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Tender

PROCUREMENT OF A STRATEGIC DELIVERY PARTNER

LONDON METROPOLITAN UNIVERSITY

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Scope

Reference

LMU2025-1760

Description

This opportunity is for the procurement of a Strategic Delivery Partner (SDP) for London Metropolitan University

To help us achieve these strategic targets, our objective is to procure a long-term partnership with a Tier One organisation and FM provider who will:

- a. Build & deliver capital projects with quality and value through the life of the Estates Strategy
- b. Provide strategic build, maintain and operate advice throughout the delivery of the Strategy to optimise operational outcomes and life cycle costs

- c. Ensure a best-in-class transition from construction to operation
- d. Lead a Total Facilities Management (TFM) service with the student experience at the heart of operations
- e. Deliver net zero targets through sustainability in all capital projects and TFM services
- f. Identify & leverage strategic opportunities in our campus facilities to continuously add value
- g. Maximise positive impact on teaching outcomes, school identities & community experience
- h. Promote social value and achieve excellence in safety, site operations and campus facilities

The Strategic Delivery Partner will support the Soft Landings process and activities in relation to the delivery of the Capital Projects Programme, with any new built or refurbished facility conceived, designed, built, and handed over to its FM services function with the needs of users and operators at the heart of the process from the outset, with the management of the asset considered throughout its life cycle (including the design development and build stages).

To this end, the Strategic Delivery Partner will provide a range of professional services aimed at improving the outcomes of the capital programme. For example, the provision of practical buildability advice during the design stages to improve build quality, build cost and build programme, and provision of operational design reviews to improve the effectiveness and efficiency of operations and FM once the asset is built.

Further information on the full scope of services included, and the tender process, can be found within the tender documentation available on our e-tendering portal.

Total value (estimated)

- £284,000,000 excluding VAT
- £340,800,000 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

Contract dates (estimated)

- 28 April 2026 to 27 April 2031
- Possible extension to 27 April 2036
- 10 years

Description of possible extension:

The contract may be extended for further periods of three (3) years for a first extension and two (2) years for a second extension.

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

- 45000000 - Construction work
- 50700000 - Repair and maintenance services of building installations

Contract locations

- UKI - London

Justification for not using lots

In order to drive greater efficiency and enable us to achieve our strategic objectives, London Metropolitan University has combined scope of services within this procurement to include Tier One and FM Services.

Further information on our strategy can be found within the tender documentation.

Submission

Submission type

Requests to participate

Deadline for requests to participate

29 May 2025, 3:00pm

Submission address and any special instructions

<https://iaetme.fa.ocs.oraclecloud.com/supplierPortal/faces/FndOverviewfndGlobalItemNo>
deld=itemNode supplier portal supplier portal

Tenders may be submitted electronically

Yes

Languages that may be used for submission

English

Suppliers to be invited to tender

Maximum 4 suppliers

Selection criteria:

Please see the tender documentation for full details on the selection of participants to be invited to tender.

Award decision date (estimated)

30 March 2026

Award criteria

Name	Description	Type	Weighting
Core Services	Suppliers scores for Core Services will account for 30% of their final score. Suppliers core services submissions will be scored using the following criteria: Quality - 70% Price - 30% Please see the tender documentation for more details.	Quality	30%

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Capital Works	<p>Suppliers scores for Capital Works will account for 30% of their final score. Suppliers capital works submissions will be scored using the following criteria: Quality - 40% Price - 60% Please see the tender documentation for more details.</p>	Quality	30%
Facilities Maintenance	<p>Suppliers scores for Facilities Maintenance will account for 30% of their final score. Suppliers core services submissions will be scored using the following criteria: Quality - 60% Price - 40% Please see the tender documentation for more details.</p>	Quality	30%

Name	Description	Type	Weighting
Social Value	Suppliers scores for Quality Facilities Maintenance will account for 30% of their final score. Suppliers core services submissions will be scored using the following criteria: Quality - 60% Price - 40% Please see the tender documentation for more details.		10%

Other information

Conflicts assessment prepared/revised

Yes

Procedure

Procedure type

Competitive flexible procedure

Competitive flexible procedure description

The procurement procedure being applied to the Contract is a 'competitive flexible procedure' under section 20(2) of the Act. The most advantageous submission will be identified by a five-stage process as set out in more detail in this Invitation to Participate.

Stage One: Requests to Participate and PSQ

Stage Two: Tender Stage One

Stage Three: Tender Stage Two

Stage Four: Identification of Preferred Bidder

Stage Five: Standstill and Contract Award

Full details can be found within the ITP provided within the tender documentation.

Justification for not publishing a preliminary market engagement notice

This procurement process commenced prior to the implementation of the Procurement Act 2023. A PIN notice was issued under PCR 2015 (2024/S 000-014987).

Documents

Associated tender documents

https://iaetme.fa.ocs.oraclecloud.com/supplierPortal/faces/FndOverview?_afndGlobalItemId=itemNode_supplier_portal_supplier_portal

Suppliers can register for access to our e-tendering portal, Oracle Fusion, via the link below:

<https://iaetme.fa.ocs.oraclecloud.com/fscmUI/redwood/supplier-registration/register-supplier/register-supplier-verification?id=Jqjdl142fqSWRrkr7zVte05ynD6OnVr4QvvR1Npz2r4eLs/0laO1sPQhtw==>

Once registered, the opportunity can be accessed via the following link:

https://iaetme.fa.ocs.oraclecloud.com/supplierPortal/faces/FndOverviewfndGlobalItemNo.deld=itemNode_supplier_portal_supplier_portal

Documents to be provided after the tender notice

Any additional documentation, provided during the process, will be provided via the Oracle e-tendering portal.

Contracting authority

LONDON METROPOLITAN UNIVERSITY

- Companies House: 00974438
- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PWRV-6768-MQCM

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Region: UKI43 - Haringey and Islington

Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government

Other organisations

These organisations are carrying out the procurement, or part of it, on behalf of the contracting authorities.

GARDINER & THEOBALD LLP

Summary of their role in this procurement: Project Management

- Companies House: OC307124
- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PPGW-7436-DBWT

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Region: UKI31 - Camden and City of London

MILLS & REEVE LLP

Summary of their role in this procurement: Contract Development and Review

- Companies House: OC326165
- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PQVY-8728-PGBR

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Contact organisation

Contact LONDON METROPOLITAN UNIVERSITY for any enquiries.