

BrokerCheck Report

Don M Dumas

CRD# 1458645

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About BrokerCheck®



BrokerCheck offers information on all current, and many former, registered securities brokers, and all current and former registered securities firms. FINRA strongly encourages investors to use BrokerCheck to check the background of securities brokers and brokerage firms before deciding to conduct, or continue to conduct, business with them.

What is included in a BrokerCheck report?

- BrokerCheck reports for individual brokers include information such as employment history, professional
 qualifications, disciplinary actions, criminal convictions, civil judgments and arbitration awards. BrokerCheck
 reports for brokerage firms include information on a firm's profile, history, and operations, as well as many of the
 same disclosure events mentioned above.
- Please note that the information contained in a BrokerCheck report may include pending actions or allegations that may be contested, unresolved or unproven. In the end, these actions or allegations may be resolved in favor of the broker or brokerage firm, or concluded through a negotiated settlement with no admission or finding of wrongdoing.
- Where did this information come from?
- The information contained in BrokerCheck comes from FINRA's Central Registration Depository, or CRD® and is a combination of:
 - o information FINRA and/or the Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) require brokers and brokerage firms to submit as part of the registration and licensing process, and
 - o information that regulators report regarding disciplinary actions or allegations against firms or brokers.
- How current is this information?
- Generally, active brokerage firms and brokers are required to update their professional and disciplinary information in CRD within 30 days. Under most circumstances, information reported by brokerage firms, brokers and regulators is available in BrokerCheck the next business day.
- What if I want to check the background of an investment adviser firm or investment adviser representative?
- To check the background of an investment adviser firm or representative, you can search for the firm or individual in BrokerCheck. If your search is successful, click on the link provided to view the available licensing and registration information in the SEC's Investment Adviser Public Disclosure (IAPD) website at https://www.adviserinfo.sec.gov. In the alternative, you may search the IAPD website directly or contact your state securities regulator at http://www.finra.org/Investors/ToolsCalculators/BrokerCheck/P455414.
- Are there other resources I can use to check the background of investment professionals?
- FINRA recommends that you learn as much as possible about an investment professional before deciding
 to work with them. Your state securities regulator can help you research brokers and investment adviser
 representatives doing business in your state.

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www.finra.org/brokercheck User Guidance

Don M. Dumas

CRD# 1458645

Currently employed by and registered with the following Firm(s):

TCFG INVESTMENT ADVISORS, LLC

926 Willard Drive Suite 220 Green Bay, WI 54304 CRD# 166606

Registered with this firm since: 06/05/2020

B TCFG WEALTH MANAGEMENT, LLC 926 Willard Dr.

Suite 220 Green Bay, WI 54304 CRD# 164153

Registered with this firm since: 06/05/2020

Report Summary for this Broker



This report summary provides an overview of the broker's professional background and conduct. Additional information can be found in the detailed report.

Broker Qualifications

This broker is registered with:

- 1 Self-Regulatory Organization
- 4 U.S. states and territories

This broker has passed:

- 0 Principal/Supervisory Exams
- 3 General Industry/Product Exams
- 3 State Securities Law Exams

Registration History

This broker was previously registered with the following securities firm(s):

- CLIENT ONE SECURITIES LLC CRD# 152974 OVERLAND PARK, KS 08/2013 - 06/2020
- B CLIENT ONE SECURITIES LLC CRD# 152974 GREEN BAY, WI 05/2013 - 06/2020
- B ING FINANCIAL PARTNERS, INC. CRD# 2882 GREEN BAY, WI 05/2007 - 05/2013

Disclosure Events

All individuals registered to sell securities or provide investment advice are required to disclose customer complaints and arbitrations, regulatory actions, employment terminations, bankruptcy filings, and criminal or civil judicial proceedings.

Are there events disclosed about this broker? Yes

The following types of disclosures have been reported:

Туре	Count	
Regulatory Event	1	
Customer Dispute	2	

Broker Qualifications



Registrations

This section provides the self-regulatory organizations (SROs) and U.S. states/territories the broker is currently registered and licensed with, the category of each license, and the date on which it became effective. This section also provides, for every brokerage firm with which the broker is currently employed, the address of each branch where the broker works.

