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Contract for Individual Consultant (other Specialists)

Request for written proposal

Reference: CM-FU-TAS-2022-008982

Date: 17 October 2022

Request to submit a written proposal for a work assignment with UNESCO

UNESCO is inviting written proposals from Individual Consultants for the work assignment described in attachment A.

To enable you to prepare a proposal for this assignment, please find attached the following documents:

(a) Terms of Reference (see attachment A);

Your written should comprise:

(a) A Technical Proposal consisting of

- an up to date curriculum vitae, and
- an approach and methodology for the assignment, a workplan and comments on the Terms of Reference if any (in brief).

(b) The amount to be charged for the assignment, which should be quoted in US dollars (not citizens of Uzbekistan) or UZS (citizens of Uzbekistan). Please show any travel costs separately

Your proposal and any supporting documents must be in either English or Russian.

UNESCO places great emphasis on ensuring that the objectives of the work assignment, as described in the Terms of Reference, are met. Accordingly, in evaluating the proposals for the assignment, attention will focus first and foremost on the technical elements. From those proposals deemed suitable in terms of the criteria in the Terms of Reference, UNESCO shall select the proposal that offers the Organisation best value for money.

Your proposal should be submitted by e-mail no later than close of business (18:00) on 31, October 2022. E-mail proposals should not exceed 5MB.

The e-mail address is:

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It is the individual's responsibility to ensure that his/her proposal is received by the deadline.

Thank you for your interest in this UNESCO assignment; and we look forward to receiving your proposal.

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TERMS OF REFERENCE
FOR AN INTERNATIONAL EXPERT TO CARRY OUT 3 DAYS OF PRACTICAL
TRAINING FOR KUNDAL (POLYCHROME DECORATIVE WALL PAINTING) TECHNIQUE
IN BUKHARA, UZBEKISTAN

Background:

There are several monuments with Kundal technique in Uzbekistan. These buildings constructed between 1450 and 1650, most of them located in Samarqand and Bukhara. The paintings are in different state of preservation. Some monuments have been recently restored or completely reconstructed, such as Ak-Sarai mausoleum in Samarqand, built around 1470. In some buildings the mural painting has been relatively well preserved, although damaged.

Good example of the usage of Kundal technique is in Abdulaziz-khan madrassah in Bukhara (built around 1650). As this technique is almost disappeared and lack of masters located in Uzbekistan, the UNESCO Tashkent Office want to arrange capacity building activity on Kundal technique in Bukhara in November 2022.

Requirements for the expertise:

- At least 10 years' experience of applying the Kundal technique in historic monuments;
- Successful experience in several countries in a similar assignment
- Availability for the work immediate
- Knowledge/experience in Uzbekistan/Central Asia is an added value.
- Expected to work jointly with the national expert (s) recruited by UNESCO

Duration: 3 person/days

Main tasks:

1. The Contractor shall develop contents and activities for two programmes and agreed the programmes with the UNESCO Tashkent Office: 1 day training for foremen and 2-days of training for young specialists. The programme should cover at least the following subjects: general information about specifics of the Kundal technique, mortar solution, methodic of applying, the tools and etc.
2. Conduct 1 day training for foremen and 2-days training for young specialists on site. During the training the expert should explain all the details of the applying the Kundal technique.
3. Deliverables:
Submit a finalized training programme for 3-days training by October 31, 2022
Submit a report and recommendations by December 5, 2022

Deliverables within 30 working days after the establishment of the contract:

- Technical report