

**Norway-Bergen: Research and development services and related consultancy services**

OJ S 40/2023 24/02/2023

Contract notice

Services

**Legal Basis:**

Directive 2014/24/EU

**Section I: Contracting authority**

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**I.1. Name and addresses**

Official name: Direktoratet for høyere utdanning og kompetanse (HK-dir)

National registration number: 974 788 985

Postal address: Postboks 1093

Town: Bergen

NUTS code: NO Norge

Postal code: 5809

Country: Norway

E-mail: [anskaffelser@hkdir.no](mailto:anskaffelser@hkdir.no)**Internet address(es):**Main address: <https://hkdir.no/>Address of the buyer profile: <https://eu.eu-supply.com/ctm/Company/CompanyInformation/Index/247255>**I.3. Communication**The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access, free of charge, at: [http://eu.eu-supply.com/app/rfq/rwlenrance\\_s.asp?PID=354111&B=DFO](http://eu.eu-supply.com/app/rfq/rwlenrance_s.asp?PID=354111&B=DFO)

Additional information can be obtained from the abovementioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via: [http://eu.eu-supply.com/app/rfq/rwlenrance\\_s.asp?PID=354111&B=DFO](http://eu.eu-supply.com/app/rfq/rwlenrance_s.asp?PID=354111&B=DFO)

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

Ministry or any other national or federal authority, including their regional or local subdivisions

**I.5. Main activity**

General public services

**Section II: Object**

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**II.1. Scope of the procurement****II.1.1. Title**

Implementation of candidate survey and EuroGraduate

Reference number: 22/03872

**II.1.2. Main CPV code**

73000000 Research and development services and related consultancy services

**II.1.3. Type of contract**

Services

#### **II.1.4. Short description**

The Directorate for Higher Education and Competence (Norwegian: HK-dir) would like to enter into a contract with one tenderer for the implementation of a Candidate Survey and EuroGraduate.

#### **II.1.5. Estimated total value**

Value excluding VAT: 23 000 000,00 NOK

#### **II.1.6. Information about lots**

This contract is divided into lots: no

### **II.2. Description**

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

73000000 Research and development services and related consultancy services

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

NUTS code: NO Norge

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

The Directorate for Higher Education and Competence (Norwegian: HK-dir) would like to enter into a contract with one tenderer for the implementation of a Candidate Survey and EuroGraduate.

The candidate survey for the universities and high schools is a questionnaire for new graduates with university and high school educations. The purpose of the survey is to gain knowledge about the transition from education to the workforce and candidates' assessments of education and placement in the labour market. The candidate survey consists of two surveys; a six-month survey and a special survey.

EuroGraduate, which is also involved as part of the assignment, is a follow-up of the EU Council decision from 2017 regarding increasing insights and knowledge about the transition between education and the labour market. Along with 17 other European nations, Norway has registered its participation in implementing this.

For more information about the purpose and scope of the procurement, see Annex 1 "The Contracting Authority's Description of the Assignment" in part B of the tender documentation.

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

Criteria below

Quality criterion - Name: Solution proposal / Weighting: 60%

Quality criterion - Name: Competence / Weighting: 40%

Price - Weighting: 0

#### **II.2.6. Estimated value**

Value excluding VAT: 23 000 000,00 NOK

#### **II.2.7. Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system**

Duration in months: 72

This contract is subject to renewal: no

#### **II.2.10. Information about variants**

Variants will be accepted: no

#### **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:  
no

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

## **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: yes

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

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

Notice number in the OJ S: [2023/S 007-015703](#)

#### **IV.2.2. Time limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate**

Date: 23/03/2023 Local time: 12:00

#### **IV.2.3. Estimated date of dispatch of invitations to tender or to participate to selected candidates**

#### **IV.2.4. Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted**

Norwegian

#### **IV.2.7. Conditions for opening of tenders**

Date: 23/03/2023 Local time: 12:00

## **Section VI: Complementary information**

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### **VI.1. Information about recurrence**

This is a recurrent procurement: no

### **VI.3. Additional information**

### **VI.4. Procedures for review**

#### **VI.4.1. Review body**

Official name: Hordaland tingrett

Town: Bergen

Country: Norway

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

21/02/2023