

BrokerCheck Report

JASON PATRICK KAVANAUGH

CRD# 2693303

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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. 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.

JASON P. KAVANAUGH

CRD# 2693303

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

- B AMERICAN ALTERNATIVE CAPITAL, LLC**
 3909 Research Park Drive
 Suite 250
 Ann Arbor, MI 48108
 CRD# 309956
 Registered with this firm since: 07/07/2022

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
- 53 U.S. states and territories

This broker has passed:

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

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

- B CONCORDE INVESTMENT SERVICES, LLC**
 CRD# 151604
 ANN ARBOR, MI
 04/2011 - 07/2022
- B EQUITAS AMERICA, LLC**
 CRD# 39806
 FARMINGTON HILLS, MI
 08/2009 - 06/2010
- B QUESTAR CAPITAL CORPORATION**
 CRD# 43100
 ANN ARBOR, MI
 08/1998 - 01/2008

**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 |
|------------------|-------|
| Regulatory Event | 1 |
| Termination | 1 |



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 53 U.S. states and territories through his or her employer.

Employment 1 of 1

Firm Name: **AMERICAN ALTERNATIVE CAPITAL, LLC**

Main Office Address: **3909 RESEARCH PARK DRIVE
SUITE 250
ANN ARBOR, MI 48108**

Firm CRD#: **309956**

| | SRO | Category | Status | Date |
|---|-------|-----------------------------------|----------|------------|
| B | FINRA | General Securities Principal | Approved | 07/07/2022 |
| B | FINRA | General Securities Representative | Approved | 07/07/2022 |
| B | FINRA | Operations Professional | Approved | 07/08/2022 |

| | U.S. State/ Territory | Category | Status | Date |
|---|-----------------------|----------|----------|------------|
| B | Alabama | Agent | Approved | 01/04/2023 |
| B | Alaska | Agent | Approved | 01/03/2023 |
| B | Arizona | Agent | Approved | 01/26/2023 |
| B | Arkansas | Agent | Approved | 01/19/2023 |
| B | California | Agent | Approved | 08/10/2022 |
| B | Colorado | Agent | Approved | 01/04/2023 |
| B | Connecticut | Agent | Approved | 01/03/2023 |
| B | Delaware | Agent | Approved | 01/13/2023 |
| B | District of Columbia | Agent | Approved | 01/10/2023 |
| B | Florida | Agent | Approved | 01/04/2023 |

Broker Qualifications



Employment 1 of 1, continued

| | U.S. State/ Territory | Category | Status | Date |
|---|-----------------------|----------|----------|------------|
| B | Georgia | Agent | Approved | 01/05/2023 |
| B | Hawaii | Agent | Approved | 04/05/2023 |
| B | Idaho | Agent | Approved | 01/05/2023 |
| B | Illinois | Agent | Approved | 01/10/2023 |
| B | Indiana | Agent | Approved | 09/30/2022 |
| B | Iowa | Agent | Approved | 01/05/2023 |
| B | Kansas | Agent | Approved | 01/04/2023 |
| B | Kentucky | Agent | Approved | 01/09/2023 |
| B | Louisiana | Agent | Approved | 01/06/2023 |
| B | Maine | Agent | Approved | 01/04/2023 |
| B | Maryland | Agent | Approved | 01/04/2023 |
| B | Massachusetts | Agent | Approved | 10/11/2022 |
| B | Michigan | Agent | Approved | 08/04/2022 |
| B | Minnesota | Agent | Approved | 01/03/2023 |
| B | Mississippi | Agent | Approved | 01/08/2023 |
| B | Missouri | Agent | Approved | 02/21/2023 |
| B | Montana | Agent | Approved | 01/04/2023 |
| B | Nebraska | Agent | Approved | 01/25/2023 |
| B | Nevada | Agent | Approved | 01/18/2023 |
| B | New Hampshire | Agent | Approved | 01/06/2023 |
| B | New Jersey | Agent | Approved | 01/03/2023 |

