

BrokerCheck Report

ERIC MATHEW STOFFEL

CRD# 5268326

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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:
 - o 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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User Guidance

ERIC M. STOFFEL

CRD# 5268326

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

STOFFEL FINANCIAL ADVISOR'S, LLC
1519 S. BOWMAN RD.
SUITE H
LITTLE ROCK, AR 72211
CRD# 297529
Registered with this firm since: 01/28/2022

LPL FINANCIAL LLC
10201 W MARKHAM ST., STE 100
LITTLE ROCK, AR 72205
CRD# 6413
Registered with this firm since: 06/29/2011

B LPL FINANCIAL LLC
10201 W MARKHAM ST., STE 100
LITTLE ROCK, AR 72205
CRD# 6413
Registered with this firm since: 06/29/2011

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
- 5 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):

STOFFEL FINANCIAL ADVISOR'S, LLC CRD# 297529 LITTLE ROCK, AR 09/2018 - 12/2021

GENWEALTH FINANCIAL ADVISORS, LLC CRD# 144979 BRYANT, AR 09/2011 - 03/2018

B UVEST FINANCIAL SERVICES GROUP, INC. CRD# 13787 BASTROP, TX 02/2009 - 06/2011

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 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 5 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 Representative	Approved	06/29/2011
	U.S. State/ Territory	Category	Status	Date
B	Arkansas	Agent	Approved	06/29/2011
IA	Arkansas	Investment Adviser Representative	Approved	08/25/2022
B	Florida	Agent	Approved	10/06/2014
B	Tennessee	Agent	Approved	04/25/2019
B	Texas	Agent	Approved	06/29/2011
IA	Texas	Investment Adviser Representative	Approved	06/29/2011
B	Utah	Agent	Approved	01/10/2019

Branch Office Locations

LPL FINANCIAL LLC 10201 W MARKHAM ST., STE 100 LITTLE ROCK, AR 72205

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Employment 2 of 2

Firm Name: STOFFEL FINANCIAL ADVISOR'S, LLC

Main Office Address: 1519 S. BOWMAN RD.

SUITE H

LITTLE ROCK, AR 72211

Firm CRD#: **297529**

	U.S. State/ Territory	Category	Status	Date
A	Arkansas	Investment Adviser Representative	Approved	01/28/2022

Branch Office Locations

1519 S. BOWMAN RD. SUITE H LITTLE ROCK, AR 72211 www.finra.org/brokercheck

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
В	General Securities Representative Examination	Series 7	03/02/2007

State Securities Law Exams

Exam	Category	Date
B IA Uniform Combined State Law Examination	Series 66	04/13/2007

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/.

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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
IA	09/2018 - 12/2021	STOFFEL FINANCIAL ADVISOR'S, LLC	297529	LITTLE ROCK, AR
IA	09/2011 - 03/2018	GENWEALTH FINANCIAL ADVISORS, LLC	144979	BRYANT, AR
B	02/2009 - 06/2011	UVEST FINANCIAL SERVICES GROUP, INC.	13787	BASTROP, TX
IA	02/2009 - 06/2011	UVEST FINANCIAL SERVICES GROUP, INC.	13787	BASTROP, TX
B	06/2008 - 02/2009	INVESTMENT PROFESSIONALS, INC.	30184	BASTROP, TX
IA	06/2008 - 02/2009	INVESTMENT PROFESSIONALS, INC.	30184	BASTROP, TX
IA	04/2007 - 06/2008	THRIVENT INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT INC.	18387	GIDDINGS, TX
В	03/2007 - 06/2008	THRIVENT INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT INC.	18387	GIDDINGS, TX

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
07/2018 - Present	Stoffel Financial Adivsors, LLC	Investment Adviser Representative	Υ	Little Rock, AR, United States
06/2011 - Present	LPL FINANCIAL LLC	REGISTERED REPRESENTATIVE	Υ	LITTLE ROCK, AR, United States
09/2011 - 04/2018	GENWEALTH FINANCIAL ADVISORS	Investment Adviser Representative	Υ	LITTLE ROCK, AR, United States

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Registration and Employment History



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) 3/5/2018 Stoffel Financial Advisors Investment Related At Reported Business Location(s) DBA for LPL Business (entity for LPL business) Start Date: 3/1/2018 25 Hours Per Month/1 Hour During Trading.
- 2) 8/23/2018 Stoffel Financial Adivsors, LLC Investment Related At Reported Business Location(s) Registered Investment Advisor Start Date:07/30/2018 15 Hours Per Month/10 Hours During Trading I provide financial planning and consulting services through Stoffel Financial Advisors LLC., an independent investment advisor firm. I started this business activity in August 2018. I expect to spend approximately 15 hours per month on this activity. Please see the advisory firm Form ADV for more information about its address, the nature of its business, its owners, and its services at http://www.adviserinfo.sec.gov/IAPD. The advisory firm is separate from and independent of LPL Financial.
- 3) 11/14/2023 Stoffel Financial Advisors Non-Variable Insurance Advisor Investment Related At Reported Business Location(s) Start Date 11/06/2023 10 Hours Per Month/ 1 Hour During Trading

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.
- 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 - 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 1

Reporting Source: Broker

Employing firm when activities occurred which led

to the complaint:

Allegations:

LPL FINANCIAL LLC

Complaint alleged misrepresentation of investment purchased in 2014. (Sept

2014-Current)

Product Type: Other: REIT

Alleged Damages: \$0.00

Alleged Damages Amount Explanation (if amount not exact):

Over \$5,000

Is this an oral complaint? No

Is this a written complaint? Yes

Is this an arbitration/CFTC reparation or civil litigation?

No

Customer Complaint Information

Date Complaint Received: 01/14/2025

Complaint Pending? No

Status: Denied



Status Date: 02/03/2025

Settlement Amount:

Individual Contribution

Amount:

Broker Statement The complaint was determined to be without merit and denied.

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