

## **BrokerCheck Report**

## **Blake Barnes**

CRD# 5615005

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- BrokerCheck reports for individual brokers include information such as employment history, professional
  qualifications, disciplinary actions, criminal convictions, civil judgments and arbitration awards. BrokerCheck
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  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?
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### **Blake Barnes**

CRD# 5615005

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

A FIRST HORIZON ADVISORS, INC.

706 S. Walton Blvd Bentonville, AR 72712 CRD# 17117

Registered with this firm since: 05/20/2025

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Registered with this firm since: 05/20/2025

### **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
- 4 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):

MELLS FARGO ADVISORS

CRD# 19616 ST. LOUIS, MO 06/2018 - 01/2025

B WELLS FARGO CLEARING SERVICES, LLC CRD# 19616 LAREDO, TX 06/2018 - 01/2025

(A) EDWARD JONES CRD# 250 ST. LOUIS, MO 02/2016 - 03/2018

#### **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 4 U.S. states and territories through his or her employer.

## **Employment 1 of 1**

Firm Name: FIRST HORIZON ADVISORS, INC.

Main Office Address: 165 MADISON AVENUE

14TH FLOOR

**MEMPHIS, TN 38103** 

Firm CRD#: **17117** 

	SRO	Category	Status	Date
B	FINRA	General Securities Representative	Approved	05/20/2025
	U.S. State/ Territory	Category	Status	Date
B	Arkansas	Agent	Approved	06/11/2025
IA	Arkansas	Investment Adviser Representative	Approved	06/11/2025
B	Missouri	Agent	Approved	07/10/2025
B	Oklahoma	Agent	Approved	06/12/2025
B	Texas	Agent	Approved	05/20/2025
IA	Texas	Investment Adviser Representative	Restricted Approval	05/20/2025

### **Branch Office Locations**

FIRST HORIZON ADVISORS, INC.

706 S. WALTON BLVD BENTONVILLE, AR 72712

FIRST HORIZON ADVISORS, INC.

706 S. Walton Blvd Bentonville, AR 72712

### **Broker Qualifications**



## **Employment 1 of 1, continued**

### **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	12/23/2008

### **State Securities Law Exams**

Exam	Category	Date
B IA Uniform Combined State Law Examination	Series 66	04/02/2009

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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## **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:

Reg	istration Dates	Firm Name	CRD#	Branch Location
IA	06/2018 - 01/2025	WELLS FARGO ADVISORS	19616	LAREDO, TX
B	06/2018 - 01/2025	WELLS FARGO CLEARING SERVICES, LLC	19616	LAREDO, TX
B	02/2016 - 03/2018	EDWARD JONES	250	SALLISAW, OK
IA	02/2016 - 03/2018	EDWARD JONES	250	SALLISAW, OK
IA	04/2015 - 02/2016	CURIAN CAPITAL, LLC	120270	FRANKLIN, TN
B	04/2015 - 02/2016	JACKSON NATIONAL LIFE DISTRIBUTORS LLC	40178	FRANKLIN, TN
B	08/2011 - 04/2015	MERRILL LYNCH, PIERCE, FENNER & SMITH INCORPORATED	7691	OKLAHOMA CITY, OK
IA	08/2011 - 04/2015	MERRILL LYNCH, PIERCE, FENNER & SMITH INCORPORATED	7691	OKLAHOMA CITY, OK
B	01/2011 - 01/2011	WELLS FARGO ADVISORS, LLC	19616	MIDLAND, TX
IA	01/2011 - 01/2011	WELLS FARGO ADVISORS, LLC	19616	MIDLAND, TX
IA	04/2009 - 01/2011	WELLS FARGO INVESTMENTS, LLC	10582	LUBBOCK, TX
B	12/2008 - 01/2011	WELLS FARGO INVESTMENTS, LLC	10582	LUBBOCK, 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	<b>Employer Location</b>
05/2025 - Present	FIRST HORIZON ADVISORS, INC.	FINANCIAL ADVISOR	Υ	Bentonville, AR, United States
12/2024 - 05/2025	MAXIMO NIVEL	STUDENT	N	ANTIGUA, Guatemala

## **Registration and Employment History**



### **Employment History, continued**

<b>Employment</b>	Employer Name	Position	Investment Related	<b>Employer Location</b>
03/2018 - 12/2024	WELLS FARGO CLEARING SERVICES, LLC	REGISTERED REP	Υ	SAN ANTONIO, TX, United States
02/2016 - 03/2018	Edward Jones	Finanacial Advisor	N	St. Louis, MO, United States
04/2015 - 02/2016	JACKSON NATIONAL LIFE DISTRIBUTORS LLC	REGISTERED REPRESENTATIVE	Υ	FRANKLIN, TN, 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.

## **End of Report**



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