



## IAPD Report

# TIMOTHY JOSEPH RUSSELL

CRD# 1385286

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## IAPD Information About Representatives

IAPD offers information on all current-and many former representatives. Investors are strongly encouraged to use IAPD to check the background of representatives before deciding to conduct, or continue to conduct, business with them.

### What is included in a IAPD report?

IAPD reports for individual representatives include information such as employment history, professional qualifications, disciplinary actions, criminal convictions, civil judgments and arbitration awards.

It is important to note that the information contained in an IAPD 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 representative, or concluded through a negotiated settlement with no admission or finding of wrongdoing.

### Where did this information come from?

The information contained in IAPD comes from the Investment Adviser Registration Depository (IARD) and FINRA's Central Registration Depository, or CRD, (see more on CRD below) and is a combination of:

- information the states require representatives and firms to submit as part of the registration and licensing process, and
- information that state regulators report regarding disciplinary actions or allegations against representatives.

### How current is this information?

Generally, representatives are required to update their professional and disciplinary information in IARD within 30 days.

### Need help interpreting this report?

For help understanding how to read this report, please consult NASAA's IAPD Tips page <http://www.nasaa.org/IAPD/IARReports.cfm>

### What if I want to check the background of an Individual Broker or Brokerage Firm?

To check the background of an Individual Broker or Brokerage firm, you can search for the firm or individual in IAPD. If your search is successful, click on the link provided to view the available licensing and registration information in FINRA's BrokerCheck website.

### Are there other resources I can use to check the background of investment professionals?

It is recommended that you learn as much as possible about an individual representative or Investment Adviser firm before deciding to work with them. Your state securities regulator can help you research individuals and certain firms doing business in your state. The contact information for state securities regulators can be found on the website of the North American Securities Administrators Association <http://www.nasaa.org>



## Report Summary

### TIMOTHY JOSEPH RUSSELL (CRD# 1385286)

The report summary provides an overview of the representative's professional background and conduct. The information contained in this report has been provided by the representative, investment adviser and/or securities firms, and/or securities regulators as part of the states' investment adviser registration and licensing process. The information contained in this report was last updated by the representative, a previous employing firm, or a securities regulator on **04/02/2026**.

### CURRENT EMPLOYERS

	Firm	CRD#	Registered Since
<b>B</b>	LPL FINANCIAL LLC	CRD# 6413	05/14/2002
<b>IA</b>	LPL FINANCIAL LLC	CRD# 6413	05/14/2002

### QUALIFICATIONS

This representative is currently registered in **1** SRO(s) and **20** jurisdiction(s).

Is this representative currently Inactive or Suspended with any regulator? **No**

**Note:** Not all jurisdictions require IAR registration or may have an exemption from registration.

Additional information including this individual's qualification examinations and professional designations is available in the Detailed Report.

### REGISTRATION HISTORY

This representative was previously registered with the following firm(s):

	FIRM	CRD#	LOCATION	REGISTRATION DATES
<b>IA</b>	ALDERS FINANCIAL SOLUTIONS	136025	NOVATO, CA	06/28/2005 - 03/18/2009
<b>B</b>	SIGNATOR INVESTORS, INC.	468	BOSTON, MA	11/22/1985 - 05/31/2002
<b>B</b>	JOHN HANCOCK MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY	5181	BOSTON, MA	11/22/1985 - 05/01/1997

For additional registration and employment history details as reported by the individual, refer to the Registration and Employment History section of the Detailed Report.

### DISCLOSURE INFORMATION

Disclosure events include certain criminal charges and convictions, formal investigations and disciplinary actions initiated by regulators, customer disputes and arbitrations, and financial disclosures such as bankruptcies and unpaid judgments or liens.

Are there events disclosed about this representative? **Yes**

The following types of events are disclosed about this representative:

Type	Count
Customer Dispute	1



## Qualifications

### REGISTRATIONS

This section provides the SRO, states and U.S. territories in which the representative is currently registered and licensed, the category of each registration, and the date on which the registration becomes effective. This section also provides, for each firm with which the representative is currently employed, the address of each location where the representative works. This individual is currently registered with **20** jurisdiction(s) and 1 SRO(s) through his or her employer(s).

