



IAPD Report

RICHARD LEE WATSON

CRD# 2173329

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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

RICHARD LEE WATSON (CRD# 2173329)

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 **04/14/2026**.

CURRENT EMPLOYERS

	Firm	CRD#	Registered Since
IA	AVIOR WEALTH MANAGEMENT, LLC	CRD# 148674	01/21/2026

QUALIFICATIONS

This representative is currently registered in **0** SRO(s) and **4** 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
IA	PROTECTION POINT ADVISORS	291805	ROSEVILLE, CA	10/10/2018 - 12/31/2025
IA	CAMBRIDGE INVESTMENT RESEARCH ADVISORS, INC.	134139	Roseville, CA	02/18/2009 - 02/13/2019
B	CAMBRIDGE INVESTMENT RESEARCH, INC.	39543	Roseville, CA	02/17/2009 - 12/31/2017

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 **4** jurisdiction(s) and **0** SRO(s) through his or her employer(s).

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Firm Name: **AVIOR WEALTH MANAGEMENT, LLC**
Main Address: 14301 FIRST NATIONAL BANK PARKWAY
SUITE 410
OMAHA, NE 68154
Firm ID#: 148674

	Regulator	Registration	Status	Date
	California	Investment Adviser Representative	Approved	01/21/2026
	Oregon	Investment Adviser Representative	Approved	01/21/2026
	Texas	Investment Adviser Representative	Restricted Approval	01/21/2026
	Washington	Investment Adviser Representative	Approved	01/21/2026

Branch Office Locations

AVIOR WEALTH MANAGEMENT, LLC
3200 Douglas Blvd., Suite 305
Roseville, CA 95661



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 2 state securities law exams.

Principal/Supervisory Exams

	Exam	Category	Date
	General Securities Principal Examination (S24)	Series 24	04/16/2009

General Industry/Product Exams

	Exam	Category	Date
	Securities Industry Essentials Examination (SIE)	SIE	12/31/2017
	General Securities Representative Examination (S7)	Series 7	07/25/1994
	Investment Company Products/Variable Contracts Representative Examination (S6)	Series 6	11/07/1991

State Securities Law Exams

	Exam	Category	Date
	Uniform Investment Adviser Law Examination (S65)	Series 65	06/25/1999
	Uniform Securities Agent State Law Examination (S63)	Series 63	11/07/1991

PROFESSIONAL DESIGNATIONS

This section details that the representative has reported **1** professional designation(s).

Certified Financial Planner

This representative holds or did hold **1** professional designation(s) that may have been used to qualify as an Investment Advisor representative. Please check with the appropriate designation authority for verification that the designation is still in effect. The contact information for these professional designation authorities can be found on the website for the North American Securities Administrators Association at <http://www.nasaa.org>



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	10/10/2018 - 12/31/2025	PROTECTION POINT ADVISORS	CRD# 291805	ROSEVILLE, CA
IA	02/18/2009 - 02/13/2019	CAMBRIDGE INVESTMENT RESEARCH ADVISORS, INC.	CRD# 134139	Roseville, CA
B	02/17/2009 - 12/31/2017	CAMBRIDGE INVESTMENT RESEARCH, INC.	CRD# 39543	Roseville, CA
IA	07/19/1999 - 02/23/2009	EAGLE STRATEGIES LLC	CRD# 110826	ROSEVILLE, CA
B	11/11/1991 - 02/23/2009	NYLIFE SECURITIES LLC	CRD# 5167	ROSEVILLE, CA

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
01/2026 - Present	Avior Wealth Management, LLC	Investment Adviser Representative	Y	Roseville, CA, United States
07/2022 - 01/2026	National Referral Network	President	Y	Roseville, CA, United States
10/2018 - 01/2026	EWG Elevate Inc. d/b/a Eagle West Group	INVESTMENT ADVISER REPRESENTATIVE	Y	ROSEVILLE, CA, United States
02/2009 - 01/2026	CAMBRIDGE INVESTMENT RESEARCH ADVISORS, INC.	INVESTMENT ADVISER REPRESENTATIVE	Y	FAIRFIELD, IA, United States
01/2009 - 01/2026	EAGLE WEST GROUP	PRESIDENT	Y	ROSEVILLE, CA, United States
02/2009 - 12/2017	CAMBRIDGE INVESTMENT RESEARCH, INC.	REGISTERED REPRESENTATIVE	Y	FAIRFIELD, IA, 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.

