

United Kingdom-Swindon: Education and training services
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Contract award notice
Services

Directive 2004/18/EC

Section I: Contracting authority

I.1. Name and addresses

Official name: UK Shared Business Services

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Country: United Kingdom

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General address of the contracting authority: www.uksbs.co.uk

I.2. Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

I.3. Main activity

Other: public procurement

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

The contracting authority is purchasing on behalf of other contracting authorities: yes

Official name: Engineering & Physical Sciences Research Council (EPSRC)

Postal address: Polaris House, North Star Avenue

Town: Swindon

Postal code: SN2 1EU

Country: United Kingdom

Section II: Object of the contract

II.1. Description

II.1.1. Title

UK SBS PR150045 The Provision of a Service offering advice, guidance and support for Responsible Research and Innovation to the Information and Communications Technologies research community.

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

Services

Service category No 27: Other services

Main site or place of performance: UK.

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)

UK SBS on behalf of the Engineering and Physical Sciences Research Council (EPSRC) undertakes a procurement exercise for the Provision of a Service offering advice, guidance, and support for Responsible Research and Innovation to the Information and Communications Technologies (ICT) Research Community. The purpose of this tender is to source a service that the ICT community can draw on in looking at the potential consequences of its innovations. Responsible Research and Innovation (RRI) is an approach that seeks to promote creativity and opportunities for science and innovation that are socially desirable and undertaken in the public's interest. The consideration of RRI often raises questions and dilemmas, it is sometimes ambiguous in terms of purposes and motivations, and unpredictable in terms of impacts, beneficial or otherwise. The application of RRI requires spaces and processes to explore these aspects of innovation in an open, inclusive, and timely way.

In order to encourage RRI in ICT research there is a need to provide a service that will offer advice, guidance, and support. EPSRC is looking to appoint a contractor that will provide this service and will recognise and meet the needs of the UK community.

The estimated cost of the service over the 5-year period is 1 000 000 GBP. Over the course of the contract period, the expectation is that a significant portion of the costs will be met by subscriptions by the community to the service, such that by the end of the contract, the service will be self-sustaining. EPSRC will provide 450 000 GBP of the service costs.

II.1.5. CPV code(s)

80000000 Education and training services, 80500000 Training 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: 450 000 GBP
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. Price. Weighting 10
2. Quality. Weighting 90

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

UK SBS PR150045

IV.3.2. Previous publication concerning this procedure

no

Section V: Award of contract

Contract No: PR150045

Lot title: UK SBS PR150045 The Provision of a Service offering advice, guidance and support for Responsible Research and Innovation to the Information and Communications Technologies research community

V.1. Date of conclusion of the contract

30.9.2016

V.2. Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 1

V.3. Name and address of the contractor

Official name: De Montfort University

Postal address: Gateway

Town: Leicester

Postal code: LE1 9BH

Country: United Kingdom

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot:

Value: 450 000 GBP

excluding VAT

Total value of the procurement:

Value: 450 000 GBP

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:

no

VI.2. Additional information

VI.3. Procedures for review

VI.3.1. Review body

VI.3.2. Review procedure

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

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VI.4. Date of dispatch of this notice
1.11.2016