### Employment 1 of 1

Firm Name: **LPL FINANCIAL LLC**  
Main Address: 1055 LPL WAY  
FORT MILL, SC 29715  
Firm ID#: 6413

	Regulator	Registration	Status	Date
<b>B</b>	FINRA	General Securities Representative	Approved	05/14/2002
<b>B</b>	FINRA	General Securities Principal	Approved	07/01/2002
<b>B</b>	Arizona	Agent	Approved	08/11/2004
<b>B</b>	California	Agent	Approved	05/14/2002
<b>IA</b>	California	Investment Adviser Representative	Approved	05/14/2002
<b>B</b>	Colorado	Agent	Approved	03/31/2021
<b>B</b>	Georgia	Agent	Approved	07/22/2005
<b>B</b>	Idaho	Agent	Approved	04/12/2018
<b>B</b>	Illinois	Agent	Approved	12/14/2021
<b>B</b>	Kentucky	Agent	Approved	04/02/2026
<b>B</b>	Louisiana	Agent	Approved	12/02/2025
<b>B</b>	Minnesota	Agent	Approved	12/03/2024
<b>B</b>	Montana	Agent	Approved	02/08/2022



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Regulator	Registration	Status	Date
<b>B</b> Nevada	Agent	Approved	08/02/2016
<b>B</b> New Hampshire	Agent	Approved	01/04/2019
<b>B</b> New Jersey	Agent	Approved	02/08/2010
<b>B</b> New Mexico	Agent	Approved	05/07/2018
<b>B</b> North Carolina	Agent	Approved	12/09/2015
<b>B</b> Oregon	Agent	Approved	06/25/2015
<b>B</b> Pennsylvania	Agent	Approved	04/12/2018
<b>B</b> Tennessee	Agent	Approved	10/31/2002
<b>B</b> Texas	Agent	Approved	08/07/2015
<b>IA</b> Texas	Investment Adviser Representative	Restricted Approval	08/13/2015
<b>B</b> West Virginia	Agent	Approved	10/27/2025

### Branch Office Locations

**LPL FINANCIAL LLC**  
2 RANCH DRIVE  
NOVATO, CA 94945



## Qualifications

### PASSED INDUSTRY EXAMS

This section includes all industry exams that the representative has passed. Under limited circumstances, a representative may attain registration after receiving an exam waiver based on a combination of exams the representative has passed and qualifying work experience. Likewise a new exam requirement may be grandfathered based on a representative's specific qualifying work experience. Exam waivers and grandfathering are not included below.

**This individual has passed 1 principal/supervisory exam, 3 general industry/product exams, and 1 state securities law exam.**

#### Principal/Supervisory Exams

	Exam	Category	Date
	General Securities Principal Examination (S24)	Series 24	06/27/2002

#### General Industry/Product Exams

	Exam	Category	Date
	Securities Industry Essentials Examination (SIE)	SIE	10/01/2018
	General Securities Representative Examination (S7)	Series 7	12/22/1999
	Investment Company Products/Variable Contracts Representative Examination (S6)	Series 6	11/21/1985

#### State Securities Law Exams

	Exam	Category	Date
	Uniform Combined State Law Examination (S66)	Series 66	12/23/1998

### PROFESSIONAL DESIGNATIONS

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

No information reported.



## Registration & Employment History

### PREVIOUSLY REGISTERED WITH THE FOLLOWING FIRMS

This representative held registrations with the following firms:

	Registration Dates	Firm Name	ID#	Branch Location
IA	06/28/2005 - 03/18/2009	ALDERS FINANCIAL SOLUTIONS	CRD# 136025	NOVATO, CA
B	11/22/1985 - 05/31/2002	SIGNATOR INVESTORS, INC.	CRD# 468	BOSTON, MA
B	11/22/1985 - 05/01/1997	JOHN HANCOCK MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY	CRD# 5181	BOSTON, MA

### EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

Below is the representative's employment history for up to the last 10 years.

