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Tender

Art Residency Management Masterclasses

British Council

F02: Contract notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-02e4df

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

British Council

1636

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Country

Saudi Arabia

NUTS code

SA - Saudi Arabia

Internet address(es)

Main address

www.britishcouncil.org

I.3) Communication

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

<https://in-tend.co.uk.britishcouncil/>

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

<https://in-tend.co.uk.britishcouncil/>

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**

Art Residency Management Masterclasses

Reference number

BC/02041

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 800000000 - Education and training services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

The British Council seeks a course leader to develop and deliver art residency masterclasses during Nov 21-Jan 22, following a poll/survey with local art entities to best meet their needs and aspirations. The programme content can be determined depending on the survey/poll results, in consultancy with the British Council, and delivered online. This may be in collaboration with a local partner such as the Ministry of Culture. The audiences for this project are arts organizations, art galleries and artists who are interested in enhancing their knowledge and experience about art residencies.

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

II.2) Description**II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 800000000 - Education and training services
- 920000000 - Recreational, cultural and sporting services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- SA - Saudi Arabia

Main site or place of performance

Saudi Arabia

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Saudi Arabia has been going through a period of rapid change in response to the country's Vision 2030, one of which is establishing the Ministry of Culture (MoC) in June 2018. Since then, the MoC has launched its vision and strategy for the future and worked rapidly to achieve the Kingdom's Vision by announcing a series of initiatives. Among

those initiatives is the first country-wide MoC-led residency programme. There is also an interest from arts organizations and artists to develop infrastructure to support artists' practice and skills through artist residencies. Throughout 2019, the British Council supported a series of scoping visits for Saudi artists to learn about opportunities in the UK and for Saudi cultural organizations to meet with and find out more about the practicalities of setting up a successful residency programme in the UK. To continue the conversations and encourage further collaborations, we undertook an open call in 2020 to select UK organizations interested in continuing discussions with their Saudi counterparts to pilot a scheme in the next financial year. Through the learnings of the delegations, we realized that the need to develop art residencies both locally and internationally through partnerships is vital. Art residency programmes are substantial for artists as they offer artists space and time to reflect, research, practice, exchange skills and build professional networks. They are also international cultural exchange in the long term and the links and networks between art residency organizations and individual artists enrich the cultural discourse and strengthen the creative economy.

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

6

This contract is subject to renewal

No

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

Date

17 October 2021

Local time

2:00pm

IV.2.4) Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted

English

IV.2.7) Conditions for opening of tenders

Date

18 October 2021

Local time

2:00am

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: No

VI.3) Additional information

If you are interested in expressing an interest and/or bidding for this project, please go to <https://in-tendhost.co.uk/britishcouncil> . You may then have to register your company before you can express an interest for this project and get access the documents.

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

British Council

London

1636

Country

United Kingdom