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Contract

For the provision of an Embedded College offering Integrated Courses ECIC

University of Cumbria

F03: Contract award notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocids-h6vhtk-0447ca

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

University of Cumbria

Fusehill Street

Carlisle

CA12HH

Contact

Sian Jenkins

Email

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Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

UKD1 - Cumbria

Internet address(es)

Main address

www.cumbria.ac.uk

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

For the provision of an Embedded College offering Integrated Courses ECIC

Reference number

24-11

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 80300000 - Higher education services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

The University of Cumbria aims to enter into a partnership to develop and establish an Embedded College offering Integrated Courses ECIC, to deliver educational study programmes to international students to equip them with the skills and qualifications required to enrol on an undergraduate or postgraduate course at the University. This presents an opportunity for a suitably experienced supplier to establish and run an ECIC on the University of Cumbria's Lancaster campus. The University remains open minded

on the terms of the partnership, the operating model and the academic provision, and welcomes proposals from all interested parties.

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

II.1.7) Total value of the procurement (excluding VAT)

Value excluding VAT: £1,500,000

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 800000000 - Education and training services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKD - North West (England)

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

For the provision of an Embedded College offering Integrated Courses ECIC

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Quality of Proposal / Weighting: 100

Price - Weighting: 0

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: Yes

Identification of the project

24-11

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.2.1) Previous publication concerning this procedure

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Section V. Award of contract

Contract No

24-11

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

5 February 2025

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 2

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 1

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 2

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: No

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Malvern House International Ltd

3rd Floor , 1 Ashley Road

Altrincham

WA142DT

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKD6 - Cheshire

National registration number

03848072

The contractor is an SME

No

V.2.4) Information on value of contract/lot (excluding VAT)

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £1,500,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £1,500,000

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Royal Courts of Justice

WC2A2LL

London

Country

United Kingdom