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Tender

ACE 1003 ITT - Touring Research 2025/26

Arts Council England

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Scope

Description

ACE 1003 ITT - Touring Research 2025/26 ACE is seeking to gain a deeper understanding of the current landscape of the theatre, dance, music and combined arts touring sectors and ecologies, and how these have evolved since the Covid-19 pandemic. The specific focus of this study is the Touring of theatre, dance, music, and combined arts activities to indoor venues with a capacity of 150 or below, rural, outdoor work, site specific work and touring to community spaces, as well as by geography and artform, including genre.

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Total value (estimated)

- £50,000 excluding VAT
- £60,000 including VAT

Below the relevant threshold

Contract dates (estimated)

- 15 September 2025 to 1 May 2026
- 7 months, 17 days

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

- 73110000 - Research services

Contract locations

- UK - United Kingdom

Participation

Particular suitability

- Small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)
 - Voluntary, community and social enterprises (VCSE)
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Submission

Enquiry deadline

5 June 2025, 12:00pm

Tender submission deadline

18 June 2025, 12:00pm

Submission address and any special instructions

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Tenders may be submitted electronically

Yes

Award criteria

| Name | Type | Weighting |
|---------|---------|-----------|
| Quality | Quality | 80% |
| Price | Price | 20% |

Procedure

Procedure type

Below threshold - open competition

Documents

Associated tender documents

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Contracting authority

Arts Council England

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PBGY-4385-GQGP

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