This individual is currently registered with 1 SRO and is licensed in 4 U.S. states and territories through his or her employer.

Employment 1 of 2

Firm Name: TCFG INVESTMENT ADVISORS, LLC

Main Office Address: 28202 CABOT RD

SUITE 300

LAGUNA NIGUEL, CA 92677

Firm CRD#: **166606**

	U.S. State/ Territory	Category	Status	Date
IA	California	Investment Adviser Representative	Approved	06/08/2020
IA	Texas	Investment Adviser Representative	Restricted Approval	03/27/2023
IA	Wisconsin	Investment Adviser Representative	Approved	06/05/2020

Branch Office Locations

28202 CABOT RD SUITE 300 LAGUNA NIGUEL, CA 92677

926 Willard Drive Suite 220 Green Bay, WI 54304

Employment 2 of 2

Firm Name: TCFG WEALTH MANAGEMENT, LLC
Main Office Address: 28202 CABOT ROAD, SUITE 305

LAGUNA NIGUEL, CA 92677

Firm CRD#: **164153**

Broker Qualifications



Employment	2	of 2,	continued
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	SRO	Category	Status	Date
B	FINRA	General Securities Representative	Approved	06/05/2020
B	FINRA	Invest. Co and Variable Contracts	Approved	06/05/2020
	U.S. State/ Territory	Category	Status	Date
B	California	Agent	Approved	06/05/2020
В	South Carolina	Agent	Approved	10/25/2022
B	Texas	Agent	Approved	03/24/2023
В	Wisconsin	Agent	Approved	06/05/2020

Branch Office Locations

TCFG WEALTH MANAGEMENT, LLC

926 Willard Dr. Suite 220

Green Bay, WI 54304

Broker Qualifications



Industry Exams this Broker has Passed

This section includes all securities industry exams that the broker has passed. Under limited circumstances, a broker may attain a registration after receiving an exam waiver based on exams the broker has passed and/or qualifying work experience. Any exam waivers that the broker has received are not included below. A passed exam or exam waiver does not permit a broker to do business without an active SRO or state registration.

This individual has passed 0 principal/supervisory exams, 3 general industry/product exams, and 3 state securities law exams.

Principal/Supervisory Exams

Exam	Category	Date
No information re	ted.	

General Industry/Product Exams

B Securities Industry Essentials Examination SIE 10/01/20	egory Date
	10/01/2018
B General Securities Representative Examination Series 7 03/09/199	es 7 03/09/1999
Investment Company Products/Variable Contracts Representative Series 6 01/30/198 Examination	es 6 01/30/1986

State Securities Law Exams

Exam		Category	Date
BIA	Uniform Combined State Law Examination	Series 66	08/01/2013
IA	Uniform Investment Adviser Law Examination	Series 65	09/09/1998
В	Uniform Securities Agent State Law Examination	Series 63	01/25/1986

Additional information about the above exams or other exams FINRA administers to brokers and other securities professionals can be found at www.finra.org/brokerqualifications/registeredrep/.

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Broker Qualifications



Professional Designations

This section details that the representative has reported **0** professional designation(s).

No information reported.

Registration and Employment History



Registration History

The broker previously was registered with the following firms:

