



UNIVERSITY OF THE PHILIPPINES MINDANAO
Mintal, Tugbok District, Davao City

**Invitation to Bid for the Modernization of IT Teaching, Research and Classroom
Equipment and Equipment to Furnish New Building**

1. The University of the Philippines Mindanao, through the General Appropriations Act of 2016 intends to apply the total amount of **Eight Million One Hundred Four Thousand Two Hundred Pesos Only (P8,104,200.00)** being the Approved Budget for the Contract (ABC) to payments for the Modernization of IT Teaching, Research and Classroom Equipment and Equipment to Furnish New Building. Bids received in excess of the ABC shall be automatically rejected at bid opening.
2. The University of the Philippines Mindanao now invites bids for the Modernization of IT Teaching, Research and Classroom Equipment and Equipment to Furnish New Building. Delivery of the Goods is required thirty to sixty (30-60) calendar days from receipt of Purchase Order. Bidders should have completed, within five years from the date of submission and receipt of bids, a contract similar to the Project. The description of an eligible bidder is contained in the Bidding Documents, particularly, in Section II. Instructions to Bidders.
3. Bidding will be conducted through open competitive bidding procedures using a non-discretionary "pass/fail" criterion as specified in the Implementing Rules and Regulations (IRR) of Republic Act (RA) 9184, otherwise known as the "Government Procurement Reform Act".
4. Bidding is restricted to Filipino citizens/sole proprietorships, partnerships, or organizations with at least sixty percent (60%) interest or outstanding capital stock belonging to citizens of the Philippines, and to citizens or organizations of a country the laws or regulations of which grant similar rights or privileges to Filipino citizens, pursuant to RA 5183 and subject to Commonwealth Act 138.
5. Interested bidders may obtain further information from the University of the Philippines Mindanao and inspect the Bidding Documents at the address given below during office hours from 8 AM-12 NN and 1:00-5:00 PM.
6. A complete set of Bidding Documents may be acquired by interested Bidders starting 20 May 2016 from the address below and upon payment of a nonrefundable fee for the Bidding Documents pursuant to the latest Guidelines issued by the GPPB. Only payments in cash or Manager's Check payable to UP Mindanao may be accepted.
7. It may also be downloaded free of charge from the website of the Philippine Government Electronic Procurement System (PhilGEPS) and the website of the Procuring Entity, provided that Bidders shall pay the nonrefundable fee for the Bidding Documents not later than the submission of their bids.
8. The University of the Philippines Mindanao will hold a pre-bid conference on **30 May 2016 at 9:00 AM** at the Gaisano Conference Room, 2/F Administration Building, University of the Philippines

Mindanao, Mintal, Tugbok District, Davao City, which shall be open only to all interested parties who have purchased the Bidding Documents.

9. Bids must be delivered to the address below on or before **15 June 2016 at 9:00 AM.** All Bids must be accompanied by a bid security in the form of Bid Securing Declaration or Surety Bond and in the amount stated in **ITB.18.** Late bids shall not be accepted.
10. Bid opening shall be on 15 June 2016, 9:00 AM at the Administration Building, UP Mindanao, Mintal, Tugbok District, Davao City. Bids will be opened in the presence of the Bidders' representatives who choose to attend at the address below.
11. UP Mindanao reserves the right to accept or reject any bid, to annul the bidding process, and to reject all bids at any time prior to contract award, without thereby incurring any liability to the affected bidder or bidders.

For further information, please refer to:

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