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Tender

V&A New Fashion Gallery: Mannequin Development and Supply

Victoria and Albert Museum

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Changes to notice

This notice has been edited. The [previous version](#) is still available.

A previous version of this tender notice did not factor for British Summer Time. This updated version has amended the deadlines for enquiries and tender submission from 13:00 to 12:00.

Scope

Description

The Victoria and Albert Museum is seeking a supplier to procure approximately 170 mannequins for its new permanent Fashion Gallery. This prominent FuturePlan project includes the design and manufacture of fashion mannequins of various shapes and sizes, and will require a modular and bespoke approach to development and production. Objects include historical and contemporary garments with a global scope. These will be displayed on a range of mannequin types including full figures and bust forms, with an option to consider head treatments and bespoke adaptations as required.

A Preliminary Market Engagement Notice was published on 11 March 2025. Notice identifier: 2025/S 000-008860

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Total value (estimated)

- £200,000 excluding VAT
- £240,000 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

Contract dates (estimated)

- 17 June 2025 to 17 June 2030
- 5 years, 1 day

Main procurement category

Goods

CPV classifications

- 39154000 - Exhibition equipment
- 92521100 - Museum-exhibition services

Contract locations

- UKI - London

Participation

Legal and financial capacity conditions of participation

Conditions of participation criteria as stated in the procurement documents

Technical ability conditions of participation

Conditions of participation criteria as stated in the procurement documents

Submission

Enquiry deadline

2 May 2025, 12:00pm

Tender submission deadline

9 May 2025, 12:00pm

Submission address and any special instructions

<https://www.delta-esourcing.com/respond/4NC7387FG2>

Tenders may be submitted electronically

Yes

Languages that may be used for submission

English

Award decision date (estimated)

5 June 2025

Award criteria

Name	Description	Type	Weighting
Outlined in tender documents	Long criteria description	Quality	75%
Overall costs for Product and Resourcing	Long criteria description	Price	25%

Other information

Applicable trade agreements

- Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)
- Comprehensive and Progressive Agreement for Trans-Pacific Partnership (CPTPP)

Conflicts assessment prepared/revised

Yes

Procedure

Procedure type

Open procedure

Contracting authority

Victoria and Albert Museum

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PQLN-4536-WVGN

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Region: UKI33 - Kensington & Chelsea and Hammersmith & Fulham

Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government