



IAPD Report

C NOEL WILLIAMS

CRD# 2540177

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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

C NOEL WILLIAMS (CRD# 2540177)

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 **03/17/2026**.

CURRENT EMPLOYERS

	Firm	CRD#	Registered Since
B	MORGAN STANLEY	CRD# 149777	06/01/2009
IA	MORGAN STANLEY	CRD# 149777	06/01/2009

QUALIFICATIONS

This representative is currently registered in **4** SRO(s) and **36** 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	MORGAN STANLEY & CO. INCORPORATED	8209	PLANO, TX	04/02/2007 - 06/01/2009
IA	MORGAN STANLEY & CO. INCORPORATED	8209	PLANO, TX	04/02/2007 - 06/01/2009
IA	MORGAN STANLEY	7556	PLANO, TX	09/28/2004 - 04/02/2007

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
Regulatory Event	1
Customer Dispute	3



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

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Firm Name: **MORGAN STANLEY**
Main Address: 2000 WESTCHESTER AVENUE
PURCHASE, NY 10577-2530
Firm ID#: 149777

	Regulator	Registration	Status	Date
B	FINRA	General Securities Representative	Approved	06/01/2009
B	NYSE American LLC	General Securities Representative	Approved	06/17/2011
B	Nasdaq Stock Market	General Securities Representative	Approved	06/01/2009
B	New York Stock Exchange	General Securities Representative	Approved	06/01/2009
B	Alabama	Agent	Approved	02/11/2015
B	Arkansas	Agent	Approved	01/25/2022
B	California	Agent	Approved	06/01/2009
B	Colorado	Agent	Approved	03/06/2013
B	Connecticut	Agent	Approved	11/13/2013
B	Delaware	Agent	Approved	08/15/2017
B	District of Columbia	Agent	Approved	09/12/2023
B	Florida	Agent	Approved	06/01/2009
B	Georgia	Agent	Approved	05/10/2021



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Regulator	Registration	Status	Date
B Illinois	Agent	Approved	07/18/2013
B Indiana	Agent	Approved	04/04/2023
B Kansas	Agent	Approved	05/05/2021
B Kentucky	Agent	Approved	11/09/2015
B Louisiana	Agent	Approved	06/01/2009
B Maine	Agent	Approved	11/25/2013
B Maryland	Agent	Approved	06/01/2009
B Massachusetts	Agent	Approved	06/13/2024
B Michigan	Agent	Approved	09/01/2010
B Minnesota	Agent	Approved	03/13/2024
B Mississippi	Agent	Approved	04/28/2015
B Missouri	Agent	Approved	06/01/2009
B New Jersey	Agent	Approved	06/01/2009
B New Mexico	Agent	Approved	05/20/2020
B New York	Agent	Approved	06/01/2009
B North Carolina	Agent	Approved	03/29/2021
B Ohio	Agent	Approved	03/18/2026
B Oklahoma	Agent	Approved	06/01/2009
B Oregon	Agent	Approved	05/26/2022



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Regulator	Registration	Status	Date
B Pennsylvania	Agent	Approved	10/05/2011
B Rhode Island	Agent	Approved	09/05/2014
B South Carolina	Agent	Approved	05/22/2019
B Tennessee	Agent	Approved	04/14/2020
B Texas	Agent	Approved	06/01/2009
IA Texas	Investment Adviser Representative	Approved	06/01/2009
B Utah	Agent	Approved	07/28/2023
B Virginia	Agent	Approved	04/11/2022
B Washington	Agent	Approved	01/10/2022

Branch Office Locations

MORGAN STANLEY
8383 Preston Center Plaza
Suite 400
Dallas, TX 75225



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 0 principal/supervisory exams, 3 general industry/product exams, and 2 state securities law exams.




Principal/Supervisory Exams

Exam	Category	Date
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No information reported.

General Industry/Product Exams

Exam	Category	Date
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 Securities Industry Essentials Examination (SIE)	SIE	10/01/2018
 Futures Managed Funds Examination (S31)	Series 31	11/18/2004
 General Securities Representative Examination (S7)	Series 7	10/19/1994

State Securities Law Exams

Exam	Category	Date
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 Uniform Investment Adviser Law Examination (S65)	Series 65	09/01/1995
 Uniform Securities Agent State Law Examination (S63)	Series 63	09/19/1994

