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**Questions & Answers**

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Please find below the ECB's answers to the questions<sup>1</sup> submitted to date, which the ECB considers to be of general interest. These are communicated by the ECB to all the potential bidders.

Question	Answer
1. Does this CfP also target experts from consulting firms?	1. No, this Call for Proposal is targeting individuals.
2. For the evaluation of the respective proposals will you also take into account credentials that are not directly and personally connected to the individual consultant but to the firm?	2. The evaluation will only take into account the listed award criteria.
3. Can the applicant be employed (at a commercial bank or consultancy, for instance) at the time of application and/or throughout the duration of the contract with the ECB?	3. Yes, the applicant can be employed otherwise during and before the contract in case there is no conflict of interest.
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<sup>1</sup> The questions may have been partially shortened and/or adapted in order to facilitate reading or for anonymisation purposes.

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