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Contract

## Training and Education Delivery Partner

Gateshead College

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## Scope

## Description

Gateshead College is seeking to appoint a suitably qualified and experienced organisation, capable of delivering Advanced Manufacturing training and education in North East England in partnership with the college, on a sub-contract basis.

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## Contract 1

## **Supplier**

- Sora Services Limited

## **Contract value**

- £10,500,000 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

## **Date signed**

23 July 2025

## **Contract dates**

- 1 August 2025 to 31 July 2026
- Possible extension to 31 July 2030
- 5 years

Description of possible extension:

The Contract will be for a 12 month period, with an option to extend for a further four periods of 12 months each. Any extensions offered will be subject to satisfactory contract performance and the College still having adequate funding and requirement for the Contract.

## **Main procurement category**

Services

## CPV classifications

- 80000000 - Education and training services

## Contract locations

- UKC2 - Northumberland and Tyne and Wear

## Key performance indicators

Name

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Quality

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## Signed contract documents

[Training and Education Delivery Partner - Signed Contract.pdf](#)

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## Other information

### Conflicts assessment prepared/revised

Yes

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## Procedure

### Procedure type

Open procedure

## Special regime

Light touch

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## Supplier

### Sora Services Limited

- Companies House: 07264720

3 Merchant Court

Hebburn

NE31 2EX

United Kingdom

Email: [finance@sora-group.co.uk](mailto:finance@sora-group.co.uk)

Region: UKC22 - Tyneside

Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): Yes

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): No

Supported employment provider: No

Public service mutual: No

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## **Contracting authority**

### **Gateshead College**

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PYVZ-5892-TRVV

Baltic Campus, Quarryfield Road, Baltic Business Quarter

Gateshead

NE8 3BE

United Kingdom

Contact name: Procurement

Telephone: 01914900300

Email: [tenders@gateshead.ac.uk](mailto:tenders@gateshead.ac.uk)

Region: UKC22 - Tyneside

Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government