



MEMBERSHIP BENEFITS

Knowledge

Research

Information

Influence

Voucher credits

Tailored membership grades

Become a Member

Established in 1949, the Furniture Industry Research Association is the UK's largest furniture research association and the only organisation that provides support to the whole furniture supply chain, across all sectors.

Membership is open to all within, or with an interest in the furniture market, and by joining you will be supporting the Association in furthering research and knowledge to the wider benefit of the industry.

Membership brings a wide variety of benefits, including access to industry knowledge, research and standards information.

Further benefits include discounts on training and for full members, 'voucher credits', which can be redeemed against FIRA International services including testing, consultancy and training.

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KNOWLEDGE

As the Research Association for the furniture industry, FIRA is at the centre of technical knowledge. Members are kept up-to-date with changes to standards and regulations.

Updates from standards committee meetings are shared to enable members to follow key decisions and objections affecting their sector.

Latest regulation changes and news on compliance affecting everything from timber to chemicals, from flammability to safety is also made available to members.

There is also a wealth of knowledge contained within the Standards Database on fira.co.uk which is exclusive to members. This contains a description of each standard, status, year, standard type and much more.

RESEARCH

From an annual Statistics Digest to Quarterly Standards Updates, to key research on the hot topics which affect the industry, the Research Association funds and undertakes key research to help members understand trends, market conditions and regulations.

INFORMATION

The members-only section of fira.co.uk hosts all of FIRA's knowledge and research. As part of your membership employees will receive a login so they can search and access what they need when they need it.

INFLUENCE

The Research Association works with the British Furniture Confederation (BFC) to ensure the industry's views are taken into account within government. Members can feedback through consultations to share their views with government, standards committees and other bodies which affect the industry.

VOUCHER CREDITS

20% (excluding VAT) of membership fees for full members are converted into 'voucher credits'. These credits, which are valid for 12 months, can be redeemed against FIRA International services including testing, consultancy and training.

TAILORED MEMBERSHIP GRADES

Full Membership: Open to UK companies including manufacturers, retailers and major suppliers.

International Membership: Open to overseas manufacturers, distributors and suppliers.

Associate Membership: Open to non-manufacturing organisations with an interest in the furniture industry such as specifiers and end-users.

JOIN THE RESEARCH ASSOCIATION

Membership runs for 12 months and you can join at any time.

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