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Tender

Market Research

University of Exeter

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Scope

Reference

PO/2025/108/RCP

Description

Seeking a market research partner to conduct primary research into the feasibility of launching undergraduate and postgraduate taught transnational education (TNE) programmes in India. The research will focus on understanding levels of demand and for which subject areas, pricing sensitivity, competitive landscape, and decision-making processes among prospective students in the National Capital Region and wider country. For the avoidance of doubt: This procurement is not a Covered Procurement as defined under the Procurement Act 2023 and the University of Exeter is under no obligation to and will not be undertaking a tender exercise for these goods and/or services. This procurement is being conducted in accordance with the University's procurement rules for the supply of goods and services. The University disclaims to the fullest extent possible any potential liability it may have to any parties interested in supplying the goods and services being procured and the University of Exeter shall not be held liable for any loss, damage, liability or expense incurred or suffered by any potential supplier.

Total value (estimated)

- £30,000 excluding VAT
- £36,000 including VAT

Below the relevant threshold

Contract dates (estimated)

- 5 January 2026 to 16 February 2026
- 1 month, 12 days

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

- 79310000 - Market research services

Participation

Particular suitability

Small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)

Submission

Enquiry deadline

5 December 2025, 12:00pm

Tender submission deadline

10 December 2025, 12:00pm

Submission address and any special instructions

https://uk.eu-supply.com/app/rfq/rwlenrance_s.asp?PID=100395&TID105648&B=

Tenders may be submitted electronically

Yes

Award criteria

The contract will be awarded based on the most advantageous tender (MAT) assessed from the point of view of the University of Exeter

Procedure

Procedure type

Below threshold - open competition

Contracting authority

University of Exeter

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PZYG-2396-XCRZ

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Organisation type: Public undertaking (commercial organisation subject to public authority oversight)