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Planning

Provision of PGR Training Programme

University of Strathclyde

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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Country

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NUTS code

UKM82 - Glasgow City

Internet address(es)

Main address

http://www.strath.ac.uk/

Buyer's address

https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA00113

I.2) Information about joint procurement

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

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

Education

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Provision of PGR Training Programme

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 80000000 - Education and training services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

The University of Strathclyde requires a package of training courses focused on project management, tailored for postgraduate researchers

II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £350,000

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Confident Communications

Lot No

2

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 80000000 - Education and training services

- 80500000 - Training services

- 80510000 - Specialist training services

- 80521000 - Training programme services

- 80532000 - Management training services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKM82 - Glasgow City

Main site or place of performance

Glasgow

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

- Confident Communications: General presentation; Poster presentation; Grant writing; Public engagement; 3MT preparation; Viva preparation; Your voice - social media, elevator pitch

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Thriving in Your Research

Lot No

3

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 80000000 - Education and training services

- 80500000 - Training services

- 80510000 - Specialist training services

- 80520000 - Training facilities

- 80532000 - Management training services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKM82 - Glasgow City

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

- Thriving in Your Research: Time management; TM for part-time; Networking; Understanding UK HE landscape (incl. finance/funding); Entrepreneurship; Data Management Plans; Imposter syndrome; Supervisor relationship; Resilience

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Culture, Ethics and Community

Lot No

4

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 80000000 - Education and training services

- 80500000 - Training services

- 80510000 - Specialist training services

- 80520000 - Training facilities

- 80532000 - Management training services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKM82 - Glasgow City

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

- Culture, Ethics and Community: Research integrity & ethics; 'Wellness' series; Collaborative/interdisciplinary working; Leadership & team building; Sustainability; Data sharing/open access

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Effective Writing

Lot No

1

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 80500000 - Training services

- 80510000 - Specialist training services

- 80521000 - Training programme services

- 80532000 - Management training services

- 80000000 - Education and training services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKM82 - Glasgow City

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

The University of Strathclyde requires a package of training courses focused on project management, tailored for postgraduate researchers, that cover the following topics:

- Effective Writing: Writing & presenting; Your voice in academic writing; Understanding and undertaking literature review; Editing; Data visualisation; Thesis writing; Writing for/publishing in academic journals - STEM; Writing for/publishing in academic journals - HaSSB

Courses will:

- be a blended format of online – and in-person on the University of Strathclyde campus;

- be held at least twice during the period October-May, inclusive, depending on participant demand; be held on dates agreed prior to October each year;

- be delivered by trainers with experience delivering practical training in the Higher Education sector, with a breadth of knowledge from a range of disciplines and sectors;

- use a blended format of course materials, and individual and group-based activities;

- use practical exercises to reinforce and enhance the skills learned.

- the University of Strathclyde will provide suitable space for in-person courses, refreshment for participants, and printing of materials.

II.3) Estimated date of publication of contract notice

24 March 2025

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

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

Interested parties are requested to complete and return the attached questionnaire by close of business on 11/3/2025 to ejiro.fajinmi@strath.ac.uk

Please note that this PIN has been released for market engagement purposes only. This does not mean that by noting your interest you will automatically be invited to the tender process should there be one in the future. The University reserves the right not to follow up with an open tender and choose a different contractual arrangement that would be best suited for this requirement.

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