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Awarded contract

Digital Core

The University of Nottingham

F03: Contract award notice

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

The University of Nottingham

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Nottingham

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Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

UKF14 - Nottingham

Internet address(es)

Main address

www.nottingham.ac.uk

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

Digital Core

Reference number

1383/ITT/KH

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 48400000 - Business transaction and personal business software package

II.1.3) Type of contract

Supplies

II.1.4) Short description

The University of Nottingham is seeking to replace its extant UK Human Resources (HR), finance, payroll, and procurement systems with modern technology that will enable the University to make a step change in the way it manages its human and financial resources,

with knock-on benefits for teaching and research. It will remove the current barriers to 21st century excellent people management practices and create visibility of the strategic information required to support the achievement of University ambitions. The future solution will be Software as a Service (SaaS) based and will provide greater efficiency, usability, and control for the University so that it may better serve its staff, students, and partners.

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: £35,000,000

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 72265000 - Software configuration services
- 72212450 - Time accounting or human resources software development services
- 72266000 - Software consultancy services
- 72268000 - Software supply services
- 48440000 - Financial analysis and accounting software package
- 72212440 - Financial analysis and accounting software development services
- 48490000 - Procurement software package
- 48400000 - Business transaction and personal business software package
- 72262000 - Software development services
- 48450000 - Time accounting or human resources software package
- 72267000 - Software maintenance and repair services
- 72263000 - Software implementation services
- 72416000 - Application service providers
- 72261000 - Software support services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKF14 - Nottingham

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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University to make a step change in the way it manages its human and financial resources, with knock-on benefits for teaching and research. It will remove the current barriers to 21st century excellent people management practices and create visibility of the strategic information required to support the achievement of University ambitions. The future solution will be Software as a Service (SaaS) based and will provide greater efficiency, usability, and control for the University so that it may better serve its staff, students, and partners.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Price

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: Yes

Identification of the project

1383/ITT/KH

Section IV. Procedure

IV.1) Description

IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Competitive dialogue

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.2.1) Previous publication concerning this procedure

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Section V. Award of contract

Contract No

1383/ITT/KH

Title

Digital Core

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

16 December 2021

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 4

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 4

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Evolutionary Systems Company Limited

Middlesex

HA1 4HN

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKF14 - Nottingham

The contractor is an SME

No

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £35,000,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £29,750,000

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

The University of Nottingham

Nottingham

Country

United Kingdom