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
B	04/02/2007 - 06/01/2009	MORGAN STANLEY & CO. INCORPORATED	CRD# 8209	PLANO, TX
IA	04/02/2007 - 06/01/2009	MORGAN STANLEY & CO. INCORPORATED	CRD# 8209	PLANO, TX
IA	09/28/2004 - 04/02/2007	MORGAN STANLEY	CRD# 7556	PLANO, TX
B	09/17/2004 - 04/02/2007	MORGAN STANLEY DW INC.	CRD# 7556	PLANO, TX
B	12/13/2000 - 09/20/2004	WELLS FARGO INVESTMENTS, LLC	CRD# 10582	SAN FRANCISCO, CA
IA	12/13/2000 - 09/20/2004	WELLS FARGO INVESTMENTS, LLC	CRD# 10582	DALLAS, TX
B	12/12/1996 - 05/02/2001	WELLS FARGO SECURITIES INC.	CRD# 17438	SAN FRANCISCO, CA
B	07/28/1999 - 12/13/2000	WELLS FARGO BROKERAGE SERVICES, L.L.C.	CRD# 16100	MINNEAPOLIS, MN
B	07/17/1995 - 05/03/1996	MERRILL LYNCH, PIERCE, FENNER & SMITH INCORPORATED	CRD# 7691	NEW YORK, NY
B	01/01/1995 - 05/18/1995	OLDE DISCOUNT CORPORATION	CRD# 5979	DETROIT, MI
B	10/20/1994 - 11/30/1994	CHATFIELD DEAN & CO., INC.	CRD# 14714	GREENWOOD VILLAGE

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
01/2015 - Present	MORGAN STANLEY PRIVATE BANK, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION	FINANCIAL ADVISOR	Y	NEW YORK, NY, United States
06/2009 - Present	MORGAN STANLEY SMITH BARNEY	FINANCIAL ADVISOR	Y	PLANO, TX, United States



Registration & Employment History



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.

*459367 - Project MOBE; Investment related Yes; Richardson, Texas; Non-Profit, Charitable; Founder (proprietor, partner, officer, director, employee, trustee, agent); 01/2022; During business hours: 0; After business hours: 20; Fundraising, Business Development/Growth, Administrative



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
Regulatory Event	1
Customer Dispute	3

Regulatory Event

This disclosure event may include a final, formal proceeding initiated by a regulatory authority (e.g., a state securities agency, a federal regulator such as the Securities and Exchange Commission or the Commodities Futures Trading Commission, or a foreign financial regulatory body) for a violation of investment-related rules or regulations. This disclosure event may also include a revocation or suspension of an Investment Adviser Representative's authority to act as an attorney, accountant or federal contractor.

Disclosure 1 of 1

Reporting Source:	Regulator
Regulatory Action Initiated By:	TEXAS
Sanction(s) Sought:	Suspension
Other Sanction(s) Sought:	REPRIMANDED/FINED
Date Initiated:	03/19/2003
Docket/Case Number:	SSB DKT NO 03-011;ORDER NO SUS/FIN-1501
Employing firm when activity occurred which led to the regulatory action:	WELLS FARGO INVESTMENTS LLC
Product Type:	Unit Investment Trust(s)
Other Product Type(s):	

Allegations: IN FEBRUARY 2001, CHRISTOPHER NOEL WILLIAMS RECEIVED A WRITTEN COMPLAINT AGAINST HIMSELF WHICH CONTAINED ALLEGATIONS OF SECURITIES-RELATED SALES PRACTICE VIOLATIONS. HE RECEIVED A 2ND COMPLAINT IN MARCH 2001 CONTAINING ALLEGATIONS RELATED TO HIS FAILURE TO INFORM THE COMPLAINANT OF A DEADLINE FOR A LIKE-KIND DISTRIBUTION FROM A UNIT INVESTMENT TRUST. WILLIAMS' EMPLOYER DID NOT DISCLOSE THE COMPLAINTS TO THE SECURITIES COMMISSIONER ON HIS FORM U-4 UNTIL 6/27/02 AND 10/25/02. ALSO, ON 10/24/01 THE STAFF OF THE SECURITIES COMMISSIONER PERFORMED AN INSPECTION OF WELLS FARGO AND DURING THE COURSE OF THE INSPECTION, THEY QUESTIONED WILLIAMS ABOUT THE RECEIPT OF CUSTOMER COMPLAINTS AGAINST HIM. HE UNDERSTOOD THE STAFF'S



QUESTION TO RELATE TO CUSTOMER COMPLAINTS RECEIVED BY CHRISTOPHER NOEL WILLIAMS WITHIN THE PRECEDING 12 MONTHS. HE INITIALLY DENIED ANY KNOWLEDGE OF THE COMPLAINTS BUT SUBSEQUENTLY ADMITTED RECEIPT OF THE MARCH 2001 COMPLAINT. HE FAILED TO DISCLOSE TO THE STAFF THAT HE ALSO RECEIVED THE FEBRUARY 2001 COMPLAINT BECAUSE HE WAS UNSURE OF ITS DATE.

Current Status: Final
Resolution: Order
Resolution Date: 03/19/2003
Sanctions Ordered: Monetary/Fine \$2,500.00
Suspension
Other Sanctions Ordered: REPRIMANDED

Sanction Details: SUSPENDED THREE BUSINESS DAYS FROM THE DATE OF THE ORDER. THE \$2,500 ADMINISTRATIVE FINE WAS PAID ON MARCH 19, 2003.

