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Contract

The Financial Times Limited 2025-2027

University of South Wales

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Scope

Description

USW has made a direct award to The Financial Times Limited for the subscription of [FT.com](#), identified as a key resource by library and academic staff. [FT.com](#) is only available from the Financial Times at a value of £55,268.00 and is necessary to support our accounting, finance and business courses.

This notice replaces Notice OCID: ocds-h6vhtk-05deda which was published on 11/11/2025 in error.

Contract 1. Award of The Financial Times Limited 2025-2027

Supplier

- THE FINANCIAL TIMES LIMITED

Contract value

- £55,268 excluding VAT
- £66,321.60 including VAT

Below the relevant threshold

Date signed

3 October 2025

Contract dates

- 3 October 2025 to 27 July 2027
- 1 year, 9 months, 25 days

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

- 22211000 - Journals
- 79980000 - Subscription services

Contract locations

- UKL22 - Cardiff and Vale of Glamorgan
- UKL21 - Monmouthshire and Newport
- UKL15 - Central Valleys

Procedure

Procedure type

Below threshold - without competition

Supplier

THE FINANCIAL TIMES LIMITED

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PNWZ-4265-TLJN

Bracken House, 1 Friday Street

London

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United Kingdom

Email: company.secretary@ft.com

Region: UKI31 - Camden and City of London

Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): No

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): No

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Contracting authority

University of South Wales

- Charity Commission (England and Wales): 1140312

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United Kingdom

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Region: UKL15 - Central Valleys

Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government

Devolved regulations that apply: Wales