

Will Danoff

Portfolio Manager

Fidelity Investments

Will Danoff joined Fidelity as an equity research analyst in 1986, after graduating from the Wharton School of the University of Pennsylvania. He covered the retail industry and managed Fidelity Select Retailing Portfolio from 1986 to 1989.

Mr. Danoff served as the portfolio assistant for Magellan Fund in 1989 and 1990, before being asked to manage Fidelity Contrafund in September 1990. Until April 11, 2025, the fund was the largest solely managed active equity mutual fund in the world. At that time, Jason Weiner and Asher Anolic joined Mr. Danoff on the portfolio management team. Contrafund strategies¹ have more than \$276 billion in assets.

Mr. Danoff started Fidelity Advisor New Insights Fund in 2003, which has grown to \$24 billion. He currently co-manages the fund with Matthew Drukker and Nidhi Gupta. He started Fidelity Series Opportunistic Insights Fund in 2012, which has grown to \$13 billion.

In addition, Mr. Danoff resumed management of the \$28 billion Fidelity VIP Contrafund in May 2018, a portfolio he launched in 1995 before handing off to colleagues in 2007. He co-manages that fund with Matthew Drukker and Nidhi Gupta.

Mr. Danoff also manages Fidelity Insights Class,² available to investors in Canada; Fidelity U.S. Equity,³ available to investors in Japan; and co-manages Fidelity Global Growth & Value Class,² available to investors in Canada, with the Low-Priced Stock Fund investment team. These strategies were launched in January 2017, May 2018, and June 2018, respectively, and have grown to over \$17 billion in aggregate.

All data related to assets managed as of November 2025 unless otherwise noted.

1. Contrafund strategies include Fidelity Contrafund, Fidelity Contrafund K6, and the Fidelity Contrafund Commingled Pool.

2. Only available to Canadian investors.

3. Only available to Japanese investors.

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