

## Media Release

### LESS THAN A WEEK TO GO TILL THE INTERNATIONAL ROOFING COMPETITION IN BELFAST

The 23<sup>rd</sup> World Championship for Young Roofers is taking place at the King's Hall in Belfast and it's fast approaching! With less than a week it's all systems go for NFRC and those involved, as everything begins to come together.

Let's not forget, at the same time as the competition, there will be a roofing industry showcase taking place in the same hall with many of the big names in the industry being in attendance showcasing new products with a major focus on sustainability, energy efficiency and the future of roofing.

Whilst the championship and the showcase are underway, the 58<sup>th</sup> Congress of the International Federation for the Roofing Trade (IFD) and NFRC associate member day will also be taking place.

A packed and busy schedule is in place over the three days, **17<sup>th</sup> – 19<sup>th</sup> November** which is set to make this a truly remarkable and hopefully highly successful event.

The competition and showcase which is **free to visit** is taking place in the King's Hall, Belfast and opening times are as follows:

**Wednesday 09:00 – 17:00**  
**Thursday 09:00 – 17:00**  
**Friday 09:00 – 14:00**

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#### Notes to Editor:

NFRC is the UK's largest roofing trade association representing over 60% of the roofing industry by value. NFRC actively ensures that members offer high standards of workmanship and sound business practice through a strict code of practice and vetting procedure, including site inspections and adhering to the Government endorsed TrustMark standards. NFRC also offers training services, technical advice, and represents member interests to the wider construction industry and Government. For more information please visit [www.nfrco.co.uk](http://www.nfrco.co.uk).

IFD (International Federation for the Roofing Trade) is the most important organisation worldwide representing the Roofing Trade. Manufacturers from around the globe call on its secretariat for information related to market studies and research. In Europe the major co-operating bodies include CEN (European Committee for Standardisation), EOTA (European Organisation for Technical Approvals) NORMAPME (European Office of Crafts, Trades and Small and Medium sized Enterprises for Standardisation) and UEAPME (The European Association of Craft, Small and Medium-Sized Enterprises).