Reg	istration Dates	Firm Name	CRD#	Branch Location
IA	08/2013 - 06/2020	CLIENT ONE SECURITIES LLC	152974	GREEN BAY, WI
B	05/2013 - 06/2020	CLIENT ONE SECURITIES LLC	152974	GREEN BAY, WI
B	05/2007 - 05/2013	ING FINANCIAL PARTNERS, INC.	2882	GREEN BAY, WI
IA	05/2000 - 07/2009	ING FINANCIAL PARTNERS, INC	2882	GREEN BAY, WI
B	05/2005 - 04/2007	HARBOUR INVESTMENTS, INC.	19258	DEPERE, WI
IA	02/2004 - 05/2005	MONY SECURITIES CORPORATION	4386	CITRUS HEIGHT, CA
B	06/2003 - 05/2005	MONY SECURITIES CORPORATION	4386	NEW YORK, NY
B	03/2002 - 06/2003	EDWARD JONES	250	ST. LOUIS, MO
В	03/2001 - 03/2002	BANC OF AMERICA INVESTMENT SERVICES, INC.	16361	BOSTON, MA
B	05/1998 - 02/2001	LIBERTY SECURITIES CORPORATION	14416	PURCHASE, NY
B	12/1997 - 05/1998	TITAN/VALUE EQUITIES GROUP, INC.	6359	IRVINE, CA
B	06/1997 - 12/1997	SII INVESTMENTS, INC.	2225	APPLETON, WI
B	04/1995 - 06/1997	MAIN STREET MANAGEMENT COMPANY	547	BOSTON, MA
B	06/1993 - 04/1995	CAPITAL ANALYSTS, INCORPORATED	5478	CINCINNATI, OH
B	08/1992 - 05/1993	PRUCO SECURITIES CORPORATION	5685	NEWARK, NJ
B	05/1991 - 08/1992	SHAREMASTER	24019	HEMET, CA
B	07/1990 - 02/1991	FIRST AFFILIATED SECURITIES, INC.	23737	LA JOLLA, CA
B	04/1990 - 04/1990	WALNUT STREET SECURITIES, INC.	15840	EL SEGUNDO, CA
B	07/1988 - 01/1990	WALNUT STREET SECURITIES, INC.	15840	EL SEGUNDO, CA
B	02/1986 - 07/1988	MUTUAL OF OMAHA FUND MANAGEMENT COMPANY	611	

Employment History

Registration and Employment History



Employment History, continued

This section provides up to 10 years of an individual broker's employment history as reported by the individual broker on the most recently filed Form U4.

Please note that the broker is required to provide this information only while registered with FINRA or a national securities exchange and the information is not updated via Form U4 after the broker ceases to be registered. Therefore, an employment end date of "Present" may not reflect the broker's current employment status.

Employment	Employer Name	Position	Investment Related	Employer Location
06/2020 - Present	TCFG Insurance Solutions, LLC	Agent	N	Laguna Niguel, CA, United States
06/2020 - Present	TCFG Investment Advisors, LLC	Investment Advisor Representative	Υ	Laguna Niguel, CA, United States
06/2020 - Present	TCFG Wealth Management, LLC	Registered Representative	Υ	Laguna Niguel, CA, United States
05/2013 - 06/2020	CLIENT ONE SECURITIES, LLC	REGISTERED REPRESENTATIVE	Υ	GREEN BAY, WI, United States

Other Business Activities

This section includes information, if any, as provided by the broker regarding other business activities the broker is currently engaged in either as a proprietor, partner, officer, director, employee, trustee, agent or otherwise. This section does not include non-investment related activity that is exclusively charitable, civic, religious or fraternal and is recognized as tax exempt.

Officiate sporting events for youth and various high schools | 2008 | Not securities related | Appr 12 hours/per game | Licensed to follow/administer the rules of various sporting events |

Don Dumas, NO | 4/1/2012 | Umpire | 3040 Allied St Green Bay, WI 54304 | Umpire softball games for both WIAA and Local Leagues/Tournaments |

TCFG Investment Advisors, LLC | IAR | Laguna Niguel, CA 92677 | Investment Advisory Firm |

TCFG Insurance Solutions, LLC | Agent | Laguna Niguel, CA 92677 | Insurance Agency |

Disclosure Events



What you should know about reported disclosure events:

1. All individuals registered to sell securities or provide investment advice are required to disclose customer complaints and arbitrations, regulatory actions, employment terminations, bankruptcy filings, and criminal or civil judicial proceedings.

2. Certain thresholds must be met before an event is reported to CRD, for example:

- o A law enforcement agency must file formal charges before a broker is required to disclose a particular criminal event.
- A customer dispute must involve allegations that a broker engaged in activity that violates certain rules or conduct governing the industry and that the activity resulted in damages of at least \$5,000.

3. Disclosure events in BrokerCheck reports come from different sources:

 As mentioned at the beginning of this report, information contained in BrokerCheck comes from brokers, brokerage firms and regulators. When more than one of these sources reports information for the same disclosure event, all versions of the event will appear in the BrokerCheck report. The different versions will be separated by a solid line with the reporting source labeled.