Broker Qualifications



Employment 1 of 1, continued

| | U.S. State/ Territory | Category | Status | Date |
|---|-----------------------|----------|----------|------------|
| B | New Mexico | Agent | Approved | 01/04/2023 |
| B | New York | Agent | Approved | 01/03/2023 |
| B | North Carolina | Agent | Approved | 01/05/2023 |
| B | North Dakota | Agent | Approved | 01/09/2023 |
| B | Ohio | Agent | Approved | 01/04/2023 |
| B | Oklahoma | Agent | Approved | 01/17/2023 |
| B | Oregon | Agent | Approved | 01/13/2023 |
| B | Pennsylvania | Agent | Approved | 01/06/2023 |
| B | Puerto Rico | Agent | Approved | 03/26/2024 |
| B | Rhode Island | Agent | Approved | 01/04/2023 |
| B | South Carolina | Agent | Approved | 01/04/2023 |
| B | South Dakota | Agent | Approved | 01/03/2023 |
| B | Tennessee | Agent | Approved | 01/05/2023 |
| B | Texas | Agent | Approved | 01/04/2023 |
| B | Utah | Agent | Approved | 01/04/2023 |
| B | Vermont | Agent | Approved | 01/05/2023 |
| B | Virgin Islands | Agent | Approved | 10/13/2023 |
| B | Virginia | Agent | Approved | 01/03/2023 |
| B | Washington | Agent | Approved | 01/04/2023 |
| B | West Virginia | Agent | Approved | 01/09/2023 |
| B | Wisconsin | Agent | Approved | 01/03/2023 |

Broker Qualifications



Employment 1 of 1, continued

| U.S. State/ Territory | Category | Status | Date |
|-----------------------|----------|----------|------------|
| <div>B</div> Wyoming | Agent | Approved | 01/06/2023 |

Branch Office Locations

AMERICAN ALTERNATIVE CAPITAL, LLC
3909 Research Park Drive
Suite 250
Ann Arbor, MI 48108



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 1 principal/supervisory exam, 3 general industry/product exams, and 2 state securities law exams.

Principal/Supervisory Exams

| Exam | Category | Date |
|---|-----------|------------|
| B General Securities Principal Examination | Series 24 | 07/13/1998 |

General Industry/Product Exams

| Exam | Category | Date |
|--|-------------|------------|
| B Operations Professional Examination | Series 99TO | 01/02/2023 |
| B Securities Industry Essentials Examination | SIE | 10/01/2018 |
| B General Securities Representative Examination | Series 7 | 12/19/1995 |

State Securities Law Exams

| Exam | Category | Date |
|---|-----------|------------|
| IA Uniform Investment Adviser Law Examination | Series 65 | 04/19/1996 |
| B Uniform Securities Agent State Law Examination | Series 63 | 02/05/1996 |

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/.

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:

| Registration Dates | Firm Name | CRD# | Branch Location |
|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------|----------------------|
| B 04/2011 - 07/2022 | CONCORDE INVESTMENT SERVICES, LLC | 151604 | ANN ARBOR, MI |
| B 08/2009 - 06/2010 | EQUITAS AMERICA, LLC | 39806 | FARMINGTON HILLS, MI |
| B 08/1998 - 01/2008 | QUESTAR CAPITAL CORPORATION | 43100 | ANN ARBOR, MI |
| B 12/2005 - 04/2006 | USALLIANZ SECURITIES, INC. | 40875 | MINNEAPOLIS, MN |
| B 04/1998 - 08/1998 | SIGMA FINANCIAL CORPORATION | 14303 | ANN ARBOR, MI |
| B 07/1997 - 03/1998 | SII INVESTMENTS, INC. | 2225 | APPLETON, WI |
| B 10/1996 - 06/1997 | INTERSECURITIES, INC. | 16164 | PHILADELPHIA, PA |
| B 01/1996 - 06/1997 | MARINER FINANCIAL SERVICES, INC. | 8292 | LARGO, FL |

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 |
|-------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------|--------------------|------------------------------|
| 07/2022 - Present | American Alternative Capital, LLC | President & CEO | Y | Ann Arbor, MI, United States |
| 06/2010 - Present | K FAMILY ENTERPRISES, INC. | PRESIDENT | N | ANN ARBOR, MI, United States |
| 08/2010 - 06/2023 | CONCORDE HOLDINGS, LLC | Board Member | Y | TROY, MI, United States |
| 04/2011 - 07/2022 | CONCORDE INVESTMENT SERVICES | PRESIDENT AND CEO | Y | TROY, MI, 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) BankCardFees.com. Non-investment related. 50% Partner. Located in Austin, TX. The company markets merchant processing services offered

Registration and Employment History



Other Business Activities, continued

by Aacadia in order to lower the existing credit card charges that are charged to the business owner. My duties are to refer interested parties to the BestCardFees.com website for a free quote to review current credit card charges in order to determine if there could be a savings for the organization. 1-5 hours/month during trading hours. Start date 11/2022.

