

**Belgium-Brussels: EPALE (Electronic Platform for Adult Learning in Europe): Central Support Service**

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Contract notice

Services

**Legal Basis:**

Directive 2014/24/EU

**Section I: Contracting authority**

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**I.1. Name and addresses**

Official name: Education, Audiovisual and Culture Executive Agency (EACEA)

Postal address: avenue du Bourget 1

Town: Brussels

NUTS code: BE10 Région de Bruxelles-Capitale/ Brussels Hoofdstedelijk Gewest

Postal code: 1049

Country: Belgium

E-mail: [EACEA-TENDERS@ec.europa.eu](mailto:EACEA-TENDERS@ec.europa.eu)**Internet address(es):**Main address: [https://eacea.ec.europa.eu/homepage\\_en](https://eacea.ec.europa.eu/homepage_en)Address of the buyer profile: [https://eacea.ec.europa.eu/about-eacea/calls-for-tenders\\_en](https://eacea.ec.europa.eu/about-eacea/calls-for-tenders_en)**I.3. Communication**The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access, free of charge, at: <https://etendering.ted.europa.eu/cft/cft-display.html?cftId=4700>

Additional information can be obtained from the abovementioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via: <https://etendering.ted.europa.eu/cft/cft-display.html?cftId=4700>**I.4. Type of the contracting authority**

European institution/agency or international organisation

**I.5. Main activity**

General public services

**Section II: Object**

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

EPALE (Electronic Platform for Adult Learning in Europe): Central Support Service

Reference number: EACEA/2019/01

**II.1.2. Main CPV code**

80400000 Adult and other education services - FA01 - JA10 - QA11 - QA12 - QA04

**II.1.3. Type of contract**

Services

**II.1.4. Short description**

The Agency wishes to conclude a service contract for taking over and implementing the central support service ("CSS") of a multilingual electronic platform on adult learning in Europe (EPALE). The CSS will also be responsible for community building activities ensuring that EPALE is well-known to target groups and that users are engaged in the activities of the EPALE platform. This involves promotion, animation and content related activities, use of social media, organisation of conferences and events, and support, training and coordination of a network of national support services.

**II.1.5. Estimated total value**

Value excluding VAT: 9 210 000,00 EUR

**II.1.6. Information about lots**

This contract is divided into lots: no

**II.2. Description**

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

80420000 E-learning services, 32000000 Radio, television, communication, telecommunication and related equipment, 72400000 Internet services, 72500000 Computer-related services

**II.2.3. Place of performance**

NUTS code: 00 Other or Not Specified

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

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

See internet address in Heading I.3).

**II.2.5. Award criteria**

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

**II.2.6. Estimated value**

Value excluding VAT: 9 210 000,00 EUR

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

Duration in months: 51

This contract is subject to renewal: yes

Description of renewals:

See internet address in Heading I.3).

**II.2.10. Information about variants**

Variants will be accepted: no

**II.2.11. Information about options**

Options: yes

Description of options:

See internet address in Heading I.3).

**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: Erasmus+ programme

**II.2.14. Additional information**

See internet address in Heading I.3).

## **Section III: Legal, economic, financial and technical information**

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### **III.1. Conditions for participation**

#### **III.1.1. Suitability to pursue the professional activity, including requirements relating to enrolment on professional or trade registers**

List and brief description of conditions:

See internet address in Heading I.3).

#### **III.1.2. Economic and financial standing**

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

#### **III.1.3. Technical and professional ability**

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

### **III.2. Conditions related to the contract**

#### **III.2.2. Contract performance conditions**

See internet address in Heading I.3).

#### **III.2.3. Information about staff responsible for the performance of the contract**

Obligation to indicate the names and professional qualifications of the staff assigned to performing the contract

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

Date: 13/06/2019 Local time: 23:59

#### **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**

English, Bulgarian, Danish, German, Greek, Estonian, Finnish, French, Irish, Croatian, Hungarian, Italian, Latvian, Lithuanian, Maltese, Dutch, Polish, Portuguese, Romanian, Slovak, Slovenian, Spanish, Swedish, Czech

#### **IV.2.6. Minimum time frame during which the tenderer must maintain the tender**

Duration in months: 8 (from the date stated for receipt of tender)

#### **IV.2.7.**

## **Conditions for opening of tenders**

Date: 14/06/2019 Local time: 14:30

Place:

EACEA, Room J-59 00/A077 (16p), Ground Floor, rue Joseph II 59, 1000 Brussels, BELGIUM.

Information about authorised persons and opening procedure: See internet address in Heading I.3).

## **Section VI: Complementary information**

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

This is a recurrent procurement: yes

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

See internet address under Heading I.3).

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

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

Official name: General Court

Postal address: rue du Fort Niedergrünewald

Town: Luxembourg

Postal code: L-2925

Country: Luxembourg

E-mail: [CG.Registry@curia.europa.eu](mailto:CG.Registry@curia.europa.eu)

Telephone: +352 4303-1

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#### **VI.4.3. Review procedure**

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures:

See internet address under Heading I.3).

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

26/04/2019