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Planning

Replacement for Consultancy & Skilled Persons Framework

Financial Conduct Authority

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Changes to notice

This notice has been edited. The [previous version](#) is still available.

Added text about likely participants to the event.

Scope

Reference

P0782

Description

This is a notice about a Pre-Market Engagement Event. The Financial Conduct Authority (FCA) and the Bank of England (BoE) are procuring a new framework agreement to replace the current Consultancy and Skilled Persons Framework. This will cover Skilled Persons, Consultancy and Multi-Firm Failure and will be broken into multiple Lots.

Commercial tool

Establishes a framework

Total value (estimated)

- £170,000,000 excluding VAT
- £204,000,000 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

Contract dates (estimated)

- 1 April 2026 to 31 March 2030
- 4 years

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

- 79411000 - General management consultancy services
- 79221000 - Tax consultancy services
- 79410000 - Business and management consultancy services
- 66519310 - Insurance consultancy services
- 66171000 - Financial consultancy services
- 72224000 - Project management consultancy services
- 72221000 - Business analysis consultancy services
- 79412000 - Financial management consultancy services

Contract locations

- UK - United Kingdom

Engagement

Engagement deadline

1 July 2025

Engagement process description

The FCA and BoE are running a Pre-Market Engagement Event at the FCA office in London on the 1st July 2025 commencing at approximately 8:30 and finishing at 11:30. This is ahead of the formal procurement. We will introduce our plans for the replacement to the Consultancy and Skilled Persons Framework and would welcome feedback from the market to inform our procurement strategy. To express interest in the event and to provide an indication of whether you would attend in-person or virtually, please email

fcaprocurement@fca.org.uk and use "C&SP Pre Market Engagement Event" in the Subject line. Further details about the event will be sent to those suppliers who register interest. We may also run other market engagement events prior to issuing the tender and you are welcome to express interest in these if you cannot attend the first event.

The event is aimed at a range of consultancy firms including, but not limited to, Skilled Persons, General Business Consultancy in the widest sense and Insolvency Practitioners.

Participation

Particular suitability

Small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)

Submission

Publication date of tender notice (estimated)

15 August 2025

Contracting authority

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