

Germany – Adult and other education services – Procurement for the Provision of Learning and Development Services on Data, Digital and AI Skills
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Contract notice – light regime
Services

1. Buyer

1.1. Buyer

Official name: European Central Bank

Email: procurement@ecb.europa.eu

Legal type of the buyer: EU institution, body or agency

Activity of the contracting authority: Economic affairs

2. Procedure

2.1. Procedure

Title: Procurement for the Provision of Learning and Development Services on Data, Digital and AI Skills

Description: To build on and further strengthen our overall Learning & Development offer in particular with regards to rapidly evolving learning & business needs, the ECB is now seeking to procure suppliers who shall provide a variety of Learning & Development services in the area Data, Digital and AI. These services shall not only enable the transfer of new knowledge but must also enhance actual skill/knowledge application.

Procedure identifier: de2a8068-8c7e-4722-b543-ad0411be6fd7

Internal identifier: PRO-2451404827

Type of procedure: Other multiple stage procedure

Main features of the procedure: 5-quote procedure based on Art. 6.2 and Art. 35 of the ECB's Procurement Decision.

2.1.1. Purpose

Main nature of the contract: Services

Main classification (cpv): 80400000 Adult and other education services

Additional classification (cpv): 79632000 Personnel-training services, 80531200 Technical training services, 80533100 Computer training services

2.1.2. Place of performance

Postal address: European Central Bank Sonnemannstrasse 22

Town: Frankfurt am Main

Postcode: 60314

Country subdivision (NUTS): Frankfurt am Main, Kreisfreie Stadt (DE712)

Country: Germany

Additional information: This tender procedure is conducted via the ECBs electronic tendering system which can be accessed via the following internet address: <http://www.ecb.europa.eu/ecb/jobsproc/sourcing/html/index.en.html>. If you have not used the ECBs electronic tendering system before, you need to register via the above link. Under the above link you will also find user guides for detailed information on how to use the system and contact details for technical support. Should you require technical help when using the system, please raise a contact support request on the following website: <https://eu.service.cloud.ariba.com/Sourcing.aw>. Any

other queries relating to this procurement procedure and the content of the procurement documentation shall be submitted as laid down in the procurement documentation itself. The ECB endeavours to answer all queries as quickly as possible but cannot guarantee a minimum time response. The ECB shall not be bound to reply to queries received less than seven calendar days before the time limit for the submission of tenders. The system reference number for the above procurement is "PRO-2451404827 - Procurement for the provision of Learning and Development Services on Data, Digital and AI Skills", Doc2258353348. Suppliers which are interested in participating in this procurement opportunity should send their expression of interest via email mentioning "PRO-2451404827 - Procurement for the provision of Learning and Development Services on Data, Digital and AI Skills" to the ECB's email procurement@ecb.europa.eu. Following receipt of the e-mail, the ECB will send the interested suppliers a form to be filled in with general company-information (e.g., 2 contact persons, email addresses, VAT ID (if applicable), etc.). The interested suppliers shall return the form, duly filled in, via email to procurement@ecb.europa.eu for the procurement in question. Following receipt of the e-mail and duly filled form, the ECB will invite the interested suppliers to this procurement via the electronic tendering system. Interested suppliers will receive a system notification accordingly which will include the link to the event and related application documents. The Contracts will operate in a ranking system, where the ECB shall rank the suppliers on the basis of the award criteria that will be set out in the request for proposal in the second stage of this procedure. When the ECB intends to place an order, it will contact the suppliers in the order of their ranking and place Orders with them according to their availability. Following the evaluation of the application documents the ECB will notify the interested suppliers on the outcome of the evaluation via Event Messaging of the electronic tendering system.

2.1.3. Value

Estimated value excluding VAT: 5 450 000,00 EUR

Maximum value of the framework agreement: 6 000 000,00 EUR

2.1.4. General information

Additional information: See procurement documents

Legal basis:

Directive 2014/24/EU

<http://data.europa.eu/eli/dec/2016/245/2020-05-01> - Consolidated text: Decision (EU) 2016 /245 of the European Central Bank of 9 February 2016 laying down the rules on procurement (ECB/2016/2) (recast)

2.1.6. Grounds for exclusion

Sources of grounds for exclusion: Procurement Document

5. Lot

5.1. Lot: LOT-0001

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Internal identifier: PRO-2451404827

5.1.1. Purpose

Main nature of the contract: Services

Main classification (cpv): 80400000 Adult and other education services

Additional classification (cpv): 79632000 Personnel-training services, 80531200

Technical training services, 80533100 Computer training services

Options:

Description of the options: The contract is subject to renewal.

5.1.2. Place of performance

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Town: Frankfurt am Main

Postcode: 60314

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Country: Germany

5.1.3. Estimated duration

Start date: 01/02/2026

Duration: 36 Months

5.1.4. Renewal

Maximum renewals: 1

Other information about renewals: 36 months initial term with the option to extend by 12 months

5.1.5. Value

Estimated value excluding VAT: 5 450 000,00 EUR

Maximum value of the framework agreement: 6 000 000,00 EUR

5.1.6. General information

Reserved participation: Participation is not reserved.

