

# What is GSA 8(a) Stars III?

## Here's everything You Need to Know

8(a) STARS III, a small business set-aside GWAC, will provide flexible access to customized IT solutions from a large, diverse pool of 8(a) industry partners. This next-generation GWAC will build upon the framework of 8(a) STARS II and expand capabilities for emerging technologies and OCONUS requirements.

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# Features of 8(a) Stars III

#### **EASY PROCUREMENT**

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### \$50 BILLION CONTRACT CEILING

The STARS III GWAC has a contract ceiling of \$50 Billion.

#### PRIME CONTRACTORS ONLY

Only SBA certified 8(a) prime contractors are eligible for this IDIQ.

#### **5+ YEAR CONTRACT PERIOD**

The contract period for this multiple award IDIQ (MA-IDIQ) is five years with an option to extend three years.

#### **NO LIMITS!**

There is NO LIMIT to the number of awards on this contract as GSA has continual incentives to utilize 8(a) contractors.

### **How You can Procure from Trewon**

Trewon specializes in providing research, evaluation, technical assistance, and information technology (IT) services to government and private sector clients which include, the National Science Foundation (NSF), the Department of State, Small Business Administration, and the U.S. Department of Education.

STARS III makes it easy for agencies to meet socioeconomic goals through innovative solutions within specific master contract sub-areas.

Agency customers planning to use the contract should regularly visit <u>the GSA Events page</u> for upcoming training on procurement authority for requirements and contracting staff.

If you know any federal contracting officers who need our support and need to use this vehicle, reach out to us!

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