

BrokerCheck Report

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CRD# 3039113

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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.

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CRD# 3039113

Currently employed by and registered with the following Firm(s):**IA EDWARD JONES**

103 US HWY 41 S
INVERNESS, FL 34450
CRD# 250

Registered with this firm since: 03/26/2007

B EDWARD JONES

103 US HWY 41 S
INVERNESS, FL 34450
CRD# 250

Registered with this firm since: 05/15/1998

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:

- 4 Self-Regulatory Organizations
- 36 U.S. states and territories

This broker has passed:

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

Registration History

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

No information reported.

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	3

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 4 SROs and is licensed in 36 U.S. states and territories through his or her employer.

Employment 1 of 1

Firm Name: **EDWARD JONES**

Main Office Address: **12555 MANCHESTER ROAD
ST. LOUIS, MO 63131-3710**

Firm CRD#: **250**

SRO	Category	Status	Date
B FINRA	General Securities Representative	Approved	05/15/1998
B NYSE American LLC	General Securities Representative	Approved	09/13/2011
B Nasdaq Stock Market	General Securities Representative	Approved	07/12/2006
B New York Stock Exchange	General Securities Representative	Approved	07/06/1998

U.S. State/ Territory	Category	Status	Date
B Alabama	Agent	Approved	03/03/2015
B Arizona	Agent	Approved	07/11/2006
B California	Agent	Approved	07/13/1998
B Colorado	Agent	Approved	07/13/1998
B Connecticut	Agent	Approved	11/13/2015
B Delaware	Agent	Approved	03/05/2015
B Florida	Agent	Approved	07/09/1998
IA Florida	Investment Adviser Representative	Approved	03/26/2007
B Georgia	Agent	Approved	09/24/1998

Broker Qualifications



Employment 1 of 1, continued

U.S. State/ Territory	Category	Status	Date
B Hawaii	Agent	Approved	12/02/2021
B Illinois	Agent	Approved	04/17/2012
B Indiana	Agent	Approved	07/15/2014
B Kansas	Agent	Approved	02/28/2023
B Kentucky	Agent	Approved	06/02/2017
B Maine	Agent	Approved	06/01/2004
B Maryland	Agent	Approved	02/22/1999
B Massachusetts	Agent	Approved	12/22/2009
B Michigan	Agent	Approved	02/22/1999
B Minnesota	Agent	Approved	04/08/2015
B Mississippi	Agent	Approved	04/30/2018
B Missouri	Agent	Approved	05/31/2024
B Nevada	Agent	Approved	04/05/2021
B New Hampshire	Agent	Approved	05/20/2004
B New Jersey	Agent	Approved	02/18/1999
B New York	Agent	Approved	02/09/2015
B North Carolina	Agent	Approved	02/07/2011
B Ohio	Agent	Approved	10/31/2003
B Oregon	Agent	Approved	09/30/2020
B Pennsylvania	Agent	Approved	02/10/2003
B South Carolina	Agent	Approved	04/15/2003

Broker Qualifications



Employment 1 of 1, continued

U.S. State/ Territory	Category	Status	Date
B Tennessee	Agent	Approved	03/19/2004
B Texas	Agent	Approved	07/14/1998
IA Texas	Investment Adviser Representative	Restricted Approval	02/14/2019
B Utah	Agent	Approved	11/10/2004
B Virginia	Agent	Approved	02/22/1999
B Washington	Agent	Approved	08/01/2011
B Wisconsin	Agent	Approved	05/17/2004
B Wyoming	Agent	Approved	04/17/2017

Branch Office Locations

EDWARD JONES
 103 US HWY 41 S
 INVERNESS, FL 34450

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

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 General Securities Representative Examination	Series 7	05/11/1998

State Securities Law Exams

Exam	Category	Date
B Uniform Securities Agent State Law Examination	Series 63	05/13/1998

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 **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
No information reported.			

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
03/1998 - Present	EDWARD D. JONES & CO., L.P.	NOT PROVIDED	Y	INVERNESS, FL, 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.

TYPE OF BUSINESS: RENTAL PROPERTY

INVERNESS, FL

START DATE: 11/28/2008

LANDLORD

HOURS PER WEEK: 0

HOURS DURING TRADING: 0

Maintain property***

BOOSTERS

BOARD MEMBER

OCI, Inc.

