

**PUBLICATION OF AWARD OF CONTRACT FOR CONSULTING SERVICES
FOR PROJECTS FINANCED BY THE AFRICAN DEVELOPMENT BANK**

INFORMATION NOTICE

Publication date: 30th June 2026

Country: NIGERIA

Executing Agency: Bank of Industry

Name of Project/Study: Investment in Digital and Creative Enterprise (iDICE)

Loan/Grant Number: 2000200005160

Name of Request for Proposals (RFP): Gap Assessment for the Establishment of Six (6) Technology Centers of Excellence (TCoE) in Artificial Intelligence (AI), Robotics, Blockchain, Additive Manufacturing, Internet of Things (IoT), and Unmanned Aerial Vehicle (UAVs) in Six (6) Tertiary Institutions.

Selection Method: QCBS

Date of publication of EOI: 14th November 2025

Date of publication of RFP: 22nd October 2025

Technical Proposals opening date: 21st November 2025

Financial Proposals opening date: 13th March 2025

Date of approval by the Bank of the draft negotiated Contract: 21st May 2026

Name of Selected Consultant: Wootlab Innovation

Nationality: Nigeria

Address: (961 Adjacent Luziana Apartments, Mabushi Abuja, Nigeria), (47, Oba Yekini Street, Ikate Elegushi, Lekki, Lagos), and (Ahmadu Bello Way (beside Kwara Hotel), GRA, Ilorin, Kwara State) respectively

Contract Award Price: USD 90,046.05

Contract Start date: 16th June 2026

Contract Duration: 5 Months

Summary of Scope of Contract Awarded: The consultancy involves identifying and selecting six qualified universities. one from each geopolitical zone, to serve as Technology Centres of Excellence (TCoEs) across six emerging technology focus areas. The assignment includes developing university selection criteria, managing the call for expressions of interest, mapping universities to technology focus areas, and conducting comprehensive gap and needs assessments covering infrastructure, equipment, services, and operational requirements. It also includes preparing Environmental and Social Impact/Management Plans (ESIA/ESMP), developing detailed architectural and engineering designs, cost estimates, and technical specifications, and providing recommendations to support the rehabilitation and establishment of the selected centres.

Total Number of Proposals Received: Three (3)

For each Consultant:

Name: Wootlab Innovations LTD (JV with Janda Designs & Global Concepts Ltd)

Nationality: Nigeria

Address: 961 Adjacent Luziana Apartments, Mabushi Abuja, Nigeria

Technical Points: 83.33

Evaluated Price: USD 90,046

Final Points: 81.80

Ranking: 1st

For each Consultant:

Name: Management Edge

Nationality: Nigeria

Address:

Technical Points: 76.50

Evaluated Price: NGN 98,967,187.50

Final Points: 81.20

Ranking: 2nd

For each Consultant:

Name: Duale Ovia & Alex-Adedipe in JV with Vista Advisory Partners Limited and Conclave Consulting Limited

Nationality: Nigeria

Address: 161A Sinari daranijo Street, Victoria Island, Lagos,

Technical Points: 71.50

Evaluated Price:

Final Points:

Ranking: 3rd

N.B.: Any consultant who wishes to ascertain the grounds on which its proposal was not selected, should request an explanation from the Executing Agency. In any event, the Bank reserves the right to review any complaint of a bidder at any time following the award.