Employment Dates	Employer Name	Position	Investment Related	Employer Location
05/2002 - Present	LPL FINANCIAL, LLC	REGISTERED REPRESENTATIVE	Y	NOVATO, CA, United States

### OTHER BUSINESS ACTIVITIES

This section includes information, if any, as provided by the representative regarding other business activities the representative 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) 7/6/2009 - DBA ONLY - VALLEY OAK WEALTH MANAGEMENT - LIFE, DISABILITY, LTC, FIXED ANNUITIES. - NOVATO, CA.
- (2) 8/7/2012 - NON-VARIABLE INSURANCE - SELLING LTC, DISABILITY AND FIXED INSURANCE ON MY OWN. - TIME SPENT 8% - NOVATO, CA.
- (3) 01/10/2013: VALLEY OAK WEALTH MANAGEMENT INSURANCE SERVICES / NON-VARIABLE INSURANCE / TIME SPENT 10%/ NOVATO, CA
- (4) 10/15/2015 - Valley Oak Wealth Management, LLC - Investment Related - At Reported Business Location(s) - Business Entity For Tax/Investment Purposes Only - start 01/24/2014 - 60 Hours Per Month/25 Hours During Securities Trading.
- (5) 4/1/2016 - Valley Oak Tax Advantage - Investment Related - At Reported Business Location(s) - Tax Prep/Accounting/CPA - Start 04/18/2016 - 3 Hours Per Month/0 Hours During Securities Trading.
- (6) 8/17/2020 - 2Ranch Drive LLC - Investment Related - 2 Ranch Drive, Novato, CA 94945 - Real Estate Rental - Started 04/01/2020 - 0 Hours Per Month - Our offices are located in this building plus there are additional offices we will be renting out.
- (7) 08/31/2021 - No Business Name - Investment Related - Santa Rosa, CA 95401 - Real Estate Rental - Start Date: 08/03/2021 - 0 Hours Per Month/0 Hours During Securities Trading - Own rental house in Santa Rosa with sister and brother in law.



## Disclosure Summary

### Disclosure Information

#### What you should know about reported disclosure events:

##### (1) Certain thresholds must be met before an event is reported to IARD, for example:

- A law enforcement agency must file formal charges before an Investment Adviser Representative is required to report a particular criminal event.;
- A customer dispute must involve allegations that an Investment Adviser Representative engaged in activity that violates certain rules or conduct governing the industry and that the activity resulted in damages of at least \$5,000.

##### (2) Disclosure events in IAPD reports come from different sources:

As mentioned in the "About IAPD" section on page 1 of this report, information contained in IAPD comes from Investment Adviser Representatives, 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 IAPD report. The different versions will be separated by a solid line with the reporting source labeled.

##### (3) There are different statuses and dispositions for disclosure events:

- A disclosure event may have a status of *pending*, *on appeal*, or *final*.
  - A "pending" disclosure event involves allegations that have not been proven or formally adjudicated.
  - A disclosure event that is "on appeal" involves allegations that have been adjudicated but are currently being appealed.
  - A "final" disclosure event has been concluded and its resolution is not subject to change.
- A final disclosure 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 represents a disposition wherein the parties involved in a dispute reach an agreement to resolve the matter. Please note that Investment Adviser Representatives and firms may choose to settle customer disputes or regulatory matters for business or other reasons.
  - A "resolved" matter usually includes a disposition wherein no payment is made to the customer or there is no finding of wrongdoing on the part of the Investment Adviser Representative. Such matters generally involve customer disputes.

##### (4) You may wish to contact the Investment Adviser Representatives to obtain further information regarding any of the disclosure events contained in this IAPD report.



## DISCLOSURE EVENT DETAILS

When evaluating this information, please keep in mind that some items may involve pending actions or allegations that may be contested and have not been resolved or proven. The event may, in the end, be withdrawn, dismissed, resolved in favor of the Investment Adviser Representative, or concluded through a negotiated settlement with no admission or finding of wrongdoing.

This report provides the information exactly as it was reported to the Investment Adviser Registration Depository. Some of the specific data fields contained in the report may be blank if the information was not provided.

The following types of events are disclosed about this representative:

Type	Count
Customer Dispute	1

### Customer Dispute

This section provides information regarding a customer dispute that was reported to the Investment Adviser Registration Depository (IARD) by the Investment Adviser Representative (IAR), an investment adviser and/or securities firm, and/or a securities regulator. The event may include a consumer-initiated, investment-related complaint, arbitration proceeding or civil suit that contains allegations of sales practice violations against the individual.

The customer dispute may be pending or may have resulted in a civil judgment, arbitration award, monetary settlement, closure without action, withdrawal, dismissal, denial, or other outcome.

