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Contract

## **Content Management Services**

University of Ulster

F03: Contract award notice

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

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

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

University of Ulster

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Coleraine

BT52 1SA

#### **Email**

[cs.houston@ulster.ac.uk](mailto:cs.houston@ulster.ac.uk)

#### **Country**

United Kingdom

#### **Region code**

UKN - Northern Ireland

#### **National registration number**

NIC100166

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<http://www.ulster.ac.uk>

**I.4) Type of the contracting authority**

Body governed by public law

**I.5) Main activity**

Education

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## **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.

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

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## **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

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## **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).