



IAPD Report

GARY LEE STEER

CRD# 2562255

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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

GARY LEE STEER (CRD# 2562255)

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 **05/18/2026**.

CURRENT EMPLOYERS

	Firm	CRD#	Registered Since
IA	OXENFREE FINANCIAL	CRD# 327105	08/22/2024

QUALIFICATIONS

This representative is currently registered in **0** SRO(s) and **1** 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	CADARET GRANT & CO INC	10641	SATELLITE BEACH, FL	11/07/2008 - 08/19/2024
B	CADARET, GRANT & CO., INC.	10641	SATELLITE BEACH, FL	11/05/2008 - 08/19/2024
IA	AMERITAS INVESTMENT CORP	14869	SALEM, OH	11/29/2007 - 11/17/2008

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?

No



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

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Firm Name: **OXENFREE FINANCIAL**
Main Address: 1900 S. HARBOR CITY BLVD.
STE. 111
MELBOURNE, FL 32901-4725
Firm ID#: 327105

	Regulator	Registration	Status	Date
	Florida	Investment Adviser Representative	Approved	08/27/2024

Branch Office Locations

OXENFREE FINANCIAL
1900 S. HARBOR CITY BLVD.
STE. 111
MELBOURNE, FL 32901-4725



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, 2 general industry/product exams, and 1 state securities law exam.

Principal/Supervisory Exams

Exam	Category	Date
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No information reported.

General Industry/Product Exams

Exam	Category	Date
B Securities Industry Essentials Examination (SIE)	SIE	10/01/2018
B General Securities Representative Examination (S7)	Series 7	06/29/2001

State Securities Law Exams

Exam	Category	Date
B Uniform Securities Agent State Law Examination (S63)	Series 63	07/03/2001



PROFESSIONAL DESIGNATIONS

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

Certified Financial Planner

Only professional designations listed in Question 8 of the Form U4 will appear in this section if the appropriate box is checked and verified by the issuing organization at the time of the filing. Learn more about eligible designations at [IARD](#) and [NASAA](#).



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PREVIOUSLY REGISTERED WITH THE FOLLOWING FIRMS

This representative held registrations with the following firms:

	Registration Dates	Firm Name	ID#	Branch Location
IA	11/07/2008 - 08/19/2024	CADARET GRANT & CO INC	CRD# 10641	SATELLITE BEACH, FL
B	11/05/2008 - 08/19/2024	CADARET, GRANT & CO., INC.	CRD# 10641	SATELLITE BEACH, FL
IA	11/29/2007 - 11/17/2008	AMERITAS INVESTMENT CORP	CRD# 14869	SALEM, OH
B	08/12/2003 - 11/17/2008	AMERITAS INVESTMENT CORP.	CRD# 14869	SALEM, OH
B	07/02/2001 - 06/05/2003	EDWARD JONES	CRD# 250	ST. LOUIS, MO
B	12/09/1994 - 01/12/1995	AMERICAN EXPRESS FINANCIAL ADVISORS INC.	CRD# 6363	
B	12/09/1994 - 01/12/1995	IDS LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY	CRD# 6321	

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	OXENFREE TAX LLC	SENIOR TAX ACCOUNTANT	N	MELBOURNE, FL, United States
08/2024 - Present	OXENFREE FINANCIAL	INVESTMENT ADVISER REPRESENTATIVE	Y	MELBOURNE, FL, United States
11/2008 - 08/2024	CADARET, GRANT & CO., INC.	REGISTERED REPRESENTATIVE	Y	Satellite Beach, FL, United States
11/2008 - 08/2024	STEER FINANCIAL ADVISORS	OWNER	Y	Satellite Beach, FL, 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. INDEPENDENT INS AGENT, SELL FIXED INSURANCE PRODUCTS; 2. WORLD RENEWAL INTERNATIONAL, PO BOX 399 GREENFIELD, IN, START 1/2007, SECRETARY, NON-INVESTMENT RELATED, MISSION ORGANIZATION WITH



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OTHER BUSINESS ACTIVITIES

MISSIONARIES IN MULTIPLE COUNTRIES, 1 HOUR MONTHLY, CONFERENCE CALLS WITH BOARD MEMBERS; 3. OXENFREE TAX LLC dba OXENFREE ACCOUNTING & TAX SERVICE, MELBOURNE, FL, SENIOR TAX ACCOUNTANT, TAX & ACCOUNTING SERVICES, START 1/2026, NON-INVESTMENT RELATED, 30 HOURS PER WEEK; 4. ROCK HARBOR COVENANT CHURCH, EXECUTIVE PASTOR, NON-INVESTMENT RELATED, CHURCH LEADERSHIP, START 5/2026, 40 HOURS MONTHLY. 5. EQUITY ADVISORS, LLC, INVESTMENT-RELATED: YES. 1031 LYNN WAY, ZEPHYR COVE, NV 89448 START 10/2025. POSITION/TITLE/RELATIONSHIP-REFERRAL/FACILITATION ACTIVITY THROUGH ADVISORY FIRM. APX NUMBER OF HOURS PER WEEK: VARIES. APX NUMBER OF HOURS DURING SECURITIES TRADING HOURS: VARIES. BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF DUTIES: INTRODUCES CLIENTS TO INVESTMENT ADVISER FOR SPECIALIZED TAX-RELATED STRATEGIES; MAY PROVIDE GENERAL DESCRIPTIVE INFORMATION AND ATTEND INTRODUCTORY MEETINGS; DOES NOT PROVIDE INVESTMENT, TAX, OR LEGAL ADVICE ON BEHALF OF ENTITY. COMPENSATION RECEIVED THROUGH ADVISORY FIRM. 6. TAX STRATEGIES MARKETING, LLC, INVESTMENT-RELATED: YES. 1031 LYNN WAY, ZEPHYR COVE, NV 89448. START 10/2025. POSITION/TITLE/RELATIONSHIP-REFERRAL/FACILITATION ACTIVITY THROUGH ADVISORY FIRM. APX NUMBER OF HOURS PER WEEK: VARIES. APX NUMBER OF HOURS DURING SECURITIES TRADING HOURS: VARIES. BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF DUTIES: INTRODUCES CLIENTS FOR ADVANCED TAX STRATEGY SERVICES; MAY PROVIDE GENERAL DESCRIPTIVE INFORMATION AND ATTEND INTRODUCTORY MEETINGS; DOES NOT STRUCTURE OR EXPLAIN STRATEGIES AND DOES NOT PROVIDE TAX OR LEGAL ADVICE ON BEHALF OF ENTITY. COMPENSATION RECEIVED THROUGH ADVISORY FIRM.



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