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# 3111/LM – External Audit Services for The University Of Sheffield

University of Sheffield

F02: Contract notice

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## **Section I: Contracting authority**

#### I.1) Name and addresses

University of Sheffield

Procurement Office, Arts Tower, Western Bank

Sheffield

S10 2TN

#### **Email**

l.w.marsden@sheffield.ac.uk

#### **Telephone**

+44 1142224206

#### Country

**United Kingdom** 

#### **NUTS** code

UKE32 - Sheffield

#### Internet address(es)

Main address

www.in-tendhost.co.uk/sheffield

## I.3) Communication

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

https://in-tendhost.co.uk/Sheffield

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

https://in-tendhost.co.uk/Sheffield

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted to the above-mentioned address

Electronic communication requires the use of tools and devices that are not generally available. Unrestricted and full direct access to these tools and devices is possible, free of charge, at

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#### I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

## I.5) Main activity

Education

## **Section II: Object**

#### II.1) Scope of the procurement

#### II.1.1) Title

3111/LM - External Audit Services for The University Of Sheffield

Reference number

3111/LM

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 79212100 - Financial auditing services

#### II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

#### II.1.4) Short description

The University of Sheffield requires External Audit service providers in compliance with the requirements of the Office for Students, as set out in Regulatory Advice 9: Accounts Direction (Ref OfS 2019.41). The Audit Services shall be divided into two lots:• Lot 1 – External Audit services for The University of Sheffield• Lot 2 – External Audit services for University companies The University welcomes bidders who wish to be considered for one or both lots (provided that they meet the specification criteria). The full technical specification can be found in the ITT documentation which will be available after you have expressed your interest on In-Tend. Tender Process and Documentation: This is an FTS Open tender exercise. The ITT can be downloaded by registering and expressing your interest on the University's etendering system https:/

#### II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £1,750,000

#### II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

## II.2) Description

#### II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 79212100 Financial auditing services
- 79212000 Auditing services

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UKE32 - Sheffield

### II.2.4) Description of the procurement

As per the ITT document available to download at <a href="https://in-tendhost.co.uk/Sheffield">https://in-tendhost.co.uk/Sheffield</a>

#### II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 80%

Price - Weighting: 20%

#### II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £1,750,000

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

**Duration in months** 

36

This contract is subject to renewal

No

#### II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: Yes

#### 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

6 December 2021

Local time

12:00am

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

English

## IV.2.7) Conditions for opening of tenders

Date

6 December 2021

Local time

12:00pm

## **Section VI. Complementary information**

## VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: Yes

## VI.2) Information about electronic workflows

Electronic ordering will be used

Electronic invoicing will be accepted

Electronic payment will be used

## VI.4) Procedures for review

#### VI.4.1) Review body

High Court of England, Wales and Northern Ireland

London

Country

**United Kingdom**