

**BrokerCheck Report**  
**COLIN ANDREW MEEKS**  
CRD# 2447136

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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:

- 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
- 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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For additional information about the contents of this report, please refer to the User Guidance or [www.finra.org/brokercheck](http://www.finra.org/brokercheck). It provides a glossary of terms and a list of frequently asked questions, as well as additional resources. For more information about FINRA, visit [www.finra.org](http://www.finra.org).

**COLIN A. MEEKS**

CRD# 2447136

**Currently employed by and registered with the following Firm(s):****IA LPL FINANCIAL LLC**

9621 HARFORD RD, 1ST FLOOR  
BALTIMORE, MD 21234  
CRD# 6413  
Registered with this firm since: 12/18/2012

**B LPL FINANCIAL LLC**

9621 HARFORD RD, 1ST FLOOR  
BALTIMORE, MD 21234  
CRD# 6413  
Registered with this firm since: 12/18/2012

## 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
- 13 U.S. states and territories

**This broker has passed:**

- 2 Principal/Supervisory Exams
- 2 General Industry/Product Exams
- 1 State Securities Law Exam

### 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? **No**

### Registration History

**This broker was previously registered with the following securities firm(s):****IA NATIONAL PLANNING CORPORATION ("NPC OF AMERICA" IN FL & NY)**

CRD# 29604  
LOS ANGELES, CA  
01/2005 - 01/2013

**B NATIONAL PLANNING CORPORATION**

CRD# 29604  
BALTIMORE, MD  
11/2004 - 01/2013

**IA ING FINANCIAL PARTNERS, INC**

CRD# 2882  
WINDSOR, CT  
01/2004 - 12/2004

## 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 13 U.S. states and territories through his or her employer.**

### Employment 1 of 1

Firm Name: **LPL FINANCIAL LLC**

Main Office Address: **1055 LPL WAY  
FORT MILL, SC 29715**

Firm CRD#: **6413**

SRO	Category	Status	Date
<span style="color: blue;">B</span> FINRA	General Securities Principal	Approved	12/18/2012
<span style="color: blue;">B</span> FINRA	General Securities Representative	Approved	12/18/2012
<span style="color: blue;">B</span> FINRA	Municipal Fund	Approved	12/18/2012

U.S. State/ Territory	Category	Status	Date
<span style="color: blue;">B</span> Delaware	Agent	Approved	01/04/2013
<span style="color: blue;">B</span> Florida	Agent	Approved	01/04/2013
<span style="color: blue;">B</span> Georgia	Agent	Approved	01/20/2017
<span style="color: blue;">B</span> Maryland	Agent	Approved	12/18/2012
<span style="color: blue;">IA</span> Maryland	Investment Adviser Representative	Approved	12/18/2012
<span style="color: blue;">B</span> Massachusetts	Agent	Approved	06/18/2019
<span style="color: blue;">B</span> North Carolina	Agent	Approved	02/05/2013
<span style="color: blue;">B</span> Oregon	Agent	Approved	01/08/2019
<span style="color: blue;">B</span> Pennsylvania	Agent	Approved	01/04/2013
<span style="color: blue;">B</span> South Carolina	Agent	Approved	01/20/2021

## Broker Qualifications



### Employment 1 of 1, continued

U.S. State/ Territory	Category	Status	Date
B Texas	Agent	Approved	01/20/2017
B Virginia	Agent	Approved	01/23/2013
B Washington	Agent	Approved	07/09/2015
B West Virginia	Agent	Approved	06/22/2016

### Branch Office Locations

**LPL FINANCIAL LLC**  
9621 HARFORD RD, 1ST FLOOR  
BALTIMORE, MD 21234

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## 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 2 principal/supervisory exams, 2 general industry/product exams, and 1 state securities law exam.**

#### Principal/Supervisory Exams

Exam	Category	Date
Municipal Fund Securities Principal Examination	Series 51	03/07/2006
General Securities Principal Examination	Series 24	12/23/2004

#### General Industry/Product Exams

Exam	Category	Date
Securities Industry Essentials Examination	SIE	10/01/2018
General Securities Representative Examination	Series 7	03/16/1994

#### State Securities Law Exams

Exam	Category	Date
Uniform Securities Agent State Law Examination	Series 63	03/21/1994

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/](http://www.finra.org/brokerqualifications/registeredrep/).

## Broker Qualifications



### Professional Designations

This section details that the representative has reported **1** professional designation(s).

#### Certified Financial Planner

This representative holds or did hold **1** professional designation(s) that may have been used to qualify as an Investment Advisor representative. Please check with the appropriate designation authority for verification that the designation is still in effect. The contact information for these professional designation authorities can be found on the website for the North American Securities Administrators Association at <http://www.nasaa.org>

# Registration and Employment History



## Registration History

The broker previously was registered with the following firms:

Registration Dates	Firm Name	CRD#	Branch Location
IA 01/2005 - 01/2013	NATIONAL PLANNING CORPORATION ("NPC OF AMERICA" IN FL & NY)	29604	BALTIMORE, MD
B 11/2004 - 01/2013	NATIONAL PLANNING CORPORATION	29604	BALTIMORE, MD
IA 01/2004 - 12/2004	ING FINANCIAL PARTNERS, INC	2882	BALTIMORE, MD
B 01/2004 - 12/2004	ING FINANCIAL PARTNERS, INC.	2882	WINDSOR, CT
IA 02/2002 - 01/2004	LOCUST STREET SECURITIES, INC.	1703	BALTIMORE, MD
B 10/1999 - 01/2004	LOCUST STREET SECURITIES, INC.	1703	DES MOINES, IA
B 05/1994 - 09/1999	SIGNATOR INVESTORS, INC.	468	BOSTON, MA
B 05/1994 - 05/1997	JOHN HANCOCK MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY	5181	BOSTON, MA
B 03/1994 - 04/1994	F.N. WOLF & CO., INC.	13051	

## 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
12/2012 - Present	LPL FINANCIAL LLC	REGISTERED REPRESENTATIVE	Y	BALTIMORE, MD, 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. 11/27/2012 - REAL ESTATE RENTAL - SOLE PROPRIETOR - RENTAL PROPERTY - TIME SPENT 5% - BALTIMORE, MD.

## Registration and Employment History



### Other Business Activities, continued

2. 03/17/2014 - FOR ACCOUNTING PURPOSES ONLY - SENIOR RESOURCES - ESTABLISHED IN 1999 AS MY ORIGINAL COMPANY NAME. I NO LONGER USE IT AS A DBA, I STOPPED IN 2006, BUT CONTINUE TO USE IT AS A TAX ENTITY TO FILE MY INCOME TAXES - 1% OF TIME SPENT - BALTIMORE, MD

3. 01/14/2016 - Maryland Financial Advocates - Investment Related - At Reported Business Location(s) - DBA for LPL Business (entity for LPL business) - START 02/01/2016 - 40 Hours Per Month During Securities Trading.

4. 10/8/2020 - No Business Name - Investment Related - At Reported Business Location(s) - Non-Variable Insurance - Started 03/07/2013 - 10 Hours Per Month During Securities Trading.

5. 01/31/2024 - No Business Name - Inv Related - At Reported Business location(s) - Notary - Started: 1/29/2024 - 1 Hr/Mo; 0 Hr During Trading.

6) 04/28/2025 - CHC Premium Vending - Not Investment Related - Business Owner - Location - Home Based - Start Date: 05/01/2025 - 5 Hrs/Mth - 0 Hrs During Trading.

## End of Report



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