

RegTech Insight Awards – USA 2021 Winners’ Report



About RegTech Insight Awards – USA 2021

Congratulations to the winners of A-Team Group's RegTech Insight Awards USA 2021.

Although we are still unable to hold our usual lively reception to celebrate our winners, their achievements are no less significant for that, and we extend our congratulations to all those with best-in-class RegTech services and solutions.

The annual RegTech Insight Awards – USA recognise both established solution providers and innovative newcomers, seeking to herald and highlight RegTech solutions that throughout the year have successfully improved firms' ability to effectively respond to the evolving and ever more complex regulatory requirements across the global financial services industry.

This year's award categories ranged from Best ESG Regulatory Solution, to Best KYC Solution for Client Onboarding, Best Compliance as a Service Solution, Best Financial Crime Solution, Best Data Privacy Solution, Most Innovative Technology for Regulatory Compliance, and more.

The awards were overseen by our independent advisory board, which helped shape the categories and review the nominations alongside A-Team Group's editorial team. Jointly they considered the depth of involvement in capital markets, relevance of a solution or service to a selected award category, and the potential interest of a solution or service to our RegTech Insight community.

Thank you to our RegTech Insight community for taking the time to vote for your preferred RegTech solutions and services providers – your opinions are critical to the success of our awards.

Finally, our compliments to all our winners, who should be deservedly proud of their achievement in such a closely fought and highly competitive contest.

If you would like to be considered for future RegTech awards visit <http://bit.ly/RTIAwards> and enter your details to be notified when we open for nominations.

Andrew Delaney
President & Chief Content Officer
A-Team Group



I'd personally like to thank our advisory board for their time and valuable input.

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Finance & Risk Executive/Leader

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Trade (DIT)



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SmartStream's solutions and services span the transaction lifecycle and incorporate the latest AI and machine learning technologies. These can be accessed in a variety of ways, for example, via APIs and micro-services, or deployed as managed services and cloud environments.

SmartStream has a wide range of solutions and services in the areas of:

- Cash & Liquidity Management
- Collateral Management
- Corporate Actions Processing
- Digital Payments and Investigations
- Fees and Expense Management
- Post Trade Processing
- Reconciliations and Exceptions Management
- Reference Data



Nathan Gee
Marketing Director

About SmartStream

SmartStream is a recognised leader in financial transaction management solutions that enables firms to improve operational control, reduce costs, build new revenue streams, mitigate risk and comply accurately with regulations.

By helping its customers through their transformative digital strategies, SmartStream provides a range of solutions for the transaction lifecycle with artificial intelligence and machine learning technologies embedded – which can also be deployed in the cloud or as managed services.

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Winner: Best Regulatory Consultancy - North America

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Our size and reach mean we can advise on the broadest range of scenarios, while our independence and specialism mean we never lose our focus on exemplary client service as we grow. It allows us to quickly respond and help our clients navigate disruption, change, and evolving risks.

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Carlo di Florio
Chief Services Officer

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Datactics provides its award-winning self-service data quality and matching platform in partnership with the UK Home Office and national police forces, to develop a nationwide, highly scalable, private cloud-based system for crime classification and reporting. Large volumes of crime reports logged by UK police forces are analysed and classified according to government standards in order to create consistent national reporting for specific crime types.

Key features:

- Data quality + fuzzy matching across hundreds of millions of structured and semi-structured data elements
- Web-based workflow management enabling manual review of data falling below confidence thresholds
- Exposes a library of rules and associated dictionary to business analysts that works in conjunction with a mature data governance process and systems for data lineage etc.
- Benefits:
- Reduced manual processing and data preparation time
- Increased accuracy of matching a crime report to the correct crime type
- Increased automation means reduced psychological impact for analysts



Matt Flenley
Head of Marketing

About Datactics

Datactics specialises in self-service data quality and matching software designed for non-technical business users in financial services firms. The platform helps to eliminate roadblocks common in data management where firms are typically heavily reliant on IT to interpret and hard-code rules into core systems. Solutions ensure compliance with data-driven financial regulations; deliver a true “single customer view”; and increase the accuracy, and reduce the cost, of AML & KYC functions.

