



# **IRF Activities**



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# **Facts and Figures**

### Not-for-profit organisation - Established in 1948. Ecosoc status at the UN and its agencies since 1951. Accredited by EU, ISO, CEN.



400 Members from Private, Public & Academic Sectors in 80 countries.



# Vision & Mission

 Vision: A world of safe, efficient and sustainable roads and road networks that enables mobility for all

 Mission IRF: to promote financing, construction and maintenance of road and road networks around the world that are safe, sustainable and efficient



# Information Sharing & Knowledge Transfer

# Connecting people, business and organisations

# Advocacy & Policy



# **IRF Services**

#### Knowledge Transfer & Information sharing

- IRF Committees
- Publications (technical publications, IRF Bulletins, Newsletters)
- Annual publication of World Road Statistics
- Global Transport Knowledge Project (extensive online resource centre at www.gtkp.com)
- Training
- Dedicated workshops & seminars
- CHANGER & RAdAR

Connecting people, businesses and organisations

- IRF conferences & seminars
- IRF committees
- Awarding road sector excellence
- Partnering with key external stakeholders
- IRF Membership liaison services
- Business missions

#### **Policy & Advocacy**

- IRF policy statements, position papers and recommendations
- Voicing IRF members' interest
- Setting the agenda at national, regional and international levels
- Reference point for technical knowledge



### Themes













#### **Advocacy**





# **Education**

### IRF Fellowship Programme

Out and about ...

IRF fellows class 2003

IRF fellows sightseeing in Washington DC, in the control room in Virginia (lower left), and sharing a joke (bottom) with IRF Director of International Projects Heba Gouda.

### Senior Roads Executive Course



# ....and tailor-made accredited training upon request



www.sreprogramme.org

#### Senior Road Executives Programme<sup>--</sup>2013

School of Civil Engineering, University of Birmingham, UK



Road Sector Reforms Road Financing Road Safety Road Maintenance Management 17-19 June 2013 20-22 June 2013 24-26 June 2013 27-29 June 2013



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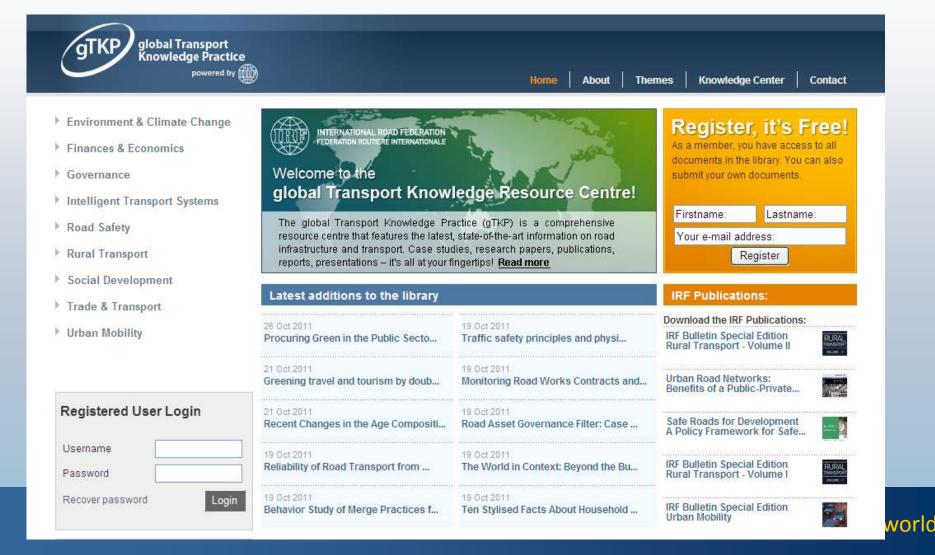


## **An IRF Flagship: World Road Statistics**





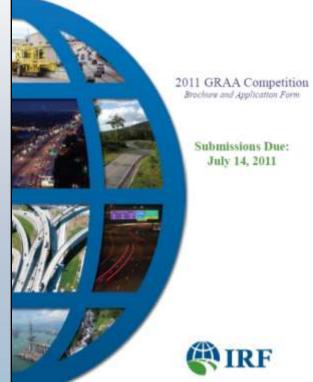
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# Awarding excellence







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# Thank you for your attention!



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