

BrokerCheck Report

WILLIAM JUSTIN NICHOLS

CRD# 6939578

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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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WILLIAM J. NICHOLS

CRD# 6939578

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

IA PRINCIPAL SECURITIES, INC.

7077 Bonneval Rd STE 380 Jacksonville, FL 32216 CRD# 1137

Registered with this firm since: 05/05/2021

B PRINCIPAL SECURITIES, INC.

JACKSONVILLE, FL CRD# 1137

Registered with this firm since: 05/03/2021

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
- 8 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):

A BANKERS LIFE ADVISORY SERVICES, INC.

CRD# 281285 CHICAGO, IL 09/2019 - 03/2021

BANKERS LIFE SECURITIES, INC.

CRD# 173962 JACKSONVILLE, FL 07/2019 - 03/2021

FIRST COMMAND FINANCIAL PLANNING, INC.

CRD# 3641 ORANGE PARK, FL 08/2018 - 01/2019

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 Financial 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 8 U.S. states and territories through his or her employer.

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Firm Name: PRINCIPAL SECURITIES, INC.

Main Office Address: 711 HIGH STREET

DES MOINES, IA 50392

Firm CRD#: 1137

	SRO	Category	Status	Date
В	FINRA	General Securities Representative	Approved	05/03/2021
	U.S. State/ Territory	Category	Status	Date
В	Arizona	Agent	Approved	08/05/2025
B	Florida	Agent	Approved	05/04/2021
IA	Florida	Investment Adviser Representative	Approved	05/05/2021
B	Georgia	Agent	Approved	11/04/2025
B	Louisiana	Agent	Approved	10/31/2025
B	Massachusetts	Agent	Approved	09/19/2025
B	Oklahoma	Agent	Approved	08/11/2025
B	South Carolina	Agent	Approved	09/24/2025
B	Texas	Agent	Approved	09/22/2025
IA	Texas	Investment Adviser Representative	Restricted Approval	09/22/2025

Branch Office Locations

PRINCIPAL SECURITIES, INC.

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JACKSONVILLE, FL

PRINCIPAL SECURITIES, INC. 7077 Bonneval Rd

7077 Bonneval Rd STE 380 Jacksonville, FL 32216 www.finra.org/brokercheck

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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	08/14/2018

State Securities Law Exams

Exam	Category	Date
B IA Uniform Combined State Law Examination	Series 66	11/17/2018

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.

Registration and Employment History



Registration History

The broker previously was registered with the following firms:

Reg	istration Dates	Firm Name	CRD#	Branch Location
IA	09/2019 - 03/2021	BANKERS LIFE ADVISORY SERVICES, INC.	281285	JACKSONVILLE, FL
B	07/2019 - 03/2021	BANKERS LIFE SECURITIES, INC.	173962	JACKSONVILLE, FL
B	08/2018 - 01/2019	FIRST COMMAND FINANCIAL PLANNING, INC.	3641	ORANGE PARK, FL

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
03/2025 - Present	Green Wealth Management	Managing Director	Υ	Jacksonville, FL, United States
04/2021 - Present	Principal Life Insurance Company	Agent	Υ	Jacksonville, FL, United States
04/2021 - Present	Principal Securities, Inc.	Registered Representative	Υ	Jacksonville, FL, United States
11/2005 - Present	Executive Private Wealth	Lead Wealth Advisor	Υ	Jacksonville, FL, United States
10/2021 - 05/2022	Union Financial, Inc.	Investment Professional	Υ	Jacksonville, FL, United States
04/2019 - 04/2021	Bankers Life and Casualty	Insurance Agent	N	Jacksonville, FL, United States
09/2017 - 04/2021	Summerton Oaks Landscape Development and Maintenance LLC	Owner	N	Jacksonville, FL, United States
04/2018 - 04/2019	Summerton Oaks Landscaping Development and Maintenance LLC	Owner	N	Jacksonville, FL, United States
04/2018 - 12/2018	First Command Financial Planning, Inc.	Advisor Trainee	Υ	FORT WORTH, TX, United States

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Employment History, continued

Employment	Employer Name	Position	Investment Related	Employer Location
04/2008 - 05/2018	United States Navy	Officer, Pilot	N	Jacksonville, 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.

