

BrokerCheck Report

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CRD# 2211620

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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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User Guidance

Jeffrey W. Fitz

CRD# 2211620

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

B RAYMOND JAMES FINANCIAL SERVICES, INC.

127 Woodside Avenue Suite 203 Briarcliff Manor, NY 10510 CRD# 6694

Registered with this firm since: 03/12/2021

A RAYMOND JAMES FINANCIAL SERVICES ADVISORS, INC

127 Woodside Avenue Suite 203 Briarcliff Manor, NY 10510 CRD# 149018

Registered with this firm since: 03/23/2021

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
- 14 U.S. states and territories

This broker has passed:

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

Registration History

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

B MERRILL LYNCH, PIERCE, FENNER & SMITH INCORPORATED

CRD# 7691 SHORT HILLS, NJ 09/2013 - 03/2021

MERRILL LYNCH, PIERCE, FENNER & SMITH INCORPORATED

CRD# 7691 NEW YORK, NY 09/2013 - 03/2021

MELLS FARGO ADVISORS, LLC

CRD# 19616 ST. LOUIS, MO 01/2009 - 09/2013

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:

Type Count 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 14 U.S. states and territories through his or her employer.

Employment 1 of 2

Firm Name: RAYMOND JAMES FINANCIAL SERVICES ADVISORS, INC

Main Office Address: 880 CARILLON PARKWAY

SAINT PETERSBURG, FL 33716

Firm CRD#: **149018**

	U.S. State/ Territory	Category	Status	Date
IA	Florida	Investment Adviser Representative	Approved	06/30/2023
IA	New York	Investment Adviser Representative	Approved	03/23/2021

Branch Office Locations

This individual does not have any registered Branch Office where the individual is located.

Employment 2 of 2

Firm Name: RAYMOND JAMES FINANCIAL SERVICES, INC.

Main Office Address: 880 CARILLON PARKWAY

ST. PETERSBURG, FL 33716

Firm CRD#: **6694**

	SRO	Category	Status	Date
B	FINRA	General Securities Representative	Approved	03/12/2021
	U.S. State/ Territory	Category	Status	Date
B	Arizona	Agent	Approved	03/12/2021
В	California	Agent	Approved	03/12/2021

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	U.S. State/ Territory	Category	Status	Date
B	Connecticut	Agent	Approved	03/12/2021
B	Delaware	Agent	Approved	03/12/2021
B	Florida	Agent	Approved	03/12/2021
B	Maryland	Agent	Approved	03/15/2024
B	Massachusetts	Agent	Approved	05/04/2021
B	Michigan	Agent	Approved	03/12/2021
B	New Jersey	Agent	Approved	03/12/2021
B	New York	Agent	Approved	03/12/2021
B	North Carolina	Agent	Approved	03/12/2021
B	Pennsylvania	Agent	Approved	04/05/2021
B	South Carolina	Agent	Approved	03/12/2021
B	Virginia	Agent	Approved	04/26/2022

Branch Office Locations

RAYMOND JAMES FINANCIAL SERVICES, INC.

127 Woodside Avenue Suite 203 Briarcliff Manor, NY 10510

RAYMOND JAMES FINANCIAL SERVICES, INC.

5109 Artesa Way W

Palm Beach Gardens, FL 33418

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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.

This individual has passed 0 principal/supervisory exams, 3 general industry/product exams, and 2 state securities law exams.

Principal/Supervisory Exams

Exam	Category	Date
No information reported.		

