

# IAPD Report Jane Ruguru Mepham

CRD# 7114609

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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 <a href="http://www.nasaa.org/IAPD/IARReports.cfm">http://www.nasaa.org/IAPD/IARReports.cfm</a>

#### 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 <a href="http://www.nasaa.org">http://www.nasaa.org</a>



## **Report Summary**

## Jane Ruguru Mepham (CRD# 7114609)

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 **08/26/2024**.

#### **CURRENT EMPLOYERS**

	Firm	CRD#	Registered Since
IA	ELGON FINANCIAL ADVISORS	CRD# 310458	09/15/2020
IA	ORIGIN INVESTMENT ADVISORY LLC	CRD# 305353	05/04/2021

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This representative is currently registered in **0** SRO(s) and **2** 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	<b>REGISTRATION DATES</b>
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No information reported.

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

## Employment 1 of 2

Firm Name:	ELGON FINANCIAL ADVISORS
Main Address:	AUSTIN, TX
Firm ID#:	310458

	Regulator	Registration	Status	Date
IA	California	Investment Adviser Representative	Approved	09/19/2024
IA	Texas	Investment Adviser Representative	Approved	09/15/2020

### **Branch Office Locations**

#### **ELGON FINANCIAL ADVISORS** AUSTIN, TX

### Employment 2 of 2

#### Firm Name: **ORIGIN INVESTMENT ADVISORY LLC** Main Address: **68 HARRISON AVENUE** STE 605 PMB 50966 BOSTON, MA 02115-1929 305353

Firm ID#:

	Regulator	Registration	Status	Date
IA	Texas	Investment Adviser Representative	Approved	05/04/2021

#### **Branch Office Locations**

#### **ORIGIN INVESTMENT ADVISORY LLC** 5900 Balcones Drive Suite 4040 Austin, TX 78731



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

#### **Principal/Supervisory Exams**

	Exam	Category	Date
	No information reported.		
General			
	Exam	Category	Date
	No information reported.		
State Se	curities Law Exams		
State Se	curities Law Exams Exam	Category	Date

### 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:

No information reported.

## 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
05/2021 - Present	Blend Financial, Inc. dba Origin Financial	Financial Planner	Y	Austin, TX, United States
07/2020 - Present	Elgon Financial Advisors LLC	Owner and CCO	Y	Austin, TX, United States
05/2019 - 06/2020	Northwestern Mutual	Associate Wealth Management Advisor	Y	Edina, MN, United States
01/2019 - 04/2019	Unemployed	Unemployed	Ν	Austin, TX, United States
03/2018 - 12/2018	Bryant University	Full time CFP Student	Ν	Waltham, MA, United States
03/2016 - 02/2018	Staples	Consulting Application Architect - Customer Data & SAS	Ν	Framingham, MA, United States
07/2013 - 02/2016	Staples	Global Technology Manager - Customer Analytics	Ν	Framingham, MA, 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.

Jane Mepham is contracted out as a financial planner for Blend Financial, Inc. dba Origin Financial ("Origin Financial"). There is no relationship that exists between EFA and Origin Financial. This arrangement may present a material conflict of interest because she might be incentivized to refer Origin's clients to EFA's service. Though this is highly unlikely, EFA will address this conflict of interest by conducting proper due diligence on any prospective clients, and will only accept clients if EFA's service are truly suitable to the client's needs.

Jane Mepham does contract work as a public speaker for speaking engagement or financial coaching-related workshops. Jane does not provide individualized investment advice as part of this activity. This activity accounts for 5% of Jane Mepham's time. This outside business activity does not affect clients of Elgon Financial Advisors.



## End of Report

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