#### Disclosure 1 of 1

**Reporting Source:** Individual

**Employing firm when activities occurred which led to the complaint:** LPL FINANCIAL

**Allegations:** CUSTOMER ALLEGES THAT, IN MID-JULY OF 2007, REPRESENTATIVE AND HIS OFFICE DELAYED THE PROCESSING OF LIQUIDATION AND TRANSFER INSTRUCTIONS FOR HIS VARIABLE ANNUITY CONTRACT, AND THAT SUCH DELAY RESULTED IN A DECLINE IN THE VALUE RECEIVED OF \$11,444.82. REPRESENTATIVE DENIES ALL ALLEGATIONS, AND MAINTAINS THAT HE AND HIS OFFICE ACTED TIMELY AND APPROPRIATELY AT ALL TIMES. FURTHERMORE, BY MID-JULY 2007, CUSTOMER HAD RETAINED A NEW INVESTMENT REPRESENTATIVE AND BROKER/DEALER, WHO BEGAN THE PROCESSING OF THE CUSTOMER'S LIQUIDATION AND TRANSFER REQUEST AT THE SAME TIME, AS EVIDENCED BY THE CUSTOMER SIGNING LIQUIDATION AND TRANSFER PAPERWORK FOR THIS CONTRACT WITH HIS NEW BROKER/DEALER ON JULY 18, 2007. THEREFORE CUSTOMER HAD NO REASONABLE EXPECTATION THAT REPRESENTATIVE OR HIS OFFICE WERE PROCESSING ANY INSTRUCTIONS ON HIS BEHALF.

**Product Type:** Annuity-Variable

**Alleged Damages:** \$16,000.00

**Alleged Damages Amount Explanation (if amount not exact):** DURING COMMUNICATIONS ON THE CASE, CLAIM FOR COMPENSATORIES WENT TO 16K FROM 11444.82.

### Customer Complaint Information

**Date Complaint Received:** 05/09/2008



**Complaint Pending?** No  
**Status:** Evolved into Arbitration/CFTC reparation (the individual is a named party)  
**Status Date:** 09/25/2009

**Settlement Amount:**

**Individual Contribution Amount:**

### Arbitration Information

**Arbitration/CFTC reparation claim filed with (FINRA, AAA, CFTC, etc.):** FINRA

**Docket/Case #:** 09-04811

**Date Notice/Process Served:** 09/25/2009

**Arbitration Pending?** No

**Disposition:** Settled

**Disposition Date:** 11/12/2009

**Monetary Compensation Amount:** \$11,500.00

**Individual Contribution Amount:** \$5,000.00

### Broker Statement

THIS MATTER WAS SETTLED AS AN ACCOMMODATION ONLY, WITH NO ADMISSION OF LIABILITY, WHICH IS, WAS AND REMAINS DENIED, AND SOLELY TO AVOID PROTRACTED LITIGATION. THE RELEVANT FACTS AND INFORMATION IN THIS MATTER DEMONSTRATED THAT, CONTRARY TO THE CUSTOMER'S CLAIMS, REPRESENTATIVE AND HIS OFFICE ACTED TIMELY AND APPROPRIATELY AT ALL TIMES. FURTHERMORE, BY MID-JULY 2007, CUSTOMER HAD RETAINED A NEW INVESTMENT REPRESENTATIVE AND BROKER/DEALER, WHO BEGAN THE PROCESSING OF THE CUSTOMER'S LIQUIDATION AND TRANSFER REQUEST AT THE SAME TIME, AS EVIDENCED BY THE CUSTOMER SIGNING LIQUIDATION AND TRANSFER PAPERWORK FOR THIS CONTRACT WITH HIS NEW BROKER/DEALER ON JULY 18, 2007. THEREFORE, CUSTOMER HAD NO REASONABLE EXPECTATION THAT REPRESENTATIVE OR HIS OFFICE WERE PROCESSING ANY INSTRUCTIONS ON HIS BEHALF. MR. RUSSELL'S INDIVIDUAL CONTRIBUTION WAS BASED UPON A CONTRACTUAL OBLIGATION WITH LPL AND IT WAS NOT BASED IN ANY WAY UPON AN ALLOCATION OF RESPONSIBILITY OR FAULT.



## End of Report

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