

Belgium-Brussels: Study on dropout and completion in higher education in Europe

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Contract award notice

Services

Directive 2004/18/EC

Section I: Contracting authority

I.1. Name and addresses

Official name: European Commission, Directorate-General for Education and Culture, Lifelong Learning: Higher Education and International Affairs Directorate, Unit for Higher Education and Erasmus

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General address of the contracting authority: http://ec.europa.eu/education/index_en.htm

I.2. Type of the contracting authority

European institution/agency or international organisation

I.3. Main activity

Education

I.4. Contract award on behalf of other contracting authorities

The contracting authority is purchasing on behalf of other contracting authorities: no

Section II: Object of the contract

II.1. Description**II.1.1. Title**

Study on dropout and completion in higher education in Europe.

II.1.2. Type of contract and place of performance or delivery

Services

Main site or place of performance: Contractor's premises.

NUTS code

II.1.3. Information about a framework agreement or a dynamic purchasing system (DPS)**II.1.4. Short description of the contract or purchase(s)**

The issue of reducing dropout/improving completion rates in higher education is strongly linked to European priorities of promoting employability and employment, social justice and growth.

The overall objective of this study is to provide a consolidated and up-to-date overview of national policies/measures on reducing dropout and improving completion rates in higher

education in Europe and to provide conclusions on the effectiveness of different systemic policies/measures.

II.1.5. CPV code(s)

80300000 Higher education services, 73100000 Research and experimental development services

II.1.6. Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: yes

II.2. Total value of the contract/lot

II.2.1. Total value of the contract/lot

Value: 449 200 EUR
excluding VAT

Section IV: Procedure

IV.1. Type of procedure

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Open

IV.2. Award criteria

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The most economically advantageous tender in terms of

1. Quality of the proposed methodology. Weighting 60
2. Organisation of the work. Weighting 20
3. Quality control measures. Weighting 20

IV.2.2. Information about electronic auction

An electronic auction has been used: no

IV.3. Administrative information

IV.3.1. File reference number attributed by the contracting authority

EAC/33/2013.

IV.3.2. Previous publication concerning this procedure

Contract notice

Notice number in the OJ S: [2013/S 232-401850](#) of 29.11.2013

Other previous publications

Notice number in the OJ S: [2013/S 249-433929](#) of 24.12.2013

Section V: Award of contract

V.1. Date of conclusion of the contract

20.3.2014

V.2. Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 4

V.3. Name and address of the contractor

Official name: University of Twente — CHEPS
Postal address: Drienerlolaan 5
Town: Enschede
Postal code: 7522 NB
Country: Netherlands

V.4. Information on value of the contract/lot

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot:
Value: 500 000 EUR
excluding VAT
Total value of the procurement:
Value: 449 200 EUR
excluding VAT

V.5. Information about subcontracting

The contract is likely to be subcontracted: no

Section VI: Complementary information

VI.1. 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: Lifelong learning programme (2007–2013).

VI.2. Additional information

VI.3. Procedures for review

VI.3.1. Review body

Official name: General Court
Postal address: rue du Fort Niedergrünwald
Town: Luxembourg
Postal code: 2925
Country: Luxembourg

VI.3.2. Review procedure

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures: Within 2 months of the notification to the plaintiff, or, in absence thereof, of the day on which it came to the knowledge of the plaintiff. A complaint to the European Ombudsman does not have as an effect either to suspend this period or to open a new period for lodging appeals.

VI.3.3. Service from which information about the review procedure may be obtained

VI.4. Date of dispatch of this notice

29.4.2014