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Tender

NHM150 Western Galleries Feasibility - Lead Designer

Natural History Museum

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Scope

Description

The Natural History Museum has announced important transformations of its internal spaces ahead of its 150th anniversary. As part of these transformation, the popular Dinosaur Gallery and other ground floor galleries will be restored and the first and second floor Origins Gallery and the Old General Herbarium and other back of house areas, currently closed to the public, will be reopened and returned to public use. In order to enable these transformations, a feasibility study on the Western Galleries will take place by the end of March 2026.

The Museum wishes to secure the services of Lead Designer including Heritage Consultant and Building Surveyor services to lead a design team in producing a Feasibility for the refurbishment and adaptation of the Western Galleries and supporting facilities.

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Total value (estimated)

- £150,000 excluding VAT
- £180,000 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

Contract dates (estimated)

- 14 November 2025 to 31 March 2026
- 4 months, 17 days

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

- 45212300 - Construction work for art and cultural buildings
- 45212311 - Art gallery construction work
- 45212313 - Museum construction work
- 45212350 - Buildings of particular historical or architectural interest
- 71200000 - Architectural and related services
- 92500000 - Library, archives, museums and other cultural services
- 92520000 - Museum services and preservation services of historical sites and buildings

- 92521000 - Museum services

Contract locations

- UKI - London

Participation

Particular suitability

Small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)

Submission

Tender submission deadline

26 September 2025, 12:00pm

Submission address and any special instructions

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Tenders may be submitted electronically

Yes

Languages that may be used for submission

English

Award decision date (estimated)

17 October 2025

Award criteria

Name	Type	Weighting
Technical Questions	Quality	50%
Total Tender Price	Price	40%
Social Value	Quality	10%

Other information**Applicable trade agreements**

- Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)

Conflicts assessment prepared/revised

Yes

Procedure

Procedure type

Open procedure

Contracting authority

Natural History Museum

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PJJJ-4723-MZPX

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Organisation type: Public authority - central government