

Duke FINTECH Trading Competition 2023

The **Duke Master of Engineering in Financial Technology (FinTech)** program, in collaboration with the **Student Trading Lab at Interactive Brokers**, is excited to announce the 2023 FINTECH Trading Competition to take place during the 2023 Fall Semester!

Read the official press release [here](#).

Overview

The Trading Competition gives university students the opportunity to develop and try out investment strategies by trading real stocks – using real-time market data – without committing actual capital.

Participating students will be issued \$1 million in simulated currency within a **paper trading account** at Interactive Brokers (NYSE: IBKR, <https://www.interactivebrokers.com/>). Students will make trades within their paper accounts and gain exposure to the same user interface and features utilized by Interactive Brokers' live accounts.

Info

- This opportunity is designed for students from all over the world with any academic background—students of all experiences are invited to participate.
- Competition rules, including start and end dates, are listed on the competition [website](#).
- After the end of the competition, participants will be ranked by the risk-adjusted return (measured by Sharpe Ratio) earned by their portfolios during the time period.
- Top-performing students will be recognized mid-December 2023. Prizes for winners are listed on the website.
- The competition will be hosting a [companion YouTube series](#) that will follow traders' progress and showcase sponsors.

To Participate:

Follow the instructions and register via the [Sign Up page](#) on the competition website. For questions, email fintechtradingcompetition@duke.edu.