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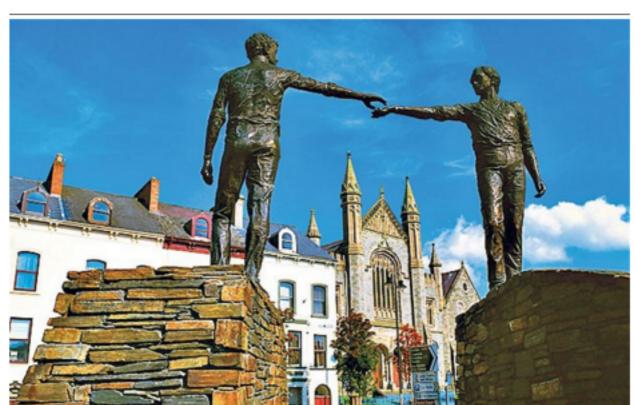












9.7pc of start-ups in Belfast make it to the £1m turnover mark within their first three years



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Across Northern Ireland, the number of start-ups reaching a £1m turnover between 2011 and 2014 ranges from 9.3pc in the north, to 9.7pc in Belfast, to 10.8pc in the west and south regions, according to a new report from the independent research outfit, the Enterprise Research Centre (ERC).