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Contract

Content Management Services

University of Ulster

F03: Contract award notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-0386e7

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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Country

United Kingdom

Region code

UKN - Northern Ireland

National registration number

NIC100166

Internet address(es)

Main address

www.ulster.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

Content Management Services

Reference number

27252

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 72260000 - Software-related services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

Content Management Services

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: £187,174.71

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 72261000 - Software support services
- 72263000 - Software implementation services
- 72268000 - Software supply services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKN - Northern Ireland

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

The provision of a content management system and underlying infrastructure that enables the Web Development team and content editors to efficiently deliver content to a variety of audiences.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Customer Services and Contract Management / Weighting: 10

Quality criterion - Name: Relationship Management, Product Knowledge and Added Value / Weighting: 10

Quality criterion - Name: Service Provision / Weighting: 20

Price - Weighting: 60

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

II.2.14) Additional information

This call-off contract was awarded as a direct award as provided for under the SUPC Framework Agreement for Software License Resellers Agreement / ITS4042SU.

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: [2020/S 033-078650](#)

Section V. Award of contract

Contract No

27252

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

25 October 2022

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 1

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 1

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 1

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 1

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 1

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Academia Ltd

Unit 1 Progression Centre Mark Road, Hemel Hempstead Industrial Estate

Hemel Hempstead

HP2 7DW

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

National registration number

4771037

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £187,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £187,174.71

V.2.5) Information about subcontracting

The contract is likely to be subcontracted

Value or proportion likely to be subcontracted to third parties

Value excluding VAT: £181,559.47

Proportion: 100 %

Short description of the part of the contract to be subcontracted

A content management system and underlying infrastructure that enables the Web Development team and content editors to efficiently deliver content to a variety of audiences

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

It is anticipated the contract will commence on 31.10.2022

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

High Court of Justice in Northern Ireland

Royal Courts of Justice, Chichester Street

Belfast

BT1 3JY

Country

United Kingdom

VI.4.3) Review procedure

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures

The Public Contracts Regulations 2015 provide for aggrieved parties who have been harmed or are at risk of harm by a breach of the rules to take action in the High Court (Northern Ireland).