

**Belgium-Brussels: Ex Post Evaluation of Cohesion Policy Programmes 2014-2020 Financed by the ERDF. Work Package 13 – Integrated Territorial Development (2022CE16BAT043)**

OJ S 233/2022 02/12/2022

Contract award notice

Services

**Legal Basis:**

Regulation (EU, Euratom) No 2018/1046

**Section I: Contracting authority**

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**I.1. Name and addresses**

Official name: European Commission, Directorate-General for Regional and Urban Policy (REGIO), REGIO.B.2 – Evaluation and European Semester

Town: Brussels

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

Postal code: 1049

Country: Belgium

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Main address: [http://ec.europa.eu/regional\\_policy/index\\_en.cfm](http://ec.europa.eu/regional_policy/index_en.cfm)

**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**

Ex Post Evaluation of Cohesion Policy Programmes 2014-2020 Financed by the ERDF. Work Package 13 – Integrated Territorial Development (2022CE16BAT043)

Reference number: REGIO/2022/OP/0021

**II.1.2. Main CPV code**

79419000 Evaluation consultancy services

**II.1.3. Type of contract**

Services

**II.1.4. Short description**

This study will take stock of the different types of investments supported by the ERDF and the CF through the integrated territorial instruments provided for by the Common provisions Regulation during the 2014-2020 programming period. It will assess the rationale for the use of place-based policy instruments to promote territorial development and deliver Cohesion policy objectives while strengthening the local effectiveness of its sectoral support. It will focus primarily on the evidence of the effectiveness of integrated territorial instruments while looking also into their efficiency, coherence with other policies, their relevance and the EU added

value. It will seek to identify factors contributing to the success or failure of these place-based instruments in promoting territorial development under different territorial and socio-economic conditions, and their contribution to meeting the relevant objectives of the Cohesion policy.

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

This contract is divided into lots: no

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

Value excluding VAT: 539 774,00 EUR

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

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

79419000 Evaluation consultancy services

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

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

Main site or place of performance: In the contractor's premises.

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

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

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / 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  
<https://etendering.ted.europa.eu/cft/cft-display.html?cftId=11542>

#### **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: [2022/S 129-366397](#)

##### **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:** 2022CE16BAT043

**Title:**

Ex Post Evaluation of Cohesion Policy Programmes 2014-2020 Financed by the ERDF. Work Package 13 – Integrated Territorial Development

A contract/lot is awarded: yes

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

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

24/11/2022

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

Number of tenders received: 2

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

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

Official name: University of Strathclyde

National registration number: GB261339762

Postal address: Richmond Street 16

Town: Glasgow

NUTS code: UK United Kingdom

Postal code: G1 1XQ

Country: United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME: yes

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

Official name: PPMI Group

National registration number: LT100003672217

Postal address: Gedimino pr. 50

Town: Vilnius

NUTS code: LT Lietuva

Postal code: 01110

Country: Lithuania

The contractor is an SME: yes

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

Official name: Osterreichisches Institut fur Wirtschaftsforschung Verein

Postal address: Arsenal Objekt 20  
Town: Vienna  
NUTS code: AT Österreich  
Postal code: 1030  
Country: Austria  
The contractor is an SME: yes

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: 600 000,00 EUR  
Total value of the contract/lot: 539 774,00 EUR

**V.2.5. Information about subcontracting**

The contract is likely to be subcontracted Value or proportion likely to be subcontracted to third parties Proportion: 38 %

**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 Niedergrünwald  
Town: Luxembourg  
Postal code: L-2925  
Country: Luxembourg  
Telephone: +352 4303-1  
Internet address: <http://curia.europa.eu>

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

25/11/2022