1

Contracting authority

UK Research & Innovation (UKRI)

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PDQJ-7126-JDHG

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Website: <https://www.ukri.org/>

Region: UKK14 - Swindon

Organisation type: Public authority - central government