



IAPD Report

RYAN LANE MCDONALD

CRD# 2720049

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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

RYAN LANE MCDONALD (CRD# 2720049)

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 **12/02/2025**.

CURRENT EMPLOYERS

	Firm	CRD#	Registered Since
IA	VANN EQUITY MANAGEMENT LLC	CRD# 174239	11/22/2021

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	PER STIRLING CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, LLC	151671	Dallas, TX	02/03/2020 - 11/12/2021
IA	TRS ADVISORS, LLC	283248	Dallas, TX	02/26/2018 - 12/26/2019
IA	JIM POE & ASSOCIATES, INC.	140232	FT. WORTH, TX	08/09/2017 - 12/23/2019

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
Judgment/Lien	9



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).

Employment 1 of 1

Firm Name: **VANN EQUITY MANAGEMENT LLC**
Main Address: 4975 PRESTON PARK BLVD #490
PLANO, TX 75093
Firm ID#: 174239

	Regulator	Registration	Status	Date
IA	Texas	Investment Adviser Representative	Approved	11/22/2021

Branch Office Locations

VANN EQUITY MANAGEMENT LLC
4975 PRESTON PARK BLVD #490
PLANO, TX 75093



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

Principal/Supervisory Exams

	Exam	Category	Date
B	General Securities Principal Examination (S24)	Series 24	04/23/1997

General Industry/Product Exams

	Exam	Category	Date
B	Securities Industry Essentials Examination (SIE)	SIE	09/29/2016
B	General Securities Representative Examination (S7)	Series 7	06/11/1996

State Securities Law Exams

	Exam	Category	Date
IA B	Uniform Combined State Law Examination (S66)	Series 66	06/09/2017
B	Uniform Securities Agent State Law Examination (S63)	Series 63	05/02/1996



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	02/03/2020 - 11/12/2021	PER STIRLING CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, LLC	CRD# 151671	Dallas, TX
IA	02/26/2018 - 12/26/2019	TRS ADVISORS, LLC	CRD# 283248	Dallas, TX
IA	08/09/2017 - 12/23/2019	JIM POE & ASSOCIATES, INC.	CRD# 140232	FT. WORTH, TX
B	03/02/2016 - 09/29/2016	INVESTMENT PROFESSIONALS, INC.	CRD# 30184	FORT WORTH, TX
B	01/02/2014 - 03/01/2016	CALTON & ASSOCIATES, INC.	CRD# 20999	TAMPA, FL
B	12/05/2005 - 12/23/2013	FOX FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT CORPORATION	CRD# 134277	CARROLLTON, TX
B	06/12/1996 - 12/03/2005	FOX & COMPANY INVESTMENTS INC.	CRD# 18517	SCOTTSDALE, AZ

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
11/2021 - Present	Vann Equity Management LLC	Investment Advisor Representative	Y	Plano, TX, United States
06/2021 - 11/2021	B. B. Graham & Co. Inc.	Insurance Agent	Y	Austin, TX, United States
01/2020 - 11/2021	Per Stirling Capital Management, LLC	Investment Adviser Representative	Y	Dallas, TX, United States
01/2020 - 08/2020	B. B. Graham & Co. Inc.	Insurance Agent	Y	Austin, TX, United States
01/2020 - 08/2020	Producer's Choice, LLC	Insurance Agent	Y	Troy, MI, United States
01/2018 - 12/2019	TRS Advisors, LLC	Investment Adviser Representative	Y	Dallas, TX, United States
05/2017 - 12/2019	MBL Insurance Agency (d/b/a DFW Retirement Planners)	Insurance Agent	Y	Fort Worth, TX, United States
03/2017 - 12/2019	Jim Poe & Associates	Investment Advisor Representative	Y	Fort Worth, TX, United States



Registration & Employment History



EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

Employment Dates	Employer Name	Position	Investment Related	Employer Location
03/2017 - 12/2019	Senior Retirement Planners	Financial Planner	Y	Fort Worth, TX, United States
10/2016 - 03/2017	Self Employed	Insurance Agent	Y	Athens, TX, United States
03/2016 - 09/2016	IPI	Financial Planner	Y	Fort Worth, TX, United States
01/2014 - 02/2016	CALTON & ASSOCIATES, INC.	REGISTERED REP	Y	DALLAS, TX, 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) Insurance Sales: non-investment related. 3001 Paul Street Abilene, TX 79606; Start Date: 06/2021; Fixed Annuities, Long Term Care, and Whole Life. 5 hours a month is spent on this activity during trading hours.
- 2) Director on the board for the Russ Martin show Listeners Foundation, a charitable organization, compensation received as investment manager, investment related.



