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Contract

Assessing the contribution of archaeology to non-heritage science and innovation [NP 335]

Historic England

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Scope

Reference

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Description

Historic England seeks a contractor for a 6-month project (August 2025 - February 2026) to assess archaeology's contribution to non-heritage science and innovation. The project involves identifying up to twenty case studies where archaeological materials have impacted fields like biology, climate science, and health. These must be evidence-based, peer-reviewed, and demonstrate measurable impact. A second component will explore future potential for archaeology in non-heritage sectors. Outputs include a detailed research report, a 5-page summary, and a PowerPoint deck. The contractor should have expertise in archaeology, science, and research analysis, and will collaborate with Historic England throughout the project.

Contract 1

Supplier

- [Harlow Consulting Services Limited](#)

Contract value

- £18,312.50 excluding VAT
- £21,975 including VAT

Below the relevant threshold

Date signed

14 August 2025

Contract dates

- 18 September 2025 to 13 February 2026
- 4 months, 26 days

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

- 71351914 - Archaeological services
- 73110000 - Research services
- 73210000 - Research consultancy services

Procedure

Procedure type

Below threshold - open competition

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Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): No

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): No

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Contracting authority

Historic England

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Organisation type: Public authority - central government