Regulator Statement THE SECURITIES COMMISSIONER CONCLUDES THAT THE CONDUCT OF WILLIAMS DESCRIBED CONSTITUTES A MATERIAL MISREPRESENTATION TO THE COMMISSIONER IN CONNECTION WITH INFORMATION DEEMED NECESSARY BY THE COMMISSIONER TO DETERMINE AN AGENT'S BUSINESS REPUTE AND QUALIFICATIONS WHICH CONTITUTES BASES FOR THE ISSUANCE OF AN ORDER REPRIMANDING AND SUSPENDING THE AGENT OF A DEALER AS WELL AS CONSTITUTING BASES FOR ASSESSING AN ADMINISTRATIVE FINE AGAINST AN AGENT OF A DEALER.

Reporting Source: Individual
Regulatory Action Initiated By: TEXAS
Sanction(s) Sought: Suspension
Other Sanction(s) Sought: REPRIMANDED/FINED.
Date Initiated: 03/19/2003
Docket/Case Number: SSB DKT NO 03-011; ORDER NO SUS-FIN-1501
Employing firm when activity occurred which led to the regulatory action: WELLS FARGO INVESTMENTS, LLC.
Product Type: Unit Investment Trust(s)
Other Product Type(s):

Allegations: IN FEBRUARY 2001, CHRISTOPHER NOEL WILLIAMS RECEIVED A WRITTEN COMPLAINT AGAINST HIMSELF WHICH CONTAINED ALLEGATIONS OF SECURITIES-RELATED SALES PRACTICE VIOLATIONS. HE RECEIVED A 2ND COMPLAINT IN MARCH 2001 CONTAINING ALLEGATIONS RELATED TO HIS FAILURE TO INFORM THE COMPLAINANT OF A DEADLINE FOR A LIKE-KIND DISTRIBUTION FROM A UNIT INVESTMENT TRUST. WILLIAMS' EMPLOYER DID NOT DISCLOSE THE COMPLAINTS TO THE SECURITIES COMMISSIONER ON HIS FORM U4 UNTIL 6/27/02 AND 10/25/02. ALSO, ON 10/24/01 THE STAFF OF THE SECURITIES COMMISSIONER PERFORMED AN INSPECTION OF WELLS FARGO AND DURING THE COURSE OF THE INSPECTION, THEY QUESTIONED WILLIAMS ABOUT THE RECEIPT OF CUSTOMER COMPLAINTS AGAINST HIM. HE UNDERSTOOD THE STAFF'S



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Current Status: Final
Resolution: Order
Resolution Date: 03/19/2003
Sanctions Ordered: Monetary/Fine \$2,500.00
Suspension
Other Sanctions Ordered: REPRIMANDED

Sanction Details: SUSPENDED THREE BUSINESS DAYS FROM THE DATE OF THE ORDER. THE \$2500 ADMINISTRATIVE FINE WAS PAID ON MARACH 19, 2003.

Broker Statement THIS CIRCUMSTANCE AROSE OUT OF A MISCOMMUNICATION BETWEEN MYSELF AND THE STATE SECURITIES BOARD INSPECTION TEAM. THIS EVENT WAS NOT INVESTMENT RELATED, AND THE INFORMATION THAT THEY REQUESTED WAS DISCLOSED WHEN THE AMBIGUITY SURROUNDING THE QUESTION WAS CLARIFIED.



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 3

Reporting Source:	Individual
Employing firm when activities occurred which led to the complaint:	MORGAN STANLEY
Allegations:	CLIENT ALLEGES, INTER ALIA, THAT INVESTMENTS PURCHASED WERE UNSUITABLE 2017 DAMAGES UNSPECIFIED
Product Type:	Debt-Corporate Unit Investment Trust Other: Structured Products
Alleged Damages:	\$0.00
Alleged Damages Amount Explanation (if amount not exact):	Unspecified
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:	04/28/2020
Complaint Pending?	No
Status:	Denied
Status Date:	07/16/2020
Settlement Amount:	
Individual Contribution Amount:	

Disclosure 2 of 3

Reporting Source:	Individual
Employing firm when activities occurred which led to the complaint:	MSSB
Allegations:	CLIENT'S SON ALLEGES EXCESSIVE TRADING 2013 - JULY 2017. DAMAGES UNSPECIFIED.
Product Type:	Unit Investment Trust Other: Structured Products
Alleged Damages:	\$0.00



Alleged Damages Amount UNSPECIFIED
Explanation (if amount not exact):

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: 07/09/2018

Complaint Pending? No

Status: Closed/No Action

Status Date: 08/14/2018

Settlement Amount:

Individual Contribution Amount:

Disclosure 3 of 3

Reporting Source: Individual

Employing firm when activities occurred which led to the complaint: WELLS FARGO INVESTMENTS LLC

Allegations: SUITABILITY

Product Type: Mutual Fund

Alleged Damages: \$10,000.00

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: 02/14/2001

Complaint Pending? No

Status: Denied

Status Date: 03/20/2001

Settlement Amount:

Individual Contribution Amount:

Broker Statement HOWEVER OUR CALCULATIONS SHOWS A LOSS OF \$1,312 AS OF 2/21/01



End of Report

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