**GREEN WEALTH MANAGEMENT (DBA)

POSITION: Managing Director NATURE: Business Consulting, DI/A&H Insurance, Fee-based Financial Planning, Group/Health Insurance, Life Insurance/Annuities, Mutual Funds/Securities/VA/VL, Seminars/Educational Workshops, as well as those areas covered under my approved outside sales OBA. INVESTMENT RELATED: Yes NUMBER OF HOURS: 100 SECURITIES TRADING HOURS: 50 START DATE: 04/01/2025 ADDRESS: 4282 Summerton Oaks Circle, Jacksonville FL 32223, United States

DESCRIPTION: Title: Directing Manager of Green Wealth Management.

**FUCITO NICHOLS INVESTMENT GROUP RETIREMENT SERVICES LLC

POSITION: President Admiral General NATURE: Owner/Partner/of LLC/S-Corp/REIT INVESTMENT RELATED: No NUMBER OF HOURS: 2 SECURITIES TRADING HOURS: 0 START DATE: 08/13/2025

ADDRESS: 4282 Summerton Oaks Cir, Jacksonville FL 32223, United States

DESCRIPTION: This is for payroll for our employees (Executive Private Staff).

**EXECUTIVE PRIVATE WEALTH (DBA)

POSITION: Lead Wealth Advisor NATURE: Business Consulting, DI/A&H Insurance, Fee-based Financial Planning, Group/Health Insurance, Life Insurance/Annuities, Mutual Funds/Securities/VA/VL, Seminars/Educational Workshops, as well as those areas covered under my approved outside sales OBA. INVESTMENT RELATED: Yes NUMBER OF HOURS: 100 SECURITIES TRADING HOURS: 50 START DATE: 11/13/2005 ADDRESS: 4282 Summerton Oaks Cir, Jacksonville FL 32223, United States

DESCRIPTION: Title: Founding Partner Role: Lead Wealth Advisor Products and Services: Investment Management, Financial Planning (Fee based), Financial Adviser, Fee Based Accounts (wrap), Brokerage, Business Consulting, Insurance-Life Insurance (UL, IUL, Variable, Whole Life, Final Expense), Group Healthcare, Medicare-Medicare Supplement, Medicare Advantage Plans, Disability Insurance, Annuities (Variable, RILA, FIA, Fixed), Long Term Care, Seminars and Educational workshops ranging on topics about Medicare, Social Security, LTC, Retirement & Estate Planning. Customers that will be served: The target market is clients that are business executives.

**CONSULTING SERVICES

POSITION: Consulting Services for Green Insurance NATURE: null INVESTMENT RELATED: No NUMBER OF HOURS: 8 SECURITIES TRADING HOURS: 4 START DATE: 11/16/2025

^{**}Fixed Insurance; Investment Related; Jacksonville, FL; Agent; Fixed Life, DI, Annuities, LTC, Health & Medical; Start Date: 05/01/2021; 40 hrs per month; 40 during trading hours.

^{**}Fixed insurance; Investment Related; Jacksonville, FL; Broker; Medicare, Medicaid, Medicare Supplements; Start Date: 05/01/2021; 20 hrs per month; 20 during trading hours.

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Other Business Activities, continued

ADDRESS: 4282 Summerton Oaks Cir, Jacksonville FL 32223, United States

DESCRIPTION: Consulting services consist of non-securities general guidance and weekly staff trainings on fixed insurance topics. All consulting happens outside of Principal work hours, uses no firm resources, involves absolutely no securities products, variable products, or Principal clients. The compensation earned from my consulting services is not tied to sales, commissions, referrals, or quotas for the Green Insurance Agency.

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
Financial	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.

Financial - Final

This type of disclosure event involves a bankruptcy, compromise with one or more creditors, or Securities Investor Protection Corporation liquidation involving the broker or an organization/brokerage firm the broker controlled that occurred within the last 10 years.

Disclosure 1 of 1

Reporting Source: Broker

Action Type: Compromise

Action Date: 01/27/2021

Organization Investment-

Related?

Action Pending? No

Disposition: Satisfied/Released

Disposition Date: 01/27/2021

If a compromise with creditor,

provide:

Name of Creditor: USAA

Original Amount Owed: \$1,617.00

Terms Reached with Creditor: Paid 1213.00 to show paid in full.

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End of Report



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