



IAPD Report

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CRD# 8146897

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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

Brian Kenneth Altounian (CRD# 8146897)

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 **03/06/2026**.

CURRENT EMPLOYERS

	Firm	CRD#	Registered Since
IA	VANDERBILT ADVISORY SERVICES	CRD# 116537	03/02/2026

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
B	VANDERBILT SECURITIES, LLC	5953	Calabasas, CA	03/05/2026 - 03/06/2026
IA	MIRAMONTES CAPITAL, LLC	264786	NEWPORT BEACH, CA	08/18/2025 - 02/17/2026

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

Employment 1 of 1

Firm Name: **VANDERBILT ADVISORY SERVICES**
Main Address: 125 FROEHLICH FARM BLVD.
WOODBURY, NY 11797
Firm ID#: 116537

Regulator	Registration	Status	Date
IA California	Investment Adviser Representative	Approved	03/02/2026

Branch Office Locations

VANDERBILT ADVISORY SERVICES
5000 Parkway Calabasas Suite 202
Calabasas, CA 91302



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 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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B General Securities Representative Examination (S7TO)	Series 7TO	01/05/2026
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B Securities Industry Essentials Examination (SIE)	SIE	11/11/2025
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State Securities Law Exams

Exam	Category	Date
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B Uniform Securities Agent State Law Examination (S63)	Series 63	01/13/2026
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IA Uniform Investment Adviser Law Examination (S65)	Series 65	07/31/2025
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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	03/05/2026 - 03/06/2026	VANDERBILT SECURITIES, LLC	CRD# 5953	Calabasas, CA
IA	08/18/2025 - 02/17/2026	MIRAMONTES CAPITAL, LLC	CRD# 264786	NEWPORT BEACH, 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
02/2026 - Present	Vanderbilt Advisory Services	Investment Advisor Representative	Y	Woodbury, NY, United States
02/2026 - Present	Vanderbilt Securities, LLC	Registered Representative	Y	Woodbury, NY, United States
02/2015 - Present	Self Employed	Life Insurance Sales	N	Los Angeles, CA, United States
08/2025 - 02/2026	MIRAMONTES CAPITAL, LLC	Financial Advisor.	Y	Newport Beach, CA, 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) Harbor Light Financial Strategies. Not Investment related. Start date: 02/15/2015. Address: 738 S. Los Angeles Street, 706 Los Angeles CA 90014. Title: Financial Professional. Duties: Financial education, Life Insurance and Fixed Annuity Sales. Time spent during regular hours: 75%.
- 2) Bottom Line Concepts. Not investment related. Start date: 10/01/2022. Address: 738 S. Los Angeles St. 706, Los Angeles, CA 90014. Title: Consultant. Duties: Referred business owners to the advisors at Bottom Line Concepts for access to ERTC Tax Credit Program. Program is now closed and there is no activity but this OBA remains active as I have residual referral trails. Time spent during regular hours: 0%.
- 3) Champion Health. Not Investment related. Start date: 09/01/2025. Address: 738 S. Los Angeles St. 706, Los Angeles, CA 90014. Title: Consultant. Duties: Refer business owners to Champion Health Representatives to add a Section 125 Cafeteria plan as an additional health care benefit to their employees. Time spent during regular hours: 1%.
- 4) We Are Brave Together. Not Investment related. Start date: 05/09/2023. Address: 738 S. Los Angeles St. 706, Los Angeles, CA 90014. Title: Board Member. Duties: Quarterly Board Meetings. Time spent during regular hours: 0%.
- 5) Yes I Can Unity Through Music. Not Investment related. Start date: 03/29/2022. Address: 738 S. Los Angeles St. 706, Los Angeles, CA 90014. Title: Board Member. Duties: Board Member. Time spent during regular hours: 0%.



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OTHER BUSINESS ACTIVITIES

6) High Score Financial. Not Investment related. Start date: 10/01/2022. Address: 738 S. Los Angeles St. 706, Los Angeles, CA 90014. Title: Consultant. Duties: Refer individuals and companies to High Score Financial to access a program to improve their credit scores. Time spent during regular hours: 1%



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:

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Regulatory Event	1
Judgment/Lien	1

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:	Individual
Regulatory Action Initiated By:	The California Department of Corporations
Sanction(s) Sought:	Cease and Desist
Date Initiated:	01/06/2015
Docket/Case Number:	Not Available
Employing firm when activity occurred which led to the regulatory action:	Alliance Acquisitions, Inc.
Product Type:	Other: Private Capital Raise
Allegations:	The California Department of Corporations took the action of filing a cease and desist order for "offering and selling securities in the State of California which included untrue statement of material facts or omissions of material fact" (Corporations Code section 25401, subdivision (b)).
Current Status:	Final
Resolution:	Order
Does the order constitute a final order based on violations of any laws or regulations that prohibit fraudulent, manipulative, or deceptive conduct?	Yes
Resolution Date:	01/06/2015



Sanctions Ordered:

Cease and Desist



Judgment/Lien

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

Disclosure 1 of 1

Reporting Source: Individual
Judgment/Lien Holder: Douglas Emmett 1995 LLC
Judgment/Lien Amount: \$1,000,136.98
Judgment/Lien Type: Civil
Date Filed with Court: 01/01/2012
Date Individual Learned: 01/20/2026
Type of Court: State Court
Name of Court: California, Los Angeles Superior Court
Location of Court: Los Angeles, CA
Docket/Case #: SC111149
Judgment/Lien Outstanding? Yes

Broker Statement

I served as an officer of Platinum Studios in 2006, at which time the company executed a lease agreement for corporate offices with Douglas Emmett. I resigned from my positions as President and Chief Operating Officer in 2009. A dispute was filed against Platinum Studios in 2011. I was named in the filing because I had co-signed the original lease in 2006. At the time, I was under the impression that the matter had been resolved in 2011, as an SEC filing referenced settlement negotiations occurring at the same time my resignation from the Board of Directors was accepted. I did not receive any notification of an outstanding obligation until the judgment was recently discovered.



End of Report

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