Colorado Springs, CO

Start date: 9/17/2020

Board Member

Hours per week: 0

Hours during trading: 0

Registration and Employment History



Other Business Activities, continued

Board Member. Serve on Finance Committee to review annual budget and board in general

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.
 - o 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:**
 - o 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:**
 - 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	3	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.

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 3

Reporting Source:	Broker
Employing firm when activities occurred which led to the complaint:	EDWARD JONES
Allegations:	CLIENT CLAIMS HE INVESTED \$180,000 ON THE FA'S RECOMMENDATION AND WAS ASSURED THE MONEY WOULD BE SAFE AND WOULD GROW. CLIENT CLAIMS HIS INVESTMENTS HAVE CONTINUED TO GO DOWN AND HE BELIEVES HE WAS "LIED" TO REGARDING THE SAFETY OF HIS INVESTMENTS. CLAIM EXCEEDS \$5,000
Product Type:	Mutual Fund(s)
Alleged Damages:	\$5,000.00

Customer Complaint Information

Date Complaint Received:	03/25/2008
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Complaint Pending?	No
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Status:	Denied
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Status Date:	04/18/2008
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Settlement Amount:	
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Individual Contribution Amount:	
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**Broker Statement**

FA STATED HE MET WITH CLIENT ON TWO OCCASIONS PRIOR TO THE PURCHASE OF THE MUTUAL FUNDS. DURING THESE MEETINGS FA STATED HE DISCUSSED DETAILS REGARDING THE FUNDS AS WELL AS INVESTMENT TIME HORIZON AVAILABLE FOR THESE FUNDS. ACCORDING TO FA IT WAS DETERMINED CLIENT HAD AT LEAST A 10 YEAR PERIOD TO LEAVE THE FUNDS INVESTED. FA INDICATED HE REVIEWED HYPOTHETICALS WITH CLIENT. HE FURTHER INDICATED HE MADE CLIENT AWARE THERE WAS NO GUARANTEE AS TO PERFORMANCE AS THE FUNDS WERE INVESTED IN STOCKS WHICH WOULD BE SUBJECT TO MARKET FLUCTUATION. PRIOR TO PLACING TRADES OCT. 25, 2007, AGAIN VERIFIED CLIENT HAD A 10 YEAR INVESTMENT TIME HORIZON, UNDERSTOOD PORTFOLIO WOULD RISE & FALL IN VALUE, UNDERSTOOD THERE WAS NO GUARANTEE AS PERFORMANCE AND (AFTER DISCUSSING OTHER OPTIONS) CLIENT PREFERRED TO INVEST IN FUNDS WITH POTENTIAL FOR GROWTH. FA INDICATED HE RECEIVED CALLS FROM CLIENT IN DEC, JAN AND MAR TO DISCUSS PERFORMANCE OF FUNDS AND HE AGAIN REITERATED THE RISK OF MARKET FLUCTUATION AND YOUR LONG-TERM (10 YR) TIME HORIZON. HE FURTHER STATED HE REMINDED YOU OF THE COMMISSION TAKEN ON THE FRONT-END WHICH WAS ALSO IMPACTING THE IMMEDIATE VALUE OF THE FUNDS. FA STATED HE WAS NEVER GIVEN ORDERS TO LIQUIDATE FUNDS UNTIL MARCH 13, 2008. THERE WERE SOME RESIDUAL DIVIDENDS WHICH RESULTED IN TWO ADDITIONAL CHECKS IN AMOUNT OF \$621.26 (ISSUED MARCH 24TH) & \$43.12 (ISSUED MARCH 25TH). BASED ON REVIEW, IT APPEARS FUNDS PURCHASED BASED ON DISCUSSIONS WITH FA & WITH CLIENT'S AUTHORIZATION. FURTHER, APPEARS CLIENT WAS MADE AWARE OF RISKS & NO GUARANTEE AS TO PERFORMANCE WAS MADE. CLIENT WOULD HAVE BEEN PROVIDED WITH TRADE CONFIRMATIONS & PROSPECTUSES AT THE TIME OF PURCHASE. FURTHER, WHILE A 10 YEAR TIME HORIZON WAS ESTABLISHED FOR THESE FUNDS, THE FUNDS WERE LIQUIDATED WITHIN APPROXIMATELY 5 MONTHS AT CLIENT'S DIRECTION. CLAIM DENIED.

