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Contract

## **External Audit Services**

Sheffield Hallam University

F03: Contract award notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-02dc8f

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### **Section I: Contracting authority**

#### **I.1) Name and addresses**

Sheffield Hallam University

City Campus, Howard Street

SHEFFIELD

S11WB

#### **Contact**

Procurement Team

#### **Email**

[strategicprocurement@shu.ac.uk](mailto:strategicprocurement@shu.ac.uk)

#### **Telephone**

+44 1142253431

#### **Country**

United Kingdom

**Region code**

UKE32 - Sheffield

**Justification for not providing organisation identifier**

Not on any register

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

[www.shu.ac.uk](http://www.shu.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**

External Audit Services

Reference number

2122-04-FIN-RD

#### **II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 79212000 - Auditing services

#### **II.1.3) Type of contract**

Services

#### **II.1.4) Short description**

The appointment of auditors to provide External Audit Services; meeting the eligibility criteria for external auditors of higher education corporations as set out in paragraph 59(b) of Schedule 8 of the Further and Higher Education Act 1992.

#### **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: £626,500

### **II.2) Description**

#### **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKE32 - Sheffield

#### **II.2.4) Description of the procurement**

The appointment of auditors to provide External Audit Services

### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

Quality criterion - Name: HE expertise / Weighting: 10

Quality criterion - Name: Implementation / Weighting: 7.5

Quality criterion - Name: Resources/timescales / Weighting: 5

Quality criterion - Name: Managing the audit process / Weighting: 7.5

Quality criterion - Name: Quality framework / Weighting: 7.5

Quality criterion - Name: Adding value / Weighting: 2.5

Quality criterion - Name: Communication / Weighting: 7.5

Quality criterion - Name: Changes in requirements / Weighting: 2.5

Quality criterion - Name: Social Value / Weighting: 10

Price - Weighting: 40

### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: Yes

Description of options

The term of appointment is three years with the option to extend for two further periods each of two years subject to satisfactory annual reviews of performance and costs.

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## **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: [2021/S 000-021792](#)

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## **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**

16 November 2021

#### **V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 2

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

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

Grant Thornton Limited

30 Finsbury Square

London

EC2A 1AG

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKE32 - Sheffield

Companies House

OC307742

The contractor is an SME

No

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £626,500

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

### **VI.4) Procedures for review**

#### **VI.4.1) Review body**

Sheffield Hallam University

Howard Street

Sheffield

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Country

United Kingdom