



Call for offers for conducting research on Radicalization and Violent Extremism in Youth

Description:

As a part of the project ***Youth for Change: Building resilience of Serbian youth through engagement leadership and development of their cognitive and social-emotional skills***, funded by Hedayah International Centre of Excellence for Countering Violent Extremism, PIN is opening a call for subcontractor(s) to conduct a research on **Radicalization and Violent Extremism in Youth**. The aim of the research is to identify the main risk factors for radicalization and to assess effectiveness of the psychoeducational program designed to build resilience and intercultural sensitivity as a preventive strategy for countering violent extremism among youth in Belgrade, Sjenica and Tutin. The research subcontractor(s) will be expected to:

- Conduct a desk research on violent extremism and radicalization among youth in Serbia
- Propose the research methodology and develop field research plan based on that methodology
- Select/develop assessment tools in line with proposed methodology
- Conduct field research selected schools in Belgrade, Sjenica and Tutin (five schools in total)
- Analyze and interpret data
- Deliver a research report and present findings to the public at project thematic meeting

The research should be conducted between 25th of August 2019 and 15th of March 2020.

Eligibility:

The call is open to researchers (individual and groups) with relevant academic background i.e. social sciences, psychology, education, political science etc. All-carrier stage researchers are eligible, but advantage will be given those holding a PhD in relevant area. Both independent researchers and researchers affiliated with academic institution are eligible to submit offers. Offers can be submitted by individual researchers and research teams.

The offer must include:

- The research plan including description of the methodology and expected timeline (up to 300 words)
- Principal investigator's CV highlighting the experience relevant for this project; for groups of researchers, if relevant experiences of team members are complementary, CVs of all researchers should be submitted.
- The financial offer in the following format:

item	price (EUR)	working days
Desk research		
Field research		
Research report		
Presentation of the findings		
Total		

The researchers are encouraged to submit other documents that speak to their competences and could be relevant for assessment ability to deliver the project (e.g. similar previous research reports/scientific publications list/thesis/project contracts/letters of recommendation)

Selection criteria:

- Quality of the proposed methodology and research plan i.e. scientific foundation and adequacy of proposed methodology; fitness to the research objectives; feasibility of the research plan with proposed methodology, etc.
- Relevant previous experience delivering similar research projects i.e. credentials of principal investigator /research team; level and type of previous publications/ successfully delivered similar projects
- Price
- Implementation efficiency i.e. the number of effective working days for project implementation.

Offers with all supporting documents should be submitted in electronic form via e-mail: office@psychosocialinnovation.net no later than **20th of August 2019 at 12:00 (GMT+2)**.