

Question 6:

In regards to the mandatory criterion M2, on page 36, under Table C, the RFSA states:

Consultants with foreign education credentials are required to provide proof of Canadian equivalency. Consultants with foreign credentials must have their education confirmed by a recognized credential service. Any applicable fees are the responsibility of the bidder. For more information, you may refer to the Canadian Information Centre of International Credentials at <http://www.cicic.ca/>.

Proof of education from a recognized Canadian university or in the case of foreign degree, confirmation of Canadian equivalency from a recognized credential service as referenced above, must be provided with the Proposal. If proof of education or confirmation from a recognized credential service is not provided at the time of proposal submission, no further consideration will be given to the application.

Given challenges in obtaining the original copy of the proposed resource's diploma, would the CRA accept an Academic Equivalency Evaluation report confirming American equivalency of the proposed resource's foreign education credentials (four year Bachelor of Science Degree in Computer Science) that was previously issued by a reputable academic advisory firm in the United States?

Answer 6: No.