## EWU Economics Club to hold competition on capital mkt

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AST West University
Economics Club is organising the first ever inter
university 'Mock-Stock' competition in Bangladesh named
'StockOx - Let the Battle Begin'.

Stock market is a great way to learn about business, investment, risks and market volatility. This very competition is designed to give an opportunity to the participants to discuss and come up with their creative ideas on capital market and its operational aspects such as trading, account management etc. It will also provide them experience and knowledge of the stock exchange and different industries and thus

encourage them to become investors in near future.

As this is the first inter university competition under Economics Club of East West University, so they have invited only 24 renowned universities of Dhaka city to participate in the event and make it a considerably competitive one. The programme is designed with three rounds to be completed in three consecutive days along with a workshop from December 04 to 06, 2017. The round one is the case study analysis on a contemporary topic relating to economy of Bangladesh. The round two is titled as 'Cubic Box' where participants will have to complete an instantly given task regarding



stock investment. Finally, round three is Stockathon, a real stock market scenario that will be explained and deeply analysed by the finalists.

All the rounds will be held in the East West University premises in Aflabnagar, Dhaka. The champion of 'StockOX - Let the Battle Begin' will be awarded with a prize money of Tk 50,000. The first and second runners-up will be given Tk 30,000 and 20,000 respectively.

The International Affairs Adviser to the Prime Minister of Bangladesh Dr. Gowher Rizvi, who will be present as the chief guest of the grand finale, will motivate the finalists and brighten the prize giving ceremony. Along with him, visiting Professor and Chairperson of Board of Trustees of East West University Dr. Mohammed Farashuddin and the Vice Chancellor of East West University Dr. M M Shahidul Hassan will be present there to inspire the participants.

The programme will end through a cultural programme by the members of the organising club.

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