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Winner: Best Reporting Solution for Consolidated Audit Trail (CAT)

n-Tier's CAT offering couples our deep regulatory experience with our unique software platform to provide firms with a comprehensive solution for meeting their CAT reporting obligation. Our technology – combined with our team's extensive knowledge of brokerage covering trading, middle-office, and settlement across all asset classes – allows us to provide clients with the support, guidance, and the automation needed to comply with these critical regulatory reporting requirements. Our Compliance Workbench is the only platform that has been proven to programmatically unwind the complexity of trade flows across all front- and back-office environments to produce accurate regulatory reports while providing the independent monitoring and controls needed to manage reporting obligations. The next reporting obligation on the horizon is CAT Customer & Account Information System (CAIS) Phase 2e whereby broker-dealers must start submitting their full customer and account reference data to FINRA CAT beginning July 11, 2022. Firms can prepare for CAIS Phase 2e by leveraging our existing reconciliation, validation and reporting framework. At n-Tier, we specialize in helping firms manage the accuracy and completeness of their critical business data associated with regulatory reporting. If you are interested in discussing our validation and reporting capabilities, please reach out.



Peter Gargone
Founder & CEO

About n-Tier

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Winner: Best ESG Regulatory Solution

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Ed Probst
Chief Product Officer

Winner: Best KYC Solution for Client On-Boarding



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Our multi-tiered enterprise offerings include the ELEMENT of Compliance™ application, which dramatically improves screening accuracy and reduces the CapEx and OpEx of end-to-end KYC, financial fraud and anti-money laundering monitoring for organisations with extensive regulatory and reputational demands.

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Harinder Singh Sudan
Senior Vice President of the
Financial Intelligence Unit

Winner: Best Vendor Solution for Sanctions and PEPs data



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Nikki Landes
Managing Director of KYC Operations

Winner: Best Data Solution for KYC



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Brian Kurkjian
Senior Product Manager

Winner: Best Transaction Cost Analysis Solution for Best Execution



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<https://eflowglobal.com/>



Ben Parker
CEO & Founder

Winner: Best Risk Calculation Engine for Regulatory Compliance



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Chris Puype
CEO & Founder

Winner: Best Vendor Solution for Managing Operational Risk

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Dana Rakovsky
Chief Research Officer & Co-Founder

Winner: Best Reporting Solution for CFTC Reporting

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John Kim
Head of Business
Development, North America

Winner: Most Innovative Technology for Regulatory Compliance



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John Dalton
SVP Financial Services

Winner: Best Sell-Side Regulatory Data Solution



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Arthur Kleyneman
Senior Director

Winner: Best Vendor Solution for Managing Conduct Risk



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Brian Fahey
CEO

Winner: Best Data Privacy Solution



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OneTrust.com and [LinkedIn](https://www.linkedin.com/company/onetrust)



Blake Brannon
Chief Strategy Officer

Winner: Best Regulatory Alert Management Solution



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Nadine Edmondson
Director of Product and Marketing Operations

Winner: Best Data Solution for FRTB



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www.refinitiv.com/en/fundamental-review-of-the-trading-book



Mark Gonzalez
Head of Enterprise Sales – Americas, Data & Analytics

Winner: Best Regulatory Compliance Solution for LIBOR



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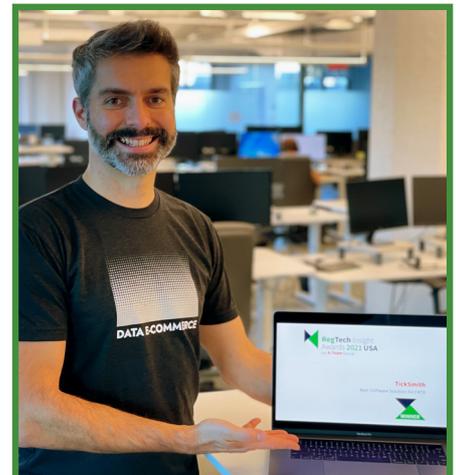
Winner: Best Software Solution for FRTB



TickSmith

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David Cote
COO & Co-founder

Winner: Best Regulatory Reporting Solution



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www.wolterskluwer.com/en/solutions/onesumx-for-finance-risk-and-regulatory-reporting



Natascha Eastes
Director, Product
Management Regulatory
Reporting Americas

Winner: Best Buy-Side Regulatory Data Solution

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Brad Foster
Head of Enterprise Data
Content

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