4. There are different statuses and dispositions for disclosure events:

- o A disclosure event may have a status of pending, on appeal, or final.
 - A "pending" event involves allegations that have not been proven or formally adjudicated.
 - An event that is "on appeal" involves allegations that have been adjudicated but are currently being appealed.
 - A "final" event has been concluded and its resolution is not subject to change.
- o A final event generally has a disposition of adjudicated, settled or otherwise resolved.
 - An "adjudicated" matter includes a disposition by (1) a court of law in a criminal or civil matter, or (2) an administrative panel in an action brought by a regulator that is contested by the party charged with some alleged wrongdoing.
 - A "settled" matter generally involves an agreement by the parties to resolve the matter. Please note that brokers and brokerage firms may choose to settle customer disputes or regulatory matters for business or other reasons.
 - A "resolved" matter usually involves no payment to the customer and no finding of wrongdoing on the part of the individual broker. Such matters generally involve customer disputes.

For your convenience, below is a matrix of the number and status of disclosure events involving this broker. Further information regarding these events can be found in the subsequent pages of this report. You also may wish to contact the broker to obtain further information regarding these events.

	Pending	Final	On Appeal
Regulatory Event	0	1	0
Customer Dispute	0	2	N/A



Disclosure Event Details

When evaluating this information, please keep in mind that a discloure event may be pending or involve allegations that are contested and have not been resolved or proven. The matter may, in the end, be withdrawn, dismissed, resolved in favor of the broker, or concluded through a negotiated settlement for certain business reasons (e.g., to maintain customer relationships or to limit the litigation costs associated with disputing the allegations) with no admission or finding of wrongdoing.

This report provides the information exactly as it was reported to CRD and therefore some of the specific data fields contained in the report may be blank if the information was not provided to CRD.

Regulatory - Final

This type of disclosure event may involve (1) a final, formal proceeding initiated by a regulatory authority (e.g., a state securities agency, self-regulatory organization, federal regulatory such as the Securities and Exchange Commission, foreign financial regulatory body) for a violation of investment-related rules or regulations; or (2) a revocation or suspension of a broker's authority to act as an attorney, accountant, or federal contractor.

Disclosure 1 of 1

Reporting Source: Regulator

Regulatory Action Initiated

By:

WISCONSIN

Sanction(s) Sought: Revocation

Date Initiated: 07/29/2009

Docket/Case Number: NONE

URL for Regulatory Action:

Employing firm when activity occurred which led to the regulatory action:

ING FINANCIAL PARTNERS INC

Product Type: No Product

Allegations: DELINQUENT FOR WI STATE TAXES

Current Status: Final

Resolution: NOTICE OF REVOCATION

deceptive conduct?



Does the order constitute a final order based on violations of any laws or regulations that prohibit fraudulent, manipulative, or

No

Resolution Date: 07/29/2009 Sanctions Ordered: Revocation

Regulator Statement WISCONSIN DEPT OF REVENUE CERTIFIED DUMAS AS DELINQUENT FOR

STATE TAXES. STATUTE REQUIRES REVOCATION AFTER 30 DAYS NOTICE.

NOTICE ISSUED JUNE 24, 2009. DUMAS FAILED TO RESOLVE HIS

DELINQUENCY BY THE DUE DATE OF 7/24/09. THIS IS NOT A DISCIPLINARY EVENT FOR VIOLATIONS OF ANY SECURITIES LAW. AGENT MAY REAPPLY

AFTER RESOLUTION OF TAX DELINQUENCY.

WI DEPT OF REVENUE ISSUED OCCUPATIONAL LICENSE CLEARANCE

CERTIFICATE DTD 7/30/09 WHICH REFLECTS AGENT HAS MADE SATISFACTORY ARRANGEMENTS WITH THE DEPT CONCERNING HIS

DELINQUENT TAX ACCOUNT.

WISCONSIN DIVISION OF SECURITIES

Reporting Source: Broker

Regulatory Action Initiated

Sanction(s) Sought:

Date Initiated:

By:

Revocation 07/29/2009

Docket/Case Number:

NONE

Employing firm when activity occurred which led to the

regulatory action:

ING FINANCIAL PARTNERS, INC.

Product Type: No Product

Allegations: DELINQUENT FOR WISCONSIN STATE TAXES.

Current Status: Final

Resolution: NOTICE OF REVOCATION www.finra.org/brokercheck



Does the order constitute a final order based on violations of any laws or regulations that prohibit fraudulent, manipulative, or deceptive conduct?

