Northern Ireland Safety Group – 2025 Annual Occupational Health and Safety Awards

NISG wish to congratulate our member organisations and individuals who have won occupational health and safety awards in 2025. Some entered for the first time, while others are regulars, who find the process to be a beneficial annual check of the robustness of their health and safety systems. For the second year running an NISG member organisation has achieved the top award - the Supreme Award - and we send special congratulations to the Health and Safety Team at **John Graham Construction Ltd.** for the work they put into the awards submission which led to their win.

The level of awards achieved this year reflects the commitment within our local businesses, both large and small, to putting health and safety first within their companies. The submission requires a thorough review of all health and safety systems within an organisation, with relevant evidence provided to verify content for each section of the entry.

This year we are delighted to showcase the following 2025 winners:

The 2025 National Irish Safety Organisation (NISO) / NISG All-Ireland Occupational Health and Safety Awards:

- **John GRAHAM Construction Ltd. - Supreme Award (Top Award Overall) plus Exceptional High Achiever Award**
- **RYOBI Aluminium Casting (UK) Ltd. – Mechanical Engineering / Manufacturing / Assembly Award plus Consistent High Achiever Award**
- **MJM Marine Ltd. - Specialist Contractor Award**
- **W & H Alexander Ltd. – Northern Ireland Award plus Exceptional High Achiever Award**
- **Mivan Ltd. – Construction Specialist Contractor Award plus Consistent High Achiever Award**
- **McAdam Design Ltd. – Construction: Consulting Engineers Award**
- **AG Paving & Building Products Ltd. – Construction: Mineral Extraction / Quarrying / Concrete Product Manufacturing Award plus Consistent High Achiever Award**
- **Adman Civil Projects Ltd. – Construction: Civil Engineering Award plus Consistent High Achiever Award**
- **The H&A Group Ltd. – Higher Distinction Award**
- **McAleer and Rushe – Higher Distinction Award**
- **Foyle Food Group – Higher Distinction Award**
- **Tyrone Formwork Ltd. – Distinction Award**
- **McCloskey International Ltd. – Distinction Award**
- **Energia Group – Distinction Award**
- **Northern Ireland Water Health & Safety – Highly Commended Award**
- **Farrans Construction t/a Northstone (NI) Ltd. – Highly Commended Award**

The NISG 2025 John Gordon Award, sponsored by Safety Advice Centre. This award celebrates the individual who has made the greatest contribution to health and safety within their workplace during the previous year. Aimed at the unsung hero, who can be at any level, who goes that extra mile to ensure the health and safety of all those that they work, or come into contact with.

This year we are delighted to announce that **Eamon Lagan** from **Adman Civil Projects Ltd.** has won the award and he was presented with his trophy and prize at the NISG 2025 Awards Dinner, held at La Mon Hotel, Belfast on Thursday 6th November, by Bill McAllister, Managing Director of Safety Advice Centre. Eamon was nominated by colleagues, and the judges deemed that the award submission confirmed that Eamon embodied the essential qualities defining a deserving John Gordon Award winner. Special congratulations to Eamon and to his nominator from Adman.

Congratulations again to all our winners! You can view the winning photos overleaf.

Contact NISG Secretary Nicola McCracken on info@nisg.org.uk if you would like to register to receive information on the 2026 Awards. Note that information will be available in early 2026.

Photo 1

John Graham Construction Ltd.
L-R Fergal McKevitt (NISO President), Lukasz Siemieniuk (John Graham Construction Ltd.) and Wendy Moore (NISG Chair). Awarded the Supreme Award plus an Exceptional High Achiever Award.

Photo 2

RYOBI Aluminium Casting (UK) Ltd. Ltd.
L-R Wendy Moore (NISG Chair); Fergal McKevitt (NISO President); William Keenan (RYOBI Aluminium Casting (UK) Ltd.) and Mark Cullen (CEO at Health and Safety Authority ROI). Awarded the Mechanical Engineering / Manufacturing / Assembly Award plus a Consistent High Achiever Award.

Photo 3

MJM Marine Ltd.
L-R Fergal McKevitt (NISO President), Quintina Little (MJM Marine); Wendy Moore (NISG Chair). Awarded the Specialist Contractor Award.

Photo 4

W&H Alexander Limited
L-R Fergal McKevitt (NISO President), Wendy Beatty (W&H Alexander Limited) and Wendy Moore (NISG Chair). Awarded the Northern Ireland Award and Exceptional High Achiever Award.

Photo 5

Mivan Ltd.
L-R R Fergal McKevitt (NISO President), Jonathan Dougherty (Mivan Ltd.) and Wendy Moore (NISG Chair). Awarded the Construction – Specialist Contractor Award and Consistent High Achiever Award.

Photo 6

McAdam Design Ltd.
L-R Fergal McKevitt (NISO President); John Murray (McAdam Design Ltd.) and Wendy Moore (NISG Chair). Awarded the Construction - Consulting Engineers Award.

Photo 7

AG Paving & Building Products Ltd.
L-R Mary Keane (NISO Past President); Wendy Moore (NISG Chair) and Caroline Frawley (AG Paving & Building Products Ltd.). Awarded the Construction - Mineral Extraction / Quarrying / Concrete Product Manufacturing Award and Consistent High Achiever Award.

Photo 8

Adman Civil Projects Ltd.
L-R Fergal McKevitt (NISO President); Cara McNamee (Adman Civil Projects Ltd.); Wendy Moore (NISG Chair). Awarded the Construction - Civil Engineering Award and Consistent High Achiever Award.

Photo 9

The H&A Group Ltd.
L-R Fergal McKevitt (NISO President); Caroline Kirton (H&A Group); Wendy Moore (NISG Chair). Awarded a Higher Distinction Award.

Photo 10

McAleer and Rushe
L-R Fergal McKevitt (NISO President); Wendy Moore (NISG Chair); Sean Downes (Director for Safety, Education and Training / Safe-T-Cert Scheme Manager ROI at CIF); Cathal Magee (McAleer and Rushe) and Mark Cullen (CEO at Health and Safety Authority ROI). Awarded a Higher Distinction Award.

Photo 11

Foyle Foods Ltd.
L-R Fergal McKevitt (NISO President); Wendy Moore (NISG Chair); Will Johnston (Foyle Foods Ltd.) and Mark Cullen (CEO at Health and Safety Authority ROI). Awarded a Higher Distinction Award.

Photo 12

Tyrone Formwork Ltd.
Fergal McKevitt (NISO President); Wendy Moore (NISG Chair); Sean Downes (Director for Safety, Education and Training / Safe-T-Cert Scheme Manager ROI at CIF); Barry Donnelly (Tyrone Formwork Ltd.) and Mark Cullen (CEO at Health and Safety Authority ROI). Awarded a Distinction.

Photo 13

McCloskey International Ltd.
Awarded a Distinction

Photo 14

Energia Group
L-R Fergal McKevitt (NISO President); Fiona Daly (Energia Group) and Wendy Moore (NISG Chair).
Awarded a Distinction.

Photo 15

Northern Ireland Water – Health & Safety
L-R Fergal McKevitt (NISO President); Lorraine Yarr (NI Water) and Wendy Moore (NISG Chair). Awarded a Highly Commended.

Photo 16

Farrans Construction
L-R Ryan Carson (Farrans) Mary Keane (NISO Past President); Wendy Moore (NISG Chair) and Joe Loughan (Farrans). Awarded a Highly Commended Award.

Photo 17

The 2025 John Gordon Award Winner

L-R Eamon Lagan (Adman Civil Projects Ltd.) receiving his award from Bill McAllister (Safety Advice Centre – John Gordon Award Sponsor).