

**DESCRIPTION OF INTENDED  
SINGLE SOURCE PURCHASE  
(PUR 7776)**

AGENCY: Early Learning Coalition of Orange County

TITLE: Maker-Centered Learning Initiative to bridge the gap between theory and practice  
Short description of the commodity or service desired: Harvard Instructors and Young Innovator Liaisons partner with ELCOC to engage in a collaborative program entitled Empowering Communities to Change Their World.

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This description of commodities or contractual services intended for purchase from a single source is posted in accordance with Sections 120.57(3) and 287.057(3), Florida Statutes (F.S.), and will remain posted for a period of at least 15 business days.

Commodity or Contractual Service Required (commodity or United National Standard Products and Services Code (UNSPSC), manufacturer, model, and description, as appropriate):

To incorporate maker-centered learning into Orange County Schools and throughout the broader community.

Quantity or Term (as appropriate):

Education for 25 teachers from 6/13/24 through 2/22/25

Requestor (division, bureau, office, individual, as appropriate):

Early Learning Coalition of Orange County

Performance and/or Design Requirements (e.g. intended use, function or application, compatibility, requirements; reference to policy, rule, statute, or other act of the Legislature, etc., as appropriate):

SR Funding

Intended Single Source:

Young Innovators Foundation

Estimated Dollar Amount:

\$100,000.00

Justification for single source acquisition (what is necessary and unique about the product, service, or source; steps taken to confirm unavailability of competition, as appropriate): Post COVID, Young Innovators embraces a redesign of early education to help young children develop the innovative mindset they will need to address global changes. Based on new research on how the brain works and how children learn, Young Innovators not only develop what they must know but also mindsets, attitudes, values, and skills to prepare the next generation for a fast-changing world.

Approved By (names & titles, as appropriate, e.g., requestor, requestor management, information systems, budget, purchasing):

Scott Fritz, Ed.D., Chief Executive Officer

Jenny Longo, Chief Finance Officer

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