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#### Contract

## AI & ML leadership courses for construction sector

**UK Research and Innovation** 

F03: Contract award notice

Notice identifier: 2024/S 000-032478

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-046dca

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## **Section I: Contracting authority**

## I.1) Name and addresses

**UK Research and Innovation** 

Polaris House, North Star Avenue

**SWINDON** 

#### Contact

Abigail Woods

#### **Email**

coreservices@uksbs.co.uk

#### Country

**United Kingdom** 

## **Region code**

UKK14 - Swindon

## Justification for not providing organisation identifier

Not on any register

### Internet address(es)

Main address

https://www.ukri.org/

## I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

## I.5) Main activity

Other activity

Research

## **Section II: Object**

## II.1) Scope of the procurement

## II.1.1) Title

AI & ML leadership courses for construction sector

Reference number

GSS23892

## II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 80500000 - Training services

## II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

#### II.1.4) Short description

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The services tendered in this document are part of a wider programme to stimulate the adoption of AI & ML technologies in lower-AI-maturity sectors of the UK economy. The wider programme will achieve its objectives by building an innovation network to stimulate both demand and supply side engagement, develop end-user driven AI technologies and address systemic barriers limiting adoption, namely skill gaps affecting the supply side and lack of understanding of technology affecting the demand side, both of which affect the ability to map business challenges to the right AI & ML technologies to solve these problems. The programme aims to increase adoption and diffusion of AI among adoption laggards which will have a positive impact on underperforming sectors and on UK productivity, ensuring AI benefits all sectors of the UK economy.

The overall aim of the programme is to support the transition to an AI-enabled economy, capturing the benefits of AI innovation in the UK, and ensuring AI technologies benefits all sectors.

The objective of this tender exercise is to sign contracts with a supplier of a training provision that will support UKRI - Innovate UK with content generation and delivery of courses designed to create Data & AI leadership in UK organizations within the construction sector that seek to adopt AI & ML technologies.

#### 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: £205,550

## II.2) Description

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

• 72000000 - IT services: consulting, software development, Internet and support

## II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

#### • UK - United Kingdom

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## II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: technical / Weighting: 70%

Price - Weighting: 30%

### II.2.11) Information about options

Options: 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.2.1) Previous publication concerning this procedure

Notice number: 2024/S 000-017514

# IV.2.9) Information about termination of call for competition in the form of a prior information notice

The contracting authority will not award any further contracts based on the above prior information notice

## Section V. Award of contract

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

## V.2) Award of contract

### V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

12 September 2024

## V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 10

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 10

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

## V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Trilateral Research Ltd

One Knightsbridge Green (5th Floor)

London

SW1X7QA

Country

**United Kingdom** 

NUTS code

• UK - United Kingdom

Companies House

08698690

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: £205,550

Total value of the contract/lot: £205,550

## Section VI. Complementary information

## VI.4) Procedures for review

## VI.4.1) Review body

**UK Shared Business Services Ltd** 

Swindon

SN21FF

Email

policy@uksbs.co.uk

Country

**United Kingdom**