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Contract

Surveys for Discrete Choice Experiments (DCE) [NP 309]

Historic England

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Scope

Reference

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Description

Historic England is seeking an organisation to implement surveys for users and non-users of differing historic venues, and their modern counterparts, as part of a Discrete Choice Experiment (DCE) conducted by Historic England. A DCE is a method used to understand individuals' preferences by presenting them with alternative scenarios and asking them to choose their preferred option. The aim of the study is to understand and quantify public's perceptions towards these historic assets. The budget allocated for this tender is £50,000 (inclusive of VAT), to receive approximately 8,000 respondents across multiple surveys.

The appointed organisation's responsibility is to conduct the surveys as per the specified criteria. All subsequent responsibilities, including analysis, interpretation, and dissemination of the findings, will be undertaken by Historic England.

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Supplier

- [Darmax Research Limited](#)

Contract value

- £34,000 excluding VAT
- £40,800 including VAT

Below the relevant threshold

Date signed

24 August 2025

Contract dates

- 28 August 2025 to 31 March 2026
- 7 months, 4 days

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

- 79311000 - Survey services
 - 79311200 - Survey conduction services
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Procedure

Procedure type

Below threshold - open competition

Supplier

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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

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PXLY-5862-RMML

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Organisation type: Public authority - central government