Procurement Project not financed with EU Funds.

This procurement is also suitable for small and medium-sized enterprises (SMEs): yes

5.1.9. Selection criteria

Sources of selection criteria: Procurement Document

Information about the second stage of a two-stage procedure:

Minimum number of candidates to be invited for the second stage of the procedure: 3

Maximum number of candidates to be invited for the second stage of the procedure: 5

The procedure will take place in successive stages. At each stage, some participants may be eliminated

5.1.10. Award criteria

Criterion:

Type: Quality

Description: Quality

Category of award weight criterion: Weight (percentage, exact)

Award criterion number: 50,00

Criterion:

Type: Price

Description: Price

Category of award weight criterion: Weight (percentage, exact)

Award criterion number: 50,00

5.1.11. Procurement documents

Languages in which the procurement documents are officially available: English

Address of the procurement documents: <http://www.ecb.europa.eu/ecb/jobsproc/sourcing/html/index.en.html>

Ad hoc communication channel:

Name: ECB e-tendering platform

URL: <http://www.ecb.europa.eu/ecb/jobsproc/sourcing/html/index.en.html>

5.1.12. Terms of procurement

Terms of submission:

Electronic submission: Required

Address for submission: <http://www.ecb.europa.eu/ecb/jobsproc/sourcing/html/index.en.html>

Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted: English

Electronic catalogue: Not allowed

Variants: Not allowed

Tenderers may submit more than one tender: Not allowed

Deadline for receipt of expressions of interest: 04/08/2025 12:00:00 (UTC+2) Eastern European Time, Central European Summer Time

Deadline for receipt of requests to participate: 04/08/2025 12:00:00 (UTC+2) Eastern European Time, Central European Summer Time

Terms of contract:

The execution of the contract must be performed within the framework of sheltered employment programmes: No

Electronic invoicing: Required

Electronic ordering will be used: yes

Electronic payment will be used: yes

5.1.15. Techniques

Framework agreement:

Framework agreement, without reopening of competition

Maximum number of participants: 3

Information about the dynamic purchasing system:

No dynamic purchase system

Electronic auction: no

5.1.16. Further information, mediation and review

Mediation organisation: The European Ombudsman

Review organisation: General Court of the European Union

Organisation providing additional information about the procurement procedure: European Central Bank

Organisation providing offline access to the procurement documents: European Central Bank

Organisation providing more information on the review procedures: European Central Bank

Organisation receiving requests to participate: European Central Bank

Organisation processing tenders: European Central Bank

8. Organisations

8.1. ORG-0001

Official name: European Central Bank

Registration number: 0001

Postal address: Sonnemannstrasse 22

Town: Frankfurt am Main

Postcode: 60314

Country subdivision (NUTS): Frankfurt am Main, Kreisfreie Stadt (DE712)

Country: Germany

Contact point: Central Procurement Office

Email: procurement@ecb.europa.eu

Telephone: +49 69 1344 0

Internet address: <https://www.ecb.europa.eu/home/html/index.en.html>

Information exchange endpoint (URL): <https://www.ecb.europa.eu/ecb/jobsproc/sourcing/html/index.en.html>

Buyer profile: <https://www.ecb.europa.eu/ecb/jobsproc/tenders/html/index.en.html>

Roles of this organisation:

Buyer

Organisation providing additional information about the procurement procedure

Organisation providing offline access to the procurement documents

Organisation receiving requests to participate

Organisation processing tenders

Organisation providing more information on the review procedures

8.1. ORG-0002

Official name: The European Ombudsman

Registration number: 0002

Postal address: 1 avenue du Président Robert Schuman, CS 30403

Town: Strasbourg

Postcode: 67001

Country subdivision (NUTS): Bas-Rhin (FRF11)

Country: France

Email: eo@ombudsman.europa.eu

Telephone: +33 3 88 17 23 13

Internet address: <https://www.ombudsman.europa.eu/en/home>

Roles of this organisation:

Mediation organisation

8.1. ORG-0003

Official name: General Court of the European Union

Registration number: 0003

Postal address: Rue du Fort Niedergrunewald

Town: Luxembourg

Postcode: L-2925

Country subdivision (NUTS): Luxembourg (LU000)

Country: Luxembourg

Email: generalcourt.registry@curia.europa.eu

Telephone: +352 43031

Fax: +352 43032600

Internet address: <https://curia.europa.eu>

Roles of this organisation:

Review organisation

8.1. ORG-0000

Official name: Publications Office of the European Union

Registration number: PUBL

Town: Luxembourg

Postcode: 2417

Country subdivision (NUTS): Luxembourg (LU000)

Country: Luxembourg

Email: ted@publications.europa.eu

Telephone: +352 29291

Internet address: <https://op.europa.eu>

Roles of this organisation:

TED eSender

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