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
Judgment/Lien	9

Judgment/Lien

This disclosure event involves an unsatisfied and outstanding judgment or lien against the Investment Adviser Representative.

Disclosure 1 of 9

Reporting Source:	Individual
Judgment/Lien Holder:	Jim Poe & Associates, Inc.
Judgment/Lien Amount:	\$150,000.00
Judgment/Lien Type:	Civil
Date Filed with Court:	12/21/2020
Date Individual Learned:	12/21/2020
Type of Court:	State Court
Name of Court:	Texas 17th Judicial District Court
Location of Court:	Tarrant County, Texas
Docket/Case #:	017-315551-20
Judgment/Lien Outstanding?	Yes
Broker Statement	This Agreed Judgment was a result of a Non-Disclosure and Non-Competition Agreement dispute between myself and my former employer, Jim Poe & Associates, Inc. This matter has been settled pursuant to the confidential settlement agreement agreed upon by both parties, and the Agreed Judgement will not be entered or made final as long as the terms thereof are met.

Disclosure 2 of 9

Reporting Source:	Individual
Judgment/Lien Holder:	IRS
Judgment/Lien Amount:	\$87,478.65
Judgment/Lien Type:	Tax
Date Filed with Court:	04/19/2007
Date Individual Learned:	06/24/2015



Type of Court: COUNTY
Name of Court: DENTON, COUNTY COURT
Location of Court: DENTON COUNTY, TX
Docket/Case #: 45866
Judgment/Lien Outstanding? Yes

Disclosure 3 of 9

Reporting Source: Individual
Judgment/Lien Holder: IRS
Judgment/Lien Amount: \$121,707.91
Judgment/Lien Type: Tax
Date Filed with Court: 11/04/2013
Date Individual Learned: 06/24/2015
Type of Court: COUNTY
Name of Court: HENDERSON COUNTY COURT
Location of Court: ATHENS, TX
Docket/Case #: 16157
Judgment/Lien Outstanding? Yes

Disclosure 4 of 9

Reporting Source: Individual
Judgment/Lien Holder: IRS
Judgment/Lien Amount: \$42,183.32
Judgment/Lien Type: Tax
Date Filed with Court: 05/03/2013
Date Individual Learned: 06/24/2015
Type of Court: COUNTY
Name of Court: HENDERSON COUNTY
Location of Court: ATHENS, TX
Docket/Case #: 6491
Judgment/Lien Outstanding? Yes

Disclosure 5 of 9

Reporting Source: Individual
Judgment/Lien Holder: IRS
Judgment/Lien Amount: \$74,556.44
Judgment/Lien Type: Tax
Date Filed with Court: 01/18/2011



Date Individual Learned: 06/24/2015
Type of Court: COUNTY
Name of Court: HENDERSON COUNTY
Location of Court: ATHENS, TX
Docket/Case #: 725
Judgment/Lien Outstanding? Yes

Disclosure 6 of 9

Reporting Source: Individual
Judgment/Lien Holder: IRS
Judgment/Lien Amount: \$57,706.88
Judgment/Lien Type: Tax
Date Filed with Court: 01/18/2011
Date Individual Learned: 06/24/2015
Type of Court: COUNTY
Name of Court: HENDERSSON COUNTY
Location of Court: ATHENS, TX
Docket/Case #: 726
Judgment/Lien Outstanding? Yes

Disclosure 7 of 9

Reporting Source: Individual
Judgment/Lien Holder: IRS
Judgment/Lien Amount: \$22,426.00
Judgment/Lien Type: Tax
Date Filed with Court: 01/17/2008
Date Individual Learned: 06/24/2015
Type of Court: COUNTY
Name of Court: DENTON COUNTY
Location of Court: DENTON COUNTY, TX
Docket/Case #: 200800005990
Judgment/Lien Outstanding? Yes

Disclosure 8 of 9

Reporting Source: Individual
Judgment/Lien Holder: IRS
Judgment/Lien Amount: \$9,516.00



Judgment/Lien Type:	Tax
Date Filed with Court:	10/20/2003
Date Individual Learned:	06/24/2015
Type of Court:	COUNTY
Name of Court:	COLLIN COUNTY COURT
Location of Court:	MCKINNEY, TX
Docket/Case #:	3800317003
Judgment/Lien Outstanding?	Yes

Disclosure 9 of 9

Reporting Source:	Individual
Judgment/Lien Holder:	INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE
Judgment/Lien Amount:	\$194,519.13
Judgment/Lien Type:	Tax
Date Filed with Court:	07/10/2013
Type of Court:	IRS
Name of Court:	IRS
Location of Court:	TYLER TX
Judgment/Lien Outstanding?	Yes



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