

**Belgium-Brussels: Strategic Procurement Training for Public Buyers**  
**OJ S 19/2024 26/01/2024**  
**Contract award notice**  
**Services**

**Legal Basis:**

Regulation (EU, Euratom) No 2018/1046

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**Section I: Contracting authority**

**I.1. Name and addresses**

Official name: European Innovation Council and SMEs Executive Agency (EISMEA), EISMEA.

I.02.2 – Competitiveness and Internationalisation

Postal address: Avenue du Bourget 1

Town: Brussels

NUTS code: BE100 Arr. de Bruxelles-Capitale/Arr. Brussel-Hoofdstad

Postal code: 1140

Country: Belgium

E-mail: [EISMEA-PROCUREMENT@ec.europa.eu](mailto:EISMEA-PROCUREMENT@ec.europa.eu)

**Internet address(es):**

Main address: [https://eisma.ec.europa.eu/index\\_en](https://eisma.ec.europa.eu/index_en)

Address of the buyer profile: [https://eisma.ec.europa.eu/index\\_en](https://eisma.ec.europa.eu/index_en)

**I.4. Type of the contracting authority**

European institution/agency or international organisation

**I.5. Main activity**

General public services

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**Section II: Object**

**II.1. Scope of the procurement**

**II.1.1. Title**

Strategic Procurement Training for Public Buyers

Reference number: EISMEA/2023/OP/0012

**II.1.2. Main CPV code**

80500000 Training services

**II.1.3. Type of contract**

Services

**II.1.4. Short description**

This call for tenders is divided into two lots:

— lot 1 – strategic procurement training for public buyers;

— lot 2 – SME friendly strategic procurement training for central purchasing bodies (CPBs).

**II.1.6. Information about lots**

This contract is divided into lots: yes

### **II.1.7. Total value of the procurement**

Value excluding VAT: 1 189 237,00 EUR

## **II.2. Description**

### **II.2.1. Title**

Public Buyers

Lot No: 1

### **II.2.2. Additional CPV code(s)**

80500000 Training services, 79418000 Procurement consultancy services

### **II.2.3. Place of performance**

NUTS code: BE100 Arr. de Bruxelles-Capitale/Arr. Brussel-Hoofdstad

Main site or place of performance: The services will be performed at the following locations: — online, — Brussels, — the contractor's premises, — the location(s) indicated under Section II. 2.3) of the contract notice.

### **II.2.4. Description of the procurement**

Lot 1 – Strategic procurement training for public buyers:

The objective of this training initiative is to encourage contracting authorities to build an internal culture favourable to innovation, while covering also legal and practical procurement aspects. This initiative aims at providing specialised training to (i) public buyers' staff and to (ii) decision makers at both technical and political levels in order to build knowledge and capacity for execution of strategic procurement (with special emphasis on innovation at all levels of the public organisation). One of the avenues identified for improving strategic procurement uptake in general and public procurement of innovation in particular is via cultural change in the public sector. Through the implementation of the action, the participants will develop skills to increase their technical capacity on innovation at all levels of the public organisation.

### **II.2.5. Award criteria**

Quality criterion - Name: Criterion 1 – Quality of the proposed methodology / Weighting: 60 points

Quality criterion - Name: Criterion 2 – Organisation of the work and resources / Weighting: 25 points

Quality criterion - Name: Criterion 3 – Quality control measures / Weighting: 15 points

Quality criterion - Name: Total quality weighting / Weighting: 70 %

Price - Weighting: 30 %

### **II.2.11. Information about options**

Options: no

### **II.2.13. Information about European Union funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: yes

Identification of the project: Please consult the procurement documents available at the address indicated in Section I.3) of the contract notice.

### **II.2.14. Additional information**

Please consult the procurement documents available at the address indicated in Section I.3) of the contract notice.

## **Section IV: Procedure**

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#### **IV.1. Description**

##### **IV.1.1. Type of procedure**

Open procedure

##### **IV.1.3. Information about a framework agreement or a dynamic purchasing system**

##### **IV.1.8. Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)**

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: no

#### **IV.2. Administrative information**

##### **IV.2.1. Previous publication concerning this procedure**

Notice number in the OJ S: [2023/S 114-354888](#)

##### **IV.2.8. Information about termination of dynamic purchasing system**

##### **IV.2.9. Information about termination of call for competition in the form of a prior information notice**

### **Section V: Award of contract**

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**Contract No:** EISMEA/2023/OP/0012-Lot 1

**Lot No:** 1

**Title:**

Public Buyers

A contract/lot is awarded: yes

#### **V.2. Award of contract**

##### **V.2.1. Date of conclusion of the contract**

18/12/2023

##### **V.2.2. Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 4

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 2

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 4

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 4

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: yes

##### **V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor**

Official name: Science & Innovation Link Office, S.L.

Town: Madrid

NUTS code: ES300 Madrid

Country: Spain

The contractor is an SME: yes

##### **V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor**

Official name: Escuela21, Innovación, Aprendizaje y Tecnología S.L.

Town: Burgos

NUTS code: ES412 Burgos

Country: Spain

The contractor is an SME: yes

**V.2.4. Information on value of the contract/lot**

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: 1 400 000,00 EUR

Total value of the contract/lot: 1 189 237,00 EUR

**V.2.5. Information about subcontracting**

**Section VI: Complementary information**

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**VI.3. Additional information**

**VI.4. Procedures for review**

**VI.4.1. Review body**

Official name: General Court of the European Union

Postal address: Rue du Fort Niedergrünewald

Town: Luxembourg

Postal code: L-2925

Country: Luxembourg

Telephone: +352 4303-1

Internet address: <http://curia.europa.eu>

**VI.4.3. Review procedure**

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures:

Please consult the procurement documents available at the address indicated in Section I.3) of the contract notice.

**VI.5. Date of dispatch of this notice**

19/01/2024