Richard Lee Watson is a licensed insurance agent. From time to time, he will offer clients advice or products from this activity.



Registration & Employment History



OTHER BUSINESS ACTIVITIES

Clients should be aware that these services pay a commission and involve a possible conflict of interest, as commissionable products can conflict with the fiduciary duties of a registered investment adviser. EWG Elevate Inc. always acts in the best interest of the client; including in the sale of commissionable products to advisory clients. Clients are in no way required to implement the plan through any representative of EWG Elevate Inc. in their capacity as a licensed insurance agent.

Majority owner of National Referral Network and President - NRN is a public referral and business connection site open that specializes in working with professional advisors, like attorneys and accountants, so they can better manage the outsourced referrals they make. The site also offers business coaching and exit assistance for these same professional members though the network

Majority owner of PPA Invest Team and President - PPA invest team provides the investment management in Co-Living real estate rental homes, purchasing and making allocation decisions for the PPA Co-Living fund 1.

- 1.the name of the other business - PPA Invest Team
- 2.whether the business is investment-related; Yes - PPA CoLiving 1, real estate fund - closed
- 3.the address of the other business; 3200 Douglas Blvd, Suite 305, Roseville, CA 95661
- 4.the nature of the other business; Owns 15 homes in TX, GA, and IN that are either rented to individual families or are rented by the room
- 5.your position - Managing Partner
- 6.title, or relationship with the other business; Old fund from PPA that still exists. Looking for opportunity to make final distributions back to investors
- 7.the start date of your relationship; May 5th 2022
- 8.the approximate number of hours/month you devote to the other business; 1.5
- 9.the number of hours you devote to the other business during securities trading hours;0
- 10.and briefly describe your duties relating to the other business; Supervise Audits and tax return prep. Communicate with investors quarterly. Consider liquidation options for the fund.

Eagle West Group, Inc. Owner and President - Functions as the corporate holding company for client relationships and advisory business provided by Richard Watson, as an IAR of EWG Elevate, Inc.

Richard Lee Watson is member of Entrepreneur's Organization.

Richard Watson is a co-author of a book titled A firm worth building: Running a better professional business sold on Amazon.com

- ?the name of the other business; Carole Watson Revocable Trust
- ?whether the business is investment-related; Yes
- ?the address of the other business; 3890 Valley Quail Drive, Loomis, CA 95650
- ?the nature of the other business; Mother's Trust
- ?your position; Successor Trustee
- ?title, or relationship with the other business; Successor Trustee
- ?the start date of your relationship; 4/2/2026
- ?the approximate number of hours/month you devote to the other business; 0 currently; 5/month when mom resigns or passes away
- ?the number of hours you devote to the other business during securities trading hours; 0 currently; up to 5/month when mom resigns or passes away
- ?and briefly describe your duties relating to the other business; After she passes away, distribute proceeds, pay debts, and sell her house.



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.

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Reporting Source:	Firm
Employing firm when activities occurred which led to the complaint:	CAMBRIDGE INVESTMENT RESEARCH, INC.
Allegations:	Statement of Claim alleges an investment recommendation was made for the purpose of generating high commissions and fees and that Claimants were deprived of the ability to generate reasonable returns that would have been received in a diversified portfolio.
Product Type:	Direct Investment-DPP & LP Interests Oil & Gas
Alleged Damages:	\$0.00
Alleged Damages Amount Explanation (if amount not exact):	The Statement of Claim does not allege a specific amount of damages. The requested damage amount shall include compensatory damages, statutory damages, interest, attorney's fees, expert fees, forum fees and punitive damages.
Is this an oral complaint?	No
Is this a written complaint?	No
Is this an arbitration/CFTC reparation or civil litigation?	Yes
Arbitration/Reparation forum or court name and location:	FINRA
Docket/Case #:	24-00397



Filing date of arbitration/CFTC reparation or civil litigation: 02/21/2024

Customer Complaint Information

Date Complaint Received: 02/22/2024

Complaint Pending? No

Status: Settled

Status Date: 12/05/2024

Settlement Amount: \$39,500.00

Individual Contribution Amount: \$0.00



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