Disclosure 2 of 3**Reporting Source:**

Broker

Employing firm when activities occurred which led to the complaint:

EDWARD JONES

Allegations:

THE CLIENTS STATE IN JULY AND AUGUST 2000 THEY ROLLED OVER THEIR EXISTING ANNUITIES HELD AT PAINE WEBBER TO HARTFORD ANNUITITES WITH EDWARD JONES BASED ON LEE'S



RECOMMENDATION. THE CLIENT STATES HE WAS TOLD THAT MARKET EXPOSURE DURING THE TRANSITION WOULD BE INSIGNIFICANT. THE CLIENT STATES THE ANNUITY FUNDS SHOULD BE SPLIT 33/33/33 IN GROWTH, INTERMEDIATE AND FIXED. THE CLIENT STATES ALL THE ANNUITY FUNDS WERE PLACED IN GROWTH. THE CLIENT STATES HIS ANNUITY IS DOWN IN VALUE IN EXCESS OF \$5,000.

Product Type: Annuity(ies) - Variable

Alleged Damages: \$5,000.00

Customer Complaint Information

Date Complaint Received: 07/28/2001

Complaint Pending? No

Status: Denied

Status Date: 08/28/2001

Settlement Amount:

Individual Contribution Amount:

Broker Statement

LEE STATES HE REVIEWED ON SEVERAL OCCASSION THE 33/33/33 SPLIT AT THAT THEY HAD DETERMINED THIS MIX WOULD BE AMONG THE VARIOUS ACCOUNTS THE CLIENT HAD, NOT JUST WITHIN THE ANNUITIES THEY HAD JUST ESTABLISHED. LEE STATES THEY HAD ESTABLISHED THAT THE ANNUITY WOULD BE IN THE GROWTH SECTOR, GROWTH AND INCOME SHOULD BE IN THE CLIENT'S JOINT ACCOUNT AND FIXED INVESTMENTS SHOULD BE IN HIS IRA/401K ACCOUNT. LEE STATES THIS DIVERSIFICATION WAS DISCUSSED ON SEVERAL OCCASSION PRIOR TO THE CLIENT SIGNING THE ACKNOWLEDGEMENT LETTERS FOR THE 1035 EXCHANGES. IT APPEARS LEE FOLLOWED THE CLIENTS INSTRUCTIONS. CLAIM DENIED.

Disclosure 3 of 3

Reporting Source: Broker



Employing firm when activities occurred which led to the complaint:

Allegations:

EDWARD JONES

THE CLIENTS HAVE PURCHASED FOUR 30 YEAR GOVT CMOS IN EACH IRA ACCOUNT. THE CLIENTS STATE THEY WERE NOT AWARE OF THE 30 YEAR MATURITY ON THESE CMOS. THE CLIENTS ALSO STATE THE 30 YEAR CMOS ARE NOT SUITABLE FOR THEIR INVESTMENT NEEDS. THE CLIENTS HAVE TRANSFERRED THEIR ACCOUNTS TO ANOTHER FIRM AND STATE THAT THE CMOS HAVE LOST APPROXIMATELY \$25,000 IN VALUE.

Product Type: Debt - Government

Alleged Damages: \$25,000.00

Customer Complaint Information

Date Complaint Received: 11/09/1999

Complaint Pending? No

Status: Denied

Status Date: 12/01/1999

Settlement Amount:

Individual Contribution Amount:

Broker Statement

THE IR STATES HE DISCUSSED THE LONGER MATURITIES AND THE FACT THAT SINCE THEY WERE BACKED BY MORTGAGES THEY TYPICALLY HAVE A SHORTER AVERAGE LIFE. THE IR ALSO STATES HE DISCLOSED THE ESTATE FEATURE. THE IR STATES HE AGAIN COVERED THESE FEATURES WHEN REVIEWING THE CONFIRM WITH THE CLIENT. IT APPEARS THESE INVESTMENTS WERE IN LINE WITH THE CLIENTS STATED OBJECTIVES.
CLAIM DENIED.

End of Report



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