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Award

## **UKRI-4717 Operator of the Harwell Science and Innovation Campus Public Sector Limited Partnership**

UK Research & Innovation (UKRI)

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### **Scope**

### **Reference**

UKRI-4717

### **Description**

UKRI-4717

The Harwell Science and Innovation Campus Public Sector Limited Partnership is established to acquire and hold the public sector's financial interest in Harwell Campus Joint Venture and oversee the management of the joint venture. The Harwell Campus Joint Venture is responsible for the management and development of the Harwell Campus. <https://www.harwellcampus.com/>

This is an opportunity for an FCA approved operator to cover a range of duties and responsibilities.

Some of the responsibilities will include assisting with formalities for acquiring or disposing of partnership assets, maintain accounts and companies house filings, perform

bookkeeping tasks, manage accounting and reporting functions and prepare various notices.

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## **Contract 1. UKRI-4717 Operator of the Harwell Science and Innovation Campus Public Sector Limited Partnership**

### **Supplier**

- Apex Group Fiduciary Services (UK) Limited

### **Contract value**

- £158,060.36 excluding VAT
- £189,672.44 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

### **Award decision date**

10 December 2025

### **Date assessment summaries were sent to tenderers**

15 December 2025

### **Standstill period**

- End: 24 December 2025
- 8 working days

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

12 January 2026

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

- 19 January 2026 to 19 January 2030
- Possible extension to 19 January 2031
- 5 years, 1 day

Description of possible extension:

Optional 1 year extension

### **Main procurement category**

Services

### **CPV classifications**

- 66152000 - Financial market regulatory services
- 66170000 - Financial consultancy, financial transaction processing and clearing-house services

### **Contract locations**

- UKJ14 - Oxfordshire

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## Information about tenders

- 2 tenders received
- 1 tender assessed in the final stage:
  - 1 submitted by small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)
  - 0 submitted by voluntary, community and social enterprises (VCSE)
- 1 supplier awarded contracts
- 0 suppliers unsuccessful (details included for contracts over £5 million)

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## Procedure

### Procedure type

Open procedure

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## Supplier

### Apex Group Fiduciary Services (UK) Limited

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PDQD-7655-JVRQ

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London

EC1A 4HY

United Kingdom

Email: [customerservice-wayfunds@apexgroup.com](mailto:customerservice-wayfunds@apexgroup.com)

Region: UKI31 - Camden and City of London

Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): Yes

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): No

Supported employment provider: No

Public service mutual: No

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## **Contracting authority**

### **UK Research & Innovation (UKRI)**

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PDQJ-7126-JDHG

Polaris House

Swindon, Wiltshire

SN2 1FL

United Kingdom

Email: [stfcprocurement@ukri.org](mailto:stfcprocurement@ukri.org)

Website: <https://www.ukri.org/>

Region: UKK14 - Swindon

Organisation type: Public authority - central government