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SOLICITATION AMENDMENT MODIFICATION DE L'INVITATION

The referenced document is hereby revised; unless otherwise indicated, all other terms and conditions of the Solicitation remain the same.

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The purpose of the amendment is to provide the following questions and answers:

Question 33

Please refer to mandatory 7.1.3 Intermediate eLearning Programmer (ELPP) where it states 'Must have a minimum of three (3) years experience within the last five (5) years in programming web based applications using Actionscript, Java, C-based languages or other scripting languages as well as, database and file structured back-ends'. In previous RFPs for these services (i.e., W2037-120070/A and W2037-100054/B), this requirement reads 'database and/or file structured back-ends' which is consistent with the requirements for this position in the eLearning SOSA for other similar contracts.

Would the Crown consider changing the requirement to reflect those in the previous RFPs for the Intermediate ELPP? This will help to open up an already difficult pool of candidates.

Answer 33

No.

Question 34

Please refer to mandatory 7.1.1, 7.2.1 and 7.3.1 (Senior, Intermediate and Junior E-Learning Product Programmers). Would the Crown consider adding the following to the list of educational equivalencies:

- BFA in Fine Art, Nova Scotia College of Art and Design
- Diploma Inter/Intranet Design Specialist, JOT Career Training Institute

Answer 34

No.

Question 35

Mandatory 7.2.1, 7.2.2, 7.2.3 states "Must have a minimum of five (5) years <7.2.1> / three (3) years <7.2.2> / two (2) years <7.2.3> experience using rapid eLearning tools such as Adobe Illustrator; Adobe Photoshop, Adobe Captivate, Adobe Dreamweaver, Adobe Contribute, or Adobe Flash". Other rapid eLearning tools include Pro Form, Help & Manual, and Articulate Storyline to name a few.

Will the Crown consider experience with one or more of these tools within in the time period sufficient to meet this requirement?

Answer 35

Yes.

Question 36

Please refer to Annex "D" - Mandatory Evaluation Criteria, M5.1.1 for the Quality Assurance Consultant which reads "Must have a minimum of three (3) years of experience in developing software development standards". On a previous solicitation (i.e., W2037-100055/A) for similar services this requirement was not included, and on the resulting contract, these services have been successfully provided based on the originally specified requirements for many years. In addition there is nothing in the SOW tasks for this position which would necessitate the QA consultant having that type of experience. The Bidder respectfully requests that the Crown remove this requirement to reflect the previous RFP, as this is not precedent setting. Again, the restrictive nature of this requirement will seriously impact a bidder's ability to locate qualified candidates.

Answer 36

No. This requirement remains essential to the Crown.

All other terms and conditions remain unchanged.