2) Solaris Holdings, LLC. Non-investment related. Ann Arbor, MI. Managing Member, I am the sole owner of the LLC. The firm is created to buy developed solar projects and connect them to the electrical grid. 1-5 hours/month during trading hours. Start date 12/2022.

3) Family Office Real Estate Institute: Investment Related. Advisory Board Member. I will provide strategic value and marketing insight in order to help increase membership to the organization via a non-compensated member of the Advisory Board for the organization. Start date 1/2024.

4) Carpe Diem 1, LLC. Non-investment related. Ann Arbor, MI. Managing member of LLC / Consultant. 100% owner of Carpe Diem - a single member LLC that majority owns 75.1% interest in American Alternative Capital, a member of FINRA. The LLC serves as the parent firm of American Alternative Capital. (Previously used as an investing company for Purus, which was terminated as of 12/31/2023.) Consulting services through Carpe Diem are provided to firms in the Financial Services Industry or AI/Metaverse Distribution channels.

5) 313 Equity Partners, LLC. Passive investor into start-up aviation business.

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:**
 - 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.
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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.
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4. **There are different statuses and dispositions for disclosure events:**
 - 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.
 - 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 |
| Termination | N/A | 1 | N/A |



Disclosure Event Details

When evaluating this information, please keep in mind that a disclosure 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

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| Reporting Source: | Regulator |
| Regulatory Action Initiated By: | FINRA |
| Sanction(s) Sought: | |
| Date Initiated: | 02/11/2009 |
| Docket/Case Number: | 2008012199301 |
| Employing firm when activity occurred which led to the regulatory action: | QUESTAR CAPITAL CORPORATION |
| Product Type: | |
| Allegations: | NASD RULES 2110, 3040: KAVANAUGH PURCHASED AN INTEREST IN A PRIVATE OFFERING WITHOUT PROVIDING HIS MEMBER FIRM WITH WRITTEN NOTIFICATION THAT HE INTENDED TO PURCHASE THE INTEREST AND HIS FIRM DID NOT APPROVE, IN WRITING, OF HIS PURCHASE OF THE INTEREST. |
| Current Status: | Final |
| Resolution: | Acceptance, Waiver & Consent(AWC) |



Does the order constitute a final order based on violations of any laws or regulations that prohibit fraudulent, manipulative, or deceptive conduct? No

Resolution Date: 02/11/2009

Sanctions Ordered: Civil and Administrative Penalty(ies)/Fine(s)

Regulator Statement WITHOUT ADMITTING OR DENYING THE FINDINGS, KAVANAUGH CONSENTED TO THE DESCRIBED SANCTION AND TO THE ENTRY OF FINDINGS; THEREFORE HE IS FINED \$10,000. THE FINE SHALL BE DUE AND PAYABLE EITHER IMMEDIATELY UPON REASSOCIATION WITH A MEMBER FIRM OR PRIOR TO ANY APPLICATION OR REQUEST FOR RELIEF FROM ANY STATUTORY DISQUALIFICATION RESULTING FROM THIS OR ANY OTHER EVENT OR PROCEEDING, WHICHEVER IS EARLIER. FINES PAID ON AUGUST 11, 2009.

Reporting Source: Firm

Regulatory Action Initiated By: FINRA

Sanction(s) Sought:

Other Sanction(s) Sought:

Date Initiated: 02/11/2009

Docket/Case Number: 2008012199301

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

Product Type: Other

Other Product Type(s): INTEREST SECURITIES

Allegations: NASD RULES 2110, 3040: REGISTRANT PURCHASED AN INTEREST IN A PRIVATE OFFERING WITHOUT PROVIDING HIS MEMBER FIRM WITH WRITTEN NOTIFICATION THAT HE INTENDED TO PURCHASE THE INTEREST AND HIS FIRM DID NOT APPROVE, IN WRITING, OF HIS PURCHASE OF THE INTEREST.

