

BrokerCheck Report

CHERYL PATRICIA JANIK

CRD# 3222256

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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.

**CHERYL P. JANIK**

CRD# 3222256

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

IA LPL FINANCIAL LLC
 5311 MEADOW LANE CT #4
 SHEFFIELD VILLAGE, OH 44035
 CRD# 6413
 Registered with this firm since: 06/05/2023

B LPL FINANCIAL LLC
 5311 MEADOW LANE CT #4
 SHEFFIELD VILLAGE, OH 44035
 CRD# 6413
 Registered with this firm since: 07/31/2012

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
- 35 U.S. states and territories

This broker has passed:

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

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

- IA SEQUOIA WEALTH MANAGEMENT, LLC**
 CRD# 170543
 BARRINGTON, IL
 10/2019 - 06/2023
- IA ADVANTAGE INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT, LLC**
 CRD# 146236
 CEDAR RAPIDS, IA
 07/2011 - 10/2019
- B NATIONAL PLANNING CORPORATION**
 CRD# 29604
 ELYRIA, OH
 08/2003 - 07/2012

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**



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

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Firm Name: **LPL FINANCIAL LLC**

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

Firm CRD#: **6413**

| | SRO | Category | Status | Date |
|---|-------|-----------------------------------|----------|------------|
| B | FINRA | General Securities Principal | Approved | 07/31/2012 |
| B | FINRA | General Securities Representative | Approved | 07/31/2012 |

| | U.S. State/ Territory | Category | Status | Date |
|---|-----------------------|----------|----------|------------|
| B | Alabama | Agent | Approved | 07/31/2012 |
| B | Alaska | Agent | Approved | 08/22/2014 |
| B | Arizona | Agent | Approved | 07/31/2012 |
| B | Arkansas | Agent | Approved | 07/31/2012 |
| B | California | Agent | Approved | 07/31/2012 |
| B | Colorado | Agent | Approved | 07/31/2012 |
| B | Delaware | Agent | Approved | 07/31/2012 |
| B | Florida | Agent | Approved | 07/31/2012 |
| B | Georgia | Agent | Approved | 07/31/2012 |
| B | Hawaii | Agent | Approved | 07/31/2012 |
| B | Illinois | Agent | Approved | 07/31/2012 |

Broker Qualifications



Employment 1 of 1, continued

| | U.S. State/ Territory | Category | Status | Date |
|----|-----------------------|-----------------------------------|----------|------------|
| B | Indiana | Agent | Approved | 07/31/2012 |
| B | Kentucky | Agent | Approved | 07/31/2012 |
| B | Louisiana | Agent | Approved | 07/22/2013 |
| B | Maryland | Agent | Approved | 12/05/2016 |
| B | Massachusetts | Agent | Approved | 07/31/2012 |
| B | Michigan | Agent | Approved | 07/31/2012 |
| B | Minnesota | Agent | Approved | 07/31/2012 |
| B | Missouri | Agent | Approved | 07/31/2012 |
| B | Nebraska | Agent | Approved | 05/04/2020 |
| B | Nevada | Agent | Approved | 07/31/2012 |
| B | New Hampshire | Agent | Approved | 07/31/2012 |
| B | New Jersey | Agent | Approved | 06/12/2019 |
| B | New Mexico | Agent | Approved | 06/19/2015 |
| B | New York | Agent | Approved | 07/31/2012 |
| B | North Carolina | Agent | Approved | 07/31/2012 |
| B | Ohio | Agent | Approved | 07/31/2012 |
| IA | Ohio | Investment Adviser Representative | Approved | 06/05/2023 |
| B | Oklahoma | Agent | Approved | 03/03/2014 |
| B | Pennsylvania | Agent | Approved | 07/31/2012 |
| B | South Carolina | Agent | Approved | 07/31/2012 |
| B | Texas | Agent | Approved | 07/31/2012 |

Broker Qualifications



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| | U.S. State/ Territory | Category | Status | Date |
|---|-----------------------|----------|----------|------------|
| B | Virginia | Agent | Approved | 07/31/2012 |
| B | Washington | Agent | Approved | 07/31/2012 |
| B | West Virginia | Agent | Approved | 02/14/2019 |
| B | Wisconsin | Agent | Approved | 12/19/2014 |

Branch Office Locations

LPL FINANCIAL LLC

5311 MEADOW LANE CT #4
SHEFFIELD VILLAGE, OH 44035

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

Principal/Supervisory Exams

| Exam | Category | Date |
|---|-----------|------------|
| B General Securities Principal Examination | Series 24 | 11/20/2001 |

