

# BrokerCheck Report RONALD HUMBERTO LLANO

CRD# 3219411

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#### • 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
  - 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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## **RONALD H. LLANO**

CRD# 3219411

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

#### A RAYMOND JAMES & ASSOCIATES, INC.

600 Brickell Avenue Suites 1875 and 2250 Miami, FL 33131 CRD# 705 Registered with this firm since: 10/11/2021

#### **B** RAYMOND JAMES & ASSOCIATES, INC.

600 Brickell Avenue Suites 1875 and 2250 Miami, FL 33131 CRD# 705 Registered with this firm since: 10/04/2021

## **Report Summary for this Broker**



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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:

- 5 Self-Regulatory Organizations
- 18 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):

 WELLS FARGO CLEARING SERVICES, LLC CRD# 19616 ST. LOUIS, MO 10/2013 - 10/2021
 WELLS FARGO CLEARING SERVICES, LLC CRD# 19616 MIAMI, FL 10/2013 - 10/2021
 UBS FINANCIAL SERVICES INC. CRD# 8174 WEEHAWKEN, NJ 01/2010 - 10/2013

#### **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	
Customer Dispute	1	

## 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 5 SROs and is licensed in 18 U.S. states and territories through his or her employer.

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Firm Name:	<b>RAYMOND JAMES &amp; ASSOCIATES, INC.</b>
Main Office Address:	880 CARILLON PARKWAY ST. PETERSBURG, FL 33716
Firm CRD#:	705

	SRO	Category	Status	Date
В	FINRA	General Securities Representative	Approved	10/04/2021
В	FINRA	Invest. Co and Variable Contracts	Approved	10/04/2021
В	NYSE American LLC	General Securities Representative	Approved	10/04/2021
В	Nasdaq PHLX LLC	General Securities Representative	Approved	10/04/2021
В	Nasdaq Stock Market	General Securities Representative	Approved	10/04/2021
В	New York Stock Exchange	General Securities Representative	Approved	10/04/2021
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	U.S. State/ Territory	Category	Status	Date
B	Arizona	Agent	Approved	07/25/2023
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	Arizona	Agent	Approved	07/25/2023
B	Arizona California	Agent Agent	Approved Approved	07/25/2023 10/25/2021
BB	Arizona California Connecticut	Agent Agent Agent	Approved Approved Approved	07/25/2023 10/25/2021 10/25/2021
B B B	Arizona California Connecticut Delaware	Agent Agent Agent Agent	Approved Approved Approved Approved	07/25/2023 10/25/2021 10/25/2021 10/25/2021







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	U.S. State/ Territory	Category	Status	Date
B	Massachusetts	Agent	Approved	01/18/2022
B	New Jersey	Agent	Approved	10/25/2021
B	New York	Agent	Approved	10/25/2021
B	Ohio	Agent	Approved	10/25/2021
B	Oregon	Agent	Approved	09/12/2023
B	South Dakota	Agent	Approved	10/25/2021
B	Texas	Agent	Approved	10/25/2021
B	Virgin Islands	Agent	Approved	09/12/2023
B	Virginia	Agent	Approved	01/18/2022
B	Washington	Agent	Approved	10/25/2021
B	Wisconsin	Agent	Approved	10/18/2021
В	Wyoming	Agent	Approved	10/25/2021

## **Branch Office Locations**

RAYMOND JAMES & ASSOCIATES, INC. 600 Brickell Avenue Suites 1875 and 2250 Miami, FL 33131



## 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 2 state securities law exams.

## **Principal/Supervisory Exams**

Exam	Category	Date
No information reported.		

## **General Industry/Product Exams**

Exam		Category	Date
B	Investment Company Products/Variable Contracts Representative Examination	Series 6TO	01/02/2023
В	Securities Industry Essentials Examination	SIE	10/01/2018
В	General Securities Representative Examination	Series 7	07/16/1999

## **State Securities Law Exams**

Exam		Category	Date
BIA U	niform Combined State Law Examination	Series 66	11/10/2003
B U	niform Securities Agent State Law Examination	Series 63	08/12/1999

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/.