Current Status: Final



Resolution: Acceptance, Waiver & Consent(AWC)

Resolution Date: 02/11/2009

Sanctions Ordered: Monetary/Fine \$10,000.00

Other Sanctions Ordered:

Sanction Details: WITHOUT ADMITTING OR DENYING THE FINDINGS REGISTRANT CONSENTED TO THE DESCRIBED SANCTION AND TO THE ENTRY OF FINDINGS; THEREFORE HE IS FINED \$10,000.00. THE FINE SHALL BE DUE AND PAYABLE EITHER IMMEDIATELY UPON REASSOCIATION WITH A MEMBER FIRM OR PRIOR TO ANY APPLICATION OR REQUEST FOR RELIEF FROM ANY STATUTORY DISQUALIFICATION RESULTING FROM THIS OR ANY OTHER EVENT OR PROCEEDING, WHICHEVER IS EARLIER.

Reporting Source: Broker

Regulatory Action Initiated By: FINRA

Sanction(s) Sought: Civil and Administrative Penalty(ies)/Fine(s)

Date Initiated: 02/11/2009

Docket/Case Number: 2008012199301

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

Product Type: Other: INTEREST SECURITIES

Allegations: NASD RULES 2110, 3040: REGISTRANT PURCHASED AN INTEREST IN A PRIVATE OFFERING WITHOUT PROVIDING HIS MEMBER FIRM WITH WRITTEN NOTIFICATION THAT HE INTENDED TO PURCHASE THE INTEREST AND HIS FIRM DID NOT APPROVE, IN WRITING, OF HIS PURCHASE OF THE INTEREST.

Current Status: Final

Resolution: Acceptance, Waiver & Consent(AWC)



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|---|---|
| Does the order constitute a final order based on violations of any laws or regulations that prohibit fraudulent, manipulative, or deceptive conduct? | No |
| Resolution Date: | 02/11/2009 |
| Sanctions Ordered: | Civil and Administrative Penalty(ies)/Fine(s) |
| Monetary Sanction 1 of 1 | |
| Monetary Related Sanction: | Civil and Administrative Penalty(ies)/Fine(s) |
| Total Amount: | \$10,000.00 |
| Portion Levied against individual: | \$10,000.00 |
| Payment Plan: | |
| Is Payment Plan Current: | |
| Date Paid by individual: | 08/10/2009 |
| Was any portion of penalty waived? | No |
| Amount Waived: | |



Employment Separation After Allegations

This type of disclosure event involves a situation where the broker voluntarily resigned, was discharged, or was permitted to resign after being accused of (1) violating investment-related statutes, regulations, rules or industry standards of conduct; (2) fraud or the wrongful taking of property; or (3) failure to supervise in connection with investment-related statutes, regulations, rules, or industry standards of conduct.

Disclosure 1 of 1

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|-----------------------------|--|
| Reporting Source: | Firm |
| Employer Name: | QUESTAR CAPITAL CORPORATION |
| Termination Type: | Discharged |
| Termination Date: | 01/22/2008 |
| Allegations: | REGISTRANT FAILED TO DISCLOSE PRIVATE SECURITIES TRANSACTIONS AND OUTSIDE BUSINESS ACTIVITIES IN ACCORDANCE WITH QUESTAR CAPITAL CORPORATION'S PROCEDURES. |
| Product Type: | Other |
| Other Product Types: | PRIVATE SECURITIES TRANSACTIONS |

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|--------------------------|--|
| Reporting Source: | Broker |
| Employer Name: | QUESTAR CAPITAL CORPORATION |
| Termination Type: | Discharged |
| Termination Date: | 01/22/2008 |
| Allegations: | REGISTRANT FAILED TO DISCLOSE PRIVATE SECURITIES TRANSACTIONS AND OUTSIDE BUSINESS ACTIVITIES IN ACCORDANCE WITH QUESTAR CAPITAL CORPORATION'S PROCEDURES. |
| Product Type: | Other: PRIVATE SECURITIES TRANSACTIONS |

End of Report



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