No

Revocation

Resolution Date: 07/29/2009 **Sanctions Ordered:**

Broker Statement WISCONSIN DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE ISSUED OCCUPATIONAL LICENCE

CLEARANCE CERTIFICATED DATED 07/30/2009 WHICH REFLECTS

REPRESENTATIVE HAS NOW MADE SATISFACTORY ARRANGEMENTS WITH

THE DEPARTMENT CONCERNING HIS DELINQUENT TAX ACCOUNT.



Customer Dispute - Settled

This type of disclosure event involves (1) a consumer-initiated, investment-related arbitration or civil suit containing allegations of sales practice violations against the individual broker that was dismissed, withdrawn, or denied; or (2) a consumer-initiated, investment-related written complaint

Disclosure 1 of 1

Broker **Reporting Source:**

Employing firm when activities occurred which led

to the complaint:

Allegations:

CLIENTS ALLEGE THAT TOO LARGE OF A PORTION OF THEIR ASSETS WERE INVESTED INTO UNSUITABLE AND ILLIQUID INVESTMENTS. AND THEY WERE NOT PROVIDED WITH FULL DISCLOSURE REGARDING THE

ILLIQUIDITY OF THE INVESTMENT.

ING FINANCIAL PARTNERS, INC.

Product Type: Real Estate Security

Alleged Damages: \$189,620.00

Alleged Damages Amount Explanation (if amount not

exact):

CLIENTS ALLEGE THEIR \$285,000 INVESTMENT IS DOWN TO \$95,380 BUT GIVEN THE CURRENT VALUE OF THEIR INVESTMENTS ARE ILLIQUID, THEY CONSIDER IT A TOTAL LOSS.

Is this an oral complaint? No Is this a written complaint? Yes

Is this an arbitration/CFTC reparation or civil litigation? No

Customer Complaint Information

Date Complaint Received: 11/28/2012

Complaint Pending? No

Status: Settled

Status Date: 04/05/2013

Settlement Amount: \$170,000,00 **Individual Contribution**

Amount:

\$10,000.00

WITHOUT ADMITTING ANY WRONGDOING OR LIABILITY, THE FIRM AND THE **Broker Statement**

> REPRESENTATIVE ENTERED INTO A SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT WITH THE CLIENT FOR \$170,000 IN EXCHANGE FOR A RELEASE OF ALL CLAIMS. THIS WAS DONE SOLELY FOR BUSINESS PURPOSES TO AVOID A COSTLY AND

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LENGTHY LEGAL PROCEEDING.



Customer Dispute - Closed-No Action / Withdrawn / Dismissed / Denied

This type of disclosure event involves (1) a consumer-initiated, investment-related arbitration or civil suit containing allegations of sales practice violations against the individual broker that was dismissed, withdrawn, or denied; or (2) a consumer-initiated, investment-related written complaint containing allegations that the broker engaged in sales practice violations resulting in compensatory damages of at least \$5,000, forgery, theft, or misappropriation, or conversion of funds or securities, which was closed without action, withdrawn, or denied.

Disclosure 1 of 1

Reporting Source: Broker

Employing firm when activities occurred which led

to the complaint:

Allegations:

CUSTOMER EXPRESSED CONCERN WITH THE REPRESENTATIVE PLACING

A LARGE AMOUNT OF HER PORTFOLIO IN A REAL ESTATE INVESTMENT TRUST AND VARIABLE ANNUITY IN OCTOBER 2008 AND MARCH 2009,

RESPECTIVELY.

ING FINANCIAL PARTNERS, INC.

Product Type: Annuity-Variable

Real Estate Security

Alleged Damages: \$40,000.00

Is this an oral complaint? No

Is this a written complaint?

Is this an arbitration/CFTC

reparation or civil litigation?

No

Yes

Customer Complaint Information

Date Complaint Received: 04/25/2012

Complaint Pending? No

Status: Denied

Status Date: 05/21/2012

Settlement Amount:

Individual Contribution

Amount:

Broker Statement THE CUSTOMER'S ALLEGATIONS WERE INVESTIGATED BY THE FIRM AND

FOUND TO BE WITHOUT MERIT.

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