



विश्वभारती / VISVA-BHARATI
केंद्रीय पुस्तकालय / CENTRAL LIBRARY
विश्वभारती लाइब्रेरी नेटवर्क / (Visva-Bharati Library Network)

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Date. 16 January 2024

ENQUIRY

LAST DATE OF SUBMISSION	05 February 2024
HOURS (I.S.T.)	6.00pm

To
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Sub: Seeking Express of Interest for hiring Cloud Computing in a single interface.

Dear Sir,

You are requested to EOI and other necessary information along with rates during demonstration/conversation for the following services on or before the date and time noted above.

I. Our Existing System

- a) Linux OS
- b) Libsys10 (cloud version) for all Housekeeping activities
- c) Joomla for library website
- d) Dspace for Digital Repositories metadata (Digital Library).
- e) Remote Access
- f) LSDiscovery Services
- g) Single platform for all resources
- h) Online registration for membership
- i) E-mail alert for Issue/Return and overdue
- j) Near about ten (10) thousand user use libraries
- k) Eight (08) Lakh data of VB library collections
- l) Thirty-two (32) thousand digital resources
- m) Six (06) thousand subscribe e-books
- n) Eight (08) thousand e-journals
- o) Nine (09) online databases
- p) Fifty (50) staff working concurrently
- q) Various reports are being generated and downloaded regularly.
- r) Four hundred fifty (450) users search the OPAC regular
- s) Average seven (07) hundred transactions take place during pick time.
- t) Central Library and 12 sectional libraries are full active to housekeeping of library work.
- u) Storage 8TB

II. Requirements: basically, we intend to have Cloud Storage (for our resources, minimum 8TB apart from ILMS), Server (for daily activities) and ILMS (Integrated Library Management Software); Webhosting (Joomla), Digital Library (DSpace), Library accessibility through single interface into 24x7, Remote Access and Discover Services, etc. etc.

- a) Cloud Storage (8TB apart from ILMS) & Server for ILMS
- b) Digital Library/ Institutional Repositories (by using DSpace)
- c) Website Hosting (by using Joomla)
- d) Remote Access and Discovery Services (for around 10000 users, 50 concurrent working-staff and 800 concurrent users) including Bibliographic Metadata for print collections and users' account details and **must be searchable in a single interface.**
- e) Library Automation and housekeeping operations (by using LibSys10)
- f) To provide the access of networked resources
- g) **Cert-in certification is required for libsys10, Discovery services and remote access software**
- h) **All existing function (as mentioned above a to u) should be available in the cloud computing. No extra payment should be made for testing purpose.**

III. Security

- a) Regular Backup is to be downloaded in our local server must be made available
- b) Full Access of control panel is required for web page maintained.
- c) Full security for Data utilization (it is needless to ensure the security and safety of VB Library data which will not be accessible to another Institute or Individual) i.e. DRM must be protected
- d) Both side pass word is required for open the control panel and access of Data.
- e) Preservation of digital resources must be ensured which will turn on uninterrupted accessibility.
- f) ILMs, Discovery and Remote access should work under https://

After receiving the EOI, vendors will have to demonstrate their systems/features/software physically at the Central Library, Visva-Bharati with their own expenditure. During demonstration security of our existing database will be given top priority.

Rates may be quoted for all the requirements as above (II and III) for three years and five years separately. Payment will be made annually.

Technical Bid and Financial Bid must be placed in separate envelop and will be sent to the address noted below.

For any clarification, please contact with Sri Ramprasad Majumdar, Information Scientist, Central Library Visva-Bharati, Santiniketan (email- ramprasad.majumdar@visva-bharati.ac.in, and Mobile no. +91 9434250016)

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