General Industry/Product Exams

Exam		Category	Date
B	Securities Industry Essentials Examination	SIE	10/01/2018
B	National Commodity Futures Examination	Series 3	05/16/2000
В	General Securities Representative Examination	Series 7	08/19/1992

State Securities Law Exams

Exam		Category	Date
IA	Uniform Investment Adviser Law Examination	Series 65	03/07/1997
B	Uniform Securities Agent State Law Examination	Series 63	08/27/1992

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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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
B	09/2013 - 03/2021	MERRILL LYNCH, PIERCE, FENNER & SMITH INCORPORATED	7691	SHORT HILLS, NJ
IA	09/2013 - 03/2021	MERRILL LYNCH, PIERCE, FENNER & SMITH INCORPORATED	7691	SHORT HILLS, NJ
IA	01/2009 - 09/2013	WELLS FARGO ADVISORS, LLC	19616	WHITE PLAINS, NY
B	11/2008 - 09/2013	WELLS FARGO ADVISORS, LLC	19616	WHITE PLAINS, NY
B	10/1997 - 11/2008	CITIGROUP GLOBAL MARKETS INC.	7059	MOUNT KISCO, NY
IA	05/1998 - 04/2004	CITIGROUP GLOBAL MARKETS INC.	7059	MOUNT KISCO, NY
B	11/1994 - 09/1997	PRUDENTIAL SECURITIES INCORPORATED	7471	NEW YORK, NY
B	08/1994 - 11/1994	WESTFIELD FINANCIAL CORPORATION	8143	NEW YORK, NY
B	08/1992 - 09/1994	HIBBARD BROWN & CO., INC.	18246	NEW YORK, NY

Employment History

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
03/2021 - Present	Boston Harbor Wealth Advisors	Associate/Employee	N	Pound Ridge, NY, United States
03/2021 - Present	Raymond James Financial Services Advisors, Inc.	Investment Advisor Representative	Υ	Briarcliff Manor, NY, United States
03/2021 - Present	Raymond James Financial Services, Inc.	Registered Representative	Υ	Briarcliff Manor, NY, United States
03/2020 - Present	Fitz Wealth Management	Associate/Employee	N	Pound Ridge, NY, United States

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Employment History, continued

Employment	Employer Name	Position	Investment Related	Employer Location
10/2013 - 03/2021	BANK OF AMERICA, N.A.	AVP; FINANCIAL ADVISOR	Υ	SHORT HILLS, NJ, United States
09/2013 - 03/2021	MERRILL LYNCH, PIERCE, FENNER & SMITH INC.	AVP; FINANCIAL ADVISOR	Υ	SHORT HILLS, NJ, 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.

- (1)Name of Business: Boston Harbor Wealth Advisors Address: 26 tatomuck rd, pound ridge, NY, 10576, United States Activity Type: Support Company Non Owner Position/Title: Associate/Employee Investment Related: No Start Date: 03/12/2021 Hours per month devoted to this business: 81+ Hours per month devoted to this business during trading hours: 81+ Description of duties: financial advisor
- (2)Name of Business: Fitz Wealth Management Address: 26 tatomuck rd, pound ridge, NY, 10576, United States Activity Type: Support Company Owner Position/Title: Associate/Employee Investment Related: No Start Date: 03/13/2020 Hours per month devoted to this business: 81+ Hours per month devoted to this business during trading hours: 81+ Description of duties: regular work responsibilities\nthis is the name of my company

under the RJ name

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
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.

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 2

Reporting Source: Broker

Employing firm when activities occurred which led

to the complaint:

Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith Incorporated

Allegations: The customer alleges misrepresentations regarding returns and conducting

outside business activity from 2017 until 2020.

Product Type: Other: Non-Broker-Dealer Affiliate Product

Alleged Damages: \$0.00

Alleged Damages Amount Explanation (if amount not exact):

Damages are not specified.

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: 06/05/2020

Complaint Pending? No

Status: Denied



Status Date: 07/20/2020

Settlement Amount:

Individual Contribution

Amount:

Disclosure 2 of 2

Reporting Source: Broker

Employing firm when activities occurred which led

to the complaint:

Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith Incorporated

Allegations: The Customer alleges unsuitable investment recommendations from June 9, 2017

until May 9, 2018.

Product Type: Annuity-Variable

Alleged Damages: \$0.00

Alleged Damages Amount Explanation (if amount not

exact):

damages are unspecified

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: 05/09/2018

Complaint Pending? No

Status: Denied

Status Date: 12/10/2018

Settlement Amount:

Individual Contribution

Amount:

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End of Report



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