## **Professional Designations**

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

No information reported.



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## **Registration History**

The broker previously was registered with the following firms:

Reg	istration Dates	Firm Name	CRD#	Branch Location
A	10/2013 - 10/2021	WELLS FARGO CLEARING SERVICES, LLC	19616	MIAMI, FL
В	10/2013 - 10/2021	WELLS FARGO CLEARING SERVICES, LLC	19616	MIAMI, FL
В	01/2010 - 10/2013	UBS FINANCIAL SERVICES INC.	8174	CORAL GABLES, FL
A	01/2010 - 10/2013	UBS FINANCIAL SERVICES INC.	8174	CORAL GABLES, FL
A	07/2007 - 01/2010	UBS INTERNATIONAL INC.	107726	CORAL GABLES, FL
В	07/2007 - 01/2010	UBS INTERNATIONAL INC.	107726	CORAL GABLES, FL
IA	07/2006 - 07/2007	MERRILL LYNCH PIERCE FENNER & SMITH INC.	7691	MIAMI, FL
B	07/2006 - 07/2007	MERRILL LYNCH, PIERCE, FENNER & SMITH INCORPORATED	7691	MIAMI, FL
IA	04/2006 - 06/2006	AMERIVEST INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT, LLC	111514	MIAMI, FL
IA	06/2005 - 06/2006	TD AMERITRADE, INC.	7870	MIAMI, FL
В	06/2005 - 06/2006	TD AMERITRADE, INC.	7870	MIAMI, FL
В	08/2004 - 06/2005	CHASE INVESTMENT SERVICES CORP.	25574	CHICAGO, IL
A	08/2004 - 06/2005	CHASE INVESTMENT SERVICES CORP.	25574	UNION, NJ
lA	11/2003 - 08/2004	MERRILL LYNCH PIERCE FENNER & SMITH INC.	7691	PENNINGTON, NJ
B	06/2002 - 08/2004	MERRILL LYNCH, PIERCE, FENNER & SMITH INCORPORATED	7691	NEW YORK, NY
B	08/1999 - 08/2001	GBI CAPITAL PARTNERS INC.	14623	BETHPAGE, NY

**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
10/2021 - Present	Raymond James & Associates, Inc.	Registered Representative	Y	Miami, FL, United States
11/2016 - 10/2021	WELLS FARGO CLEARING SERVICES, LLC	REGISTERED REP	Y	MIAMI, FL, United States
10/2013 - 11/2016	WELLS FARGO ADVISORS, LLC	REGISTERED REP	Y	MIAMI, 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.

No information reported.





#### 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:

- 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	1	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 - Settled**

This type of disclosure event involves a consumer-initiated, investment-related complaint, arbitration proceeding or civil suit containing allegations of sale practice violations against the broker that resulted in a monetary settlement to the customer.

Disclosure 1 of 1	
Reporting Source:	Firm
Employing firm when activities occurred which led to the complaint:	LADENBURG CAPITAL MANAGEMENT INC.
Allegations:	UNSUITABILITY
Product Type:	Equity - OTC
Alleged Damages:	\$12,000.00
Customer Complaint Infor	mation
Date Complaint Received:	07/30/2001
Complaint Pending?	No
Status:	Settled
Status Date:	09/25/2001
Settlement Amount:	\$5,000.00
Individual Contribution Amount:	\$0.00
Firm Statement	THE MATTER WAS SETTLED IN THE INTEREST OF CUSTOMER RELATIONS FOR \$5000.00
Reporting Source:	Broker



Employing firm when activities occurred which led to the complaint:	LADENBURG CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, INC.
Allegations:	UNSUITABILITY
Product Type:	Equity - OTC
Alleged Damages:	\$12,000.00
Customer Complaint Information	
Date Complaint Received:	07/30/2001
Complaint Pending?	No
Status:	Settled
Status Date:	09/25/2001
Settlement Amount:	\$5,000.00
Individual Contribution Amount:	\$0.00
Broker Statement	THE MATTER WAS SETTLED IN THE INTEREST OF CUSTOMER RELATIONS FOR \$5000.00.



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