

Solicitation OWLC-18-R-0002

Questions 1-9

August 23, 2018

The program supports services to assist in the enhancement of understanding and capabilities for cooperation between the United States and the countries of Eurasia by developing a network of leaders in that region who have gained significant, firsthand exposure to America's democratic, accountable Government and free –market system...

1. Q: Is there an incumbent contractor already performing these services? [Response: Yes, American Councils for International Education.](#)

2. Q: Is there a recruitment goal(s)? [Response: For Russia – Recruitment of delegates not required of contractor. Recruitment of a qualified facilitator for each group is required. For Ukraine: 2 candidates for each estimated position \(numbers are identified in solicitation\), not including facilitators, and contractor is in close consultation with U.S. embassy regarding candidate recruitment. Contractor is responsible for recruitment of a qualified facilitator for each group.](#)

3. Q: How many sites/Program Participants are planned? [Response: Estimates contained in the solicitation.](#)

4. Q: What is the Total Participation projected? [Response: Estimates contained in the solicitation.](#)

Support also to include recruiting and training facilitators; maintenance and input of all relevant participant and program data in a database furnished by Open World...

5. Q: Is access to the open world database available prior to and in support of the solicitation? [Response: Access to the database will be provided after award of the contract. A collection of database screenshots will be provided with issuance of the solicitation to provide a view of the database input information.](#)

Assuming this will encompass multiple engagements:

6. a. what is the projected participation per event? [Response: Estimates contained in the solicitation.](#)

7. b. Will site-to-site logistics be required for facilitators? [Response: Yes.](#)

8. c. Can example or projected schedules/agendas be provided? [Response: Yes. Several examples will be provide with issuance of the solicitation.](#)

9. Interested party would like to know if there has been any recent updates? Interested party would like to know when the government anticipates the solicitation to be ready?

Response: No, recent updates to the announcement. This update is the first. The Government anticipates issuance of the solicitation no later September 6, 2018.