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Award

Service Contract - Gatan/Ametek K3 Camera and Gatan Image Filter (GIF)

BIRKBECK COLLEGE

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-03de33

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Section I: Contracting authority/entity

I.1) Name and addresses

BIRKBECK COLLEGE

Malet Street

LONDON

WC1E 7HX

Contact

Procurement

Email

procurement@bbk.ac.uk

Country

United Kingdom

Region code

UKI31 - Camden and City of London

Justification for not providing organisation identifier

Not on any register

Internet address(es)

Main address

www.bbk.ac.uk

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Other type

Higher Education

I.5) Main activity

Education

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Service Contract - Gatan/Ametek K3 Camera and Gatan Image Filter (GIF)

Reference number

BBKP 23 20

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 50800000 - Miscellaneous repair and maintenance services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

Service Contract for K3 Camera and Gatan Image Filter (GIF)

(Krios Microscope)

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: £268,447.20

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 38510000 - Microscopes

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKI - London

Main site or place of performance

Malet Street, London, WC1E 7HX

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

4 year Service Contract for K3 Camera and Gatan Image Filter (GIF)

(Krios Microscope)

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

Section IV. Procedure

IV.1) Description

IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Award of a contract without prior publication of a call for competition in the cases listed below

- The procurement falls outside the scope of application of the regulations

Explanation:

The Service Contract is for K3 Camera and Gatan Image Filter (GIF), which are used on a Krios Microscope for research purposes.

The award of the contract to Ametek (GB) Limited is made on the following basis;

Following Market engagement and appropriate consultation by the College to determine procurement options, it was agreed with stakeholders, that the contract should be awarded to Ametek (GB) Limited for the K3 camera and Gatan Image Filter (GIF).

The new contract will ensure consistency of service with the original manufacturers of the items, which are a critical component for the functioning of our Krios Microscope, which is an essential part of research activity for our academic community and students.

The microscope manufacturers have also consented to this arrangement, which are in the best interest of the College.

The College also concluded that the 4-year contract offers value for money and maintenance with original parts is retained as was originally envisaged at award stage of the Krios Microscope in 2017.

IV.1.8) Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: No

Section V. Award of contract/concession

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract/concession

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

29 June 2023

V.2.2) Information about tenders

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor/concessionaire

AMETEK (GB) Limited

Leicester

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKF2 - Leicestershire, Rutland and Northamptonshire

Companies House

02569386

The contractor/concessionaire is an SME

Yes

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot/concession: £268,447.20

Total value of the contract/lot/concession: £268,447.20

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

N/A

N/A

Country

United Kingdom