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Award

## **UKRI-5332 - Research and related services for Innovate UK provided by the Enterprise Research Centre (ERC)**

UK Research & Innovation (UKRI)

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### **Scope**

### **Reference**

UKRI-5332

### **Description**

Innovate UK is looking to procure the services of the Enterprise Research Centre. These services include:

- Rapid literature reviews
- State of the Art (SOTA) reviews - short briefings on tightly-defined topics, drawing on the most recent research and policy literature
- Substantive literature reviews
- Collaborative primary research projects
- Conducting surveys and/or data matching with secure databases

- Advisory support on specific policy or evidence-based queries
  - Capacity development activities such as teach-ins
  - Round-tables and working groups to support policy design and development activity
  - Subject matter expertise support (e.g. advisory panel membership)
  - Access to the ERC State of Small Business Britain annual conference and other collaborative events such as the Longitudinal Small Business Survey (LSBS) research showcase
  - Access to ERC publications (reports, insights, blogs, podcasts) and related research outputs e.g. Global Entrepreneurship Monitor and LSBS projects
  - Membership and access to regular organised funders group panels, enabling engagement and networking across the different sponsoring organisations (current membership includes: Department for Business and Trade, Department for Science, Innovation and Technology, Intellectual Property Office, British Business Bank)
  - Access to ERC's network of innovative SMEs.
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## **Contract 1. UKRI-5332**

### **Supplier**

- University of Warwick

### **Contract value**

- £300,000 excluding VAT

- £360,000 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

### **Award decision date**

4 November 2025

### **Standstill period**

- End: 13 November 2025
- 8 working days

### **Earliest date the contract will be signed**

17 November 2025

### **Contract dates (estimated)**

- 18 November 2025 to 31 March 2028
- 2 years, 4 months, 13 days

### **Main procurement category**

Services

### **CPV classifications**

- 79310000 - Market research services

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## Procedure

### Procedure type

Direct award

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## Supplier

### University of Warwick

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Region: UKG33 - Coventry

Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): No

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): No

Supported employment provider: No

Public service mutual: No

Connected people/organisations:

n/a

Associated people/organisations:

n/a

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## Contracting authority

### UK Research & Innovation (UKRI)

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PDQJ-7126-JDHG

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United Kingdom

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Region: UKK14 - Swindon

Organisation type: Public authority - central government