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# 2021\_Marketing - British Council - Marketing Automation Programme

**British Council** 

F02: Contract notice

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The closing date and time has been changed to:

6 August 2021, 3:00pm

See the change notice.

# **Section I: Contracting authority**

# I.1) Name and addresses

**British Council** 

**Bridgewater House** 

Manchester

M1 6BB

#### **Email**

caroline.doidge@britishcouncil.org

#### Country

**United Kingdom** 

#### **NUTS** code

UK - United Kingdom

#### Internet address(es)

Main address

https://in-tendhost.co.uk/britishcouncil/aspx/Home

Buyer's address

https://in-tendhost.co.uk/britishcouncil/aspx/Home

## I.3) Communication

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

https://in-tendhost.co.uk/britishcouncil/aspx/Home

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

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

Other activity

**Registered Charity** 

# **Section II: Object**

# II.1) Scope of the procurement

#### II.1.1) Title

2021 Marketing - British Council - Marketing Automation Programme

Reference number

#### BC/01846

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 72212480 - Sales, marketing and business intelligence software development services

#### II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

#### II.1.4) Short description

Intention to procure a Marketing Automation Platform during July/August 2021. The objective of this programme is to procure and implement a marketing automation platform that will enable us to increase our digital engagement with audiences at scale and help us transform the customer relationship from a transactional conversion to an intimate and long-lasting nurtured relationship. Embedding a Marketing Automation Platform links strongly into our strategic priorities by: 1. Offering a more personalised experience to all our customers at the right time, in their preferred format, through their preferred channel with an array of content and product offers based on their behaviours and preferences online.2. Enabling our marketing functions in optimizing the marketing strategies by tracking the engagement, capturing leads and nurturing them to improve conversions. Also, supporting to improve customer retention and reduce churn.

#### II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £3,000,000

#### II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

#### II.2) Description

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UK - United Kingdom

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

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transform the customer relationship from a transactional conversion to an intimate and long-lasting nurtured relationship. Embedding a Marketing Automation Platform links strongly into our strategic priorities by: 1. Offering a more personalised experience to all our customers at the right time, in their preferred format, through their preferred channel with an array of content and product offers based on their behaviours and preferences online.2. Enabling our marketing functions in optimizing the marketing strategies by tracking the engagement, capturing leads and nurturing them to improve conversions. Also, supporting to improve customer retention and reduce churn.

#### II.2.5) Award criteria

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

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

**Duration** in months

48

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

To be defined in the tender document on release

#### 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

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

# III.1) Conditions for participation

#### 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

## 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: No

## IV.2) Administrative information

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

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Date

30 July 2021

Local time

10:00am

Changed to:

Date

6 August 2021

Local time
3:00pm
See the <u>change notice</u> .
IV.2.4) Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted
English
IV.2.7) Conditions for opening of tenders  Date
30 July 2021
Local time
10:00am
Place
Expressions of Interest and signing of NDA's required at this stage. Tender timelines will
be advertised once released.
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