General Industry/Product Exams

| Exam | Category | Date |
|--|----------|------------|
| B Securities Industry Essentials Examination | SIE | 10/01/2018 |
| B General Securities Representative Examination | Series 7 | 08/12/1999 |

State Securities Law Exams

| Exam | Category | Date |
|---|-----------|------------|
| B IA Uniform Combined State Law Examination | Series 66 | 09/13/2006 |
| B Uniform Securities Agent State Law Examination | Series 63 | 12/04/2000 |

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 |
|-----------------------------|---|--------|-----------------------|
| IA 10/2019 - 06/2023 | SEQUOIA WEALTH MANAGEMENT, LLC | 170543 | Sheffield Village, OH |
| IA 07/2011 - 10/2019 | ADVANTAGE INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT, LLC | 146236 | SHEFFILED VILLAGE, OH |
| B 08/2003 - 07/2012 | NATIONAL PLANNING CORPORATION | 29604 | ELYRIA, OH |
| IA 10/2006 - 07/2011 | NATIONAL PLANNING CORPORATION ("NPC OF AMERICA" IN FL & NY) | 29604 | ELYRIA, OH |
| B 08/1999 - 08/2003 | WALNUT STREET SECURITIES, INC. | 15840 | EL SEGUNDO, CA |

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 |
|-------------------|--|-----------------------------------|--------------------|--------------------------------------|
| 07/2012 - Present | LPL FINANCIAL LLC | REGISTERED REPRESENTATIVE | Y | SHEFFIELD VILLAGE, OH, United States |
| 10/2019 - 05/2023 | Sequoia Wealth Management, LLC | Investment Advisor Representative | Y | Sheffield Village, OH, United States |
| 08/2012 - 10/2019 | ADVANTAGE INVESTMENT MANGEMENT LLC (AIM) | Investment Adviser Representative | Y | SHEFFIELD VILLAGE, OH, 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. 06/21/2012 - ADVANTAGE FINANCIAL SERVICES GROUP LTD - DBA FOR LPL BUSINESS (ENTITY FOR LPL BUSINESS) - REP/OWNER - 95% OF TIME SPENT

2. 06/21/2012 - REAL ESTATE RENTAL - OWNER - 1% OF TIME SPENT - 42968-42976 EMERALD DR, OH



Registration and Employment History

Other Business Activities, continued

3. 06/21/2012 - REAL ESTATE RENTAL - OWNER - 114-116 CREEKFIELD COURT, OH - 1% OF TIME SPENT
 4. 06/21/2012 - ADVANTAGE FINANCIAL GROUP INC (AFG) - DBA FOR LPL BUSINESS (ENTITY FOR LPL BUSINESS) - REP - NO TIME SPENT
 5. 06/27/2012 - GENERAL ELECTRIC ASSURANCE / JOHN HANCOCK - NON-VARIABLE INSURANCE - AGENT - 1% OF TIME SPENT
 6. 09/23/2013 - ADVANTAGE FINANCIAL SERVICES GROUP - REGISTERED INVESTMENT ADVISOR DBA - (HYBRID) ADVANTAGE FINANCIAL SERVICES GROUP - USE ADVANTAGE FINANCIAL SERVICES GROUP AS A DBA NAME FOR THE RIA - 100% OF TIME SPENT - SHEFFIELD VILLAGE, OH
 7. 01/26/2016 - North College Commons Condominium Assoc - NOT INV REL - 5311 Meadow Lane Ct #1 - For-Profit Board Member - START 02/01/2016 - 1 Hour Per Month During Securities Trading - Board Member.
 8. 12/15/2016 - NORTHBAY KI, LLC - Investment Related - 5311 MEADOW LANE CT #4, SHEFFIELD VILG, OH 44035 - Real Estate Rental - Started 12/01/2016 - 1 Hour Per Month/0 Hours During Securities Trading.
 9. 4/12/2017 - Member Plus Cuso/SELCCU/School Employess Lorain County Credit Union - Investment Related - At Reported Business Location(s) - Financial Institution Duty - Started 08/01/2012 - 12 Hours Per Month During Securities Trading.
 10. 11/09/2017 - JL Thomas - Investment Related - At Reported Business Location(s) - Non-Variable Insurance - Agent - Start Date 10/23/2017 - 5 Hours Per Month/3 Hours During Securities Trading - Long term care.
 11. 7/21/2021 - Achieve Credit Union - DBA: Achieve Wealth Management - Investment Related - At Reported Business Location(s) - DBA for LPL Business (entity for LPL business) - Started 08/02/2021 - 10 Hours Per Month During Securities Trading.
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