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DEGIRO has been voted the Investors Chronicle/Financial Times Best Low-cost Stockbroker for the second year in a row. The Dutch broker only launched in the UK in 2015 but its attention-grabbing low-cost prices have won it many fans.

Investors pay £1.75 + 0.022 per cent to trade UK shares (capped at a maximum of £5 per trade) and can also trade international shares directly on overseas exchanges at competitive prices. For example, trading US equities costs €0.50 + USD 0.004 per share, while most European shares cost €4.00 + 0.058 per cent (capped at a maximum of €60).

In addition to UK and international shares, investors can trade an extensive list of securities at attractive rates including bonds, exchange traded funds (ETFs), leveraged products, warrants, options, futures and contracts for difference (CFD).

Since launching its retail platform in the Netherlands in 2013, DEGIRO has expanded into 18 European countries and now has more than 300,000 customers.



Paul Laverty, head of Business Development UK & Ireland at DEGIRO, receives the award from Shappi Khorsandi and John Hughman

Best Stockbroker for Customer Service

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Redmayne Bentley wins this year's Investors Chronicle/Financial Times award for Best Stockbroker for Customer Service. The company is highly rated by customers for its friendly, personalised and comprehensive range of investment services.

The independently owned stockbroker aims to provide first-class service to clients who include individuals, as well as trusts and charities. Private investors can choose from an execution-only service, allowing them to trade a wide range of investments themselves, or benefit from the expertise of experienced investment managers. Those who do not have the time or knowledge to engage with investment decision-making can opt for discretionary management while clients who want to retain control of their portfolio can choose an advised service. And with 30 offices nationwide, clients can meet with investment professionals directly.

The stockbroker is also one of a small number of investment companies offering CREST personal membership accounts. Clients can select this option at no extra cost, providing they trade more than once a year.



Damien Duffield, director of IT at Redmayne Bentley, collects the award from Shappi Khorsandi and John Hughman

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