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EX-ANTE PUBLICITY FOR MIDDLE-VALUE CONTRACT VT/2022/042, EMPL/2022/LVP/0018-EXA

Subject: Developing and exploiting links between Social Sciences and Humanities and employment and social policy: identifying, promoting and engaging a community of users

1. PURPOSE OF THE REQUEST FOR SERVICES

DG Employment, Social Affairs & Inclusion (DG EMPL) co-chairs Cluster 2 “Culture, Creative and Inclusive Society” of the framework research programme Horizon Europe (2021-2027). Research under this cluster aims, among others, at promoting socio-economic transformations that contribute to inclusion and growth, and hence needs to examine particularly the inclusiveness of the digital and green transitions.

To better *inform* policymaking and research programming of the employment and social aspects of the fair green and digital transitions, to *strengthen* Social Sciences and Humanities (SSH) integration with Horizon Europe, as well as to *promote* innovative Social Sciences and Humanities topics, DG EMPL *aims* to identify, promote and engage a community of users and SSH stakeholders, and discuss and review with them challenges and opportunities, innovative ideas and possible recommendations in 3 informal meetings of up to half a day each. The informal meetings are to take place online and, if possible, within Commission premises. The topics and adequate format of the sessions should be proposed by the contractor.

2. PRICE

The maximum amount for this contract is EUR 55 000.

3. INDICATIVE TIME SCHEDULE AND CONTACT POINT

The indicative time schedule for launching the negotiated procedure is mid-September 2022. Interested economic operators can express their interest to participate in this negotiated procedure until 23rd of September 2022, 17:00 Brussels time, [on the following link https://etendering.ted.europa.eu/cft/cft-display.html?cftId=12193](https://etendering.ted.europa.eu/cft/cft-display.html?cftId=12193)

The indicative date to sign the contract is mid-December 2022. The estimated performance period of the resulting contract is 12 months after the start of the contract.

4. PROTECTION OF PERSONAL DATA

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