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Tender

T25-176BUS Development and Delivery of an Inclusive Employment Academy for DCSDC LMP

Derry City and Strabane District Council

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Scope

Reference

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Description

This is an invitation to tender for the development and delivery of an Inclusive Employment Academy for 2025/26 (and subject to funding, a 2026/27 academy) on behalf of Derry City and Strabane District Council's Labour Market Partnership, hereby known as DSLMP. The 2025/26 DSLMP Action Plan strives to improve employability outcomes and / or labour market conditions locally. This procurement exercise focuses on the Disability theme. DSLMP are seeking tenders from organisations who have the required experience, expertise, and qualifications in delivering and managing employment academies for people with disabilities. This employment academy is to be targeted, employment-focused, and employer-led within the IT / Financial / Creative industries. It must enable participants with a disability to move into work, either working from home, on site, or hybrid working taking into consideration individual's barriers and needs. Direct interventions are to be put in place to skill participants in areas within the IT, Financial and

Creative industries utilising DSLMP's Flexible Learning Fund. Your submission must be submitted via etendersNI, via this CFT. No other method of submissions will be accepted. Please refer to the CfT documents for further detail.

Total value (estimated)

- £64,000 including VAT

Below the relevant threshold

Contract dates (estimated)

- 12 December 2025 to 30 September 2026
- Possible extension to 30 September 2027
- 1 year, 9 months, 20 days

Description of possible extension:

Subject to funding a possible 12 month extension

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

- 80000000 - Education and training services
- 80570000 - Personal development training services

Contract locations

- UKN0A - Derry City and Strabane

Submission

Enquiry deadline

21 November 2025, 12:00pm

Tender submission deadline

5 December 2025, 12:00pm

Submission address and any special instructions

www.etendersni.gov.uk

Tenders may be submitted electronically

Yes

Award criteria

Please refer to the CfT documents for further detail.

Procedure

Procedure type

Below threshold - open competition

Contracting authority

Derry City and Strabane District Council

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PGJQ-8275-HLMG

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Region: UKN0A - Derry City and Strabane

Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government

Devolved regulations that apply: Northern Ireland