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Ms. Yardley is responsible for the regulatory oversight of our advisory practice - ensuring our business activities are compliant with all federal and state regulations and that we are operating in compliance with our written policies and procedures. Her other duties include, but are not limited to, meeting periodically with all employees to impress upon them their fundamental principles of conduct and professionalism in following our Code of Ethics and confirming they are acting in our clients' best interests in discharging their duties.

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Additional information about Schaeffer Financial, LLC and Karen P. Schaeffer is also available on the SEC's website at www.adviserinfo.sec.gov.



Karen P. Schaeffer, CFP®

CRD#: 705691
Year of Birth: 1954

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND AND BUSINESS EXPERIENCE

Education

1976 - Grand Valley State University: Bachelor of Science in Sociology & Psychology

Licenses

FINRA Exams: Series 63 - Uniform Securities Agent State Law Examination (Retired)
Series 65 - Uniform Investment Advisor Law Examination

Insurance: Maryland Life, Health & Variable Annuity Insurance

Designations: **CERTIFIED FINANCIAL PLANNER™ (CFP®) Certification¹ (CFP® since 1983)** - The CFP® designation is issued by the Certified Financial Planner Board of Standards, Inc. The CFP® requires certificate holders to have a bachelor's degree, three (3) years professional working experience in the area of financial planning, and to successfully pass the examination process. To retain their CFP® designation certificate holders are required to pay an annual certification fee, complete 30-hours of continuing education every two (2) years, and adhere to the CFP® Board's Code of Ethics and Professional Responsibility, Rules of Conduct, and Financial Planning Practice Standards.

Business Background

12/1989 - PresentSchaeffer Financial, LLC

Position: Managing Member & Investment Advisor Representative

10/1991 - 12/2013Financial Advisory Services, Inc.

Position: Business Consultant & Editor

Ms. Schaeffer has been advising clients for over 35 years and has developed a diverse client base including professional women, foreign service officers, foreign nationals and federal government employees.

In addition to her financial planning practice, Ms. Schaeffer is a popular lecturer and seminar leader. She has spoken on global financial planning issues at many international conferences and has represented the CFP Board at Financial Planning Standards Board meetings around the world. Routinely she conducts programs on a wide variety of topics, from minimizing estate taxes to developing investment strategies, to planning for retirement. Some of the organizations that have drawn on her expertise include The World Bank, The Department of Treasury, The International Monetary Fund, FDIC and The Department of State.

Ms. Schaeffer served as Chair of the Financial Standards Practice Board Council, the global standard setting body for CERTIFIED FINANCIAL PLANNER™ and for the Certified Financial Planners Board of Standards. She is also Life Director for the Board of Montgomery Hospice and is a Past Chair of the Board of the Academy of the Holy Cross. She is a member and past National Board Member of the Financial Planning Association, a member of the Estate Planning Council of Washington, D.C. as well as the International Women's Forum.

Ms. Schaeffer is also an adept and engaging instructor. She has held adjunct faculty positions with the College for Financial Planning in Denver and George Washington University in Washington, D.C. She has worked with the National Institute of Transition Planning as well as McGehrin & Associates for 25 and 15 years, respectively, as an instructor and educator. Ms. Schaeffer is often asked to design and teach continuing education courses for CFP certificates, CPAs and other financial services professionals.

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DISCIPLINARY INFORMATION

Ms. Schaeffer does not have any disciplinary events to report.

OTHER BUSINESS ACTIVITIES

Ms. Schaeffer is not involved in any other business activities.

ADDITIONAL COMPENSATION

Ms. Schaeffer does not receive any economic benefit, incentives, sales awards, prizes or bonuses that are based on the number or amount of sales, client referrals, or from opening new accounts.

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Richard W. Schaeffer, CFP®

CRD#: 1202659
Year of Birth: 1952

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND AND BUSINESS EXPERIENCE

Education

1975 - Grand Valley State University: Bachelor of Science in Economics & Political Science

Licenses

FINRA Exams: Series 7 - General Securities Representative
Series 63 - Uniform Securities Agent State Law Examination
Series 65 - Uniform Investment Advisor Law Examination

Insurance: Maryland Life, Health & Variable Annuity Insurance

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Business Background

12/1989 - PresentSchaeffer Financial, LLC
Position: Investment Advisor Representative

03/1989 - PresentLPL Financial
Position: Registered Representative

02/1992 - 04/2005Financial Services Advisory, LLC
Position: Investment Advisor Representative

Mr. Schaeffer has been advising clients for over 35 years, specializing in retirement and investment planning for government employees and foreign nationals. He is a member of the Financial Planning Association, the Financial Services Institute and served on the D.G. Liu Board.

After earning a Bachelor of Science degree in Economics from Grand Valley State University in Michigan, Mr. Schaeffer completed two years as a Peace Corps Volunteer (Brazil) before beginning his career in financial planning.

DISCIPLINARY INFORMATION

Mr. Schaeffer does not have any disciplinary events to report.

OTHER BUSINESS ACTIVITIES

Licensed Insurance Agent & Registered Representative

Mr. Schaeffer is a registered representative of LPL Financial and commissioned insurance agent. He will receive commissions associated with securities transactions and insurance sales. This can create a conflict of interest when recommending through a financial planning arrangement that you purchase securities and/or insurance that he can also earn a commission. In addition, there are also potential conflicts of interest when Mr. Schaeffer suggests the need for outside consultations and professional services (i.e., attorneys or accountants, etc.) to implement certain aspects of the financial plan. Even though he does not share in any fees earned by the outside professionals to whom you may be referred, it does create an incentive for him to refer your business to only those entities that in turn refer potential clients to him.

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Year of Birth: 1952

Continuation of Licensed Insurance Agent & Registered Representative

In both cases, there is potential for divided loyalty and the objectivity of the advice rendered could be subjective and create a disadvantage to you. Therefore, to ensure you understand the choices and risks you have in receiving financial planning services along with all other investment recommendations, the following disclosures are provided to assist you with your decisions:

- You are under **no obligation to accept** Mr. Schaeffer's advice and purchase the securities he recommends. **You are free to reject his recommendation and make your own choice.**
- You are under **no obligation to accept** Mr. Schaeffer's recommendation to purchase insurance related products. You are free to reject the recommendation and choose the insurance agency, agent, and insurance company from whom to purchase the insurance. However, keep in mind that if you elect to purchase the insurance, **regardless of where, and from whom you purchase it, such person will be entitled to earn a commission.**
- You are under no obligation to have any professional that Mr. Schaeffer recommends prepare planning documents (*i.e.*, estate, retirement, tax, etc.). **You are free to choose those outside professionals to implement the recommendations made from our financial planning services.**

For more information about other potential conflicts of interest, see our Disclosure Brochure, Item 10, "Other Financial Industry Activities & Affiliations" and Item 14, "Client Referrals & Other Compensation". Notwithstanding such potential conflicts of interest, we strive to act in your best interest and ensure disclosure is properly made to you in compliance with the Investment Advisor Act of 1940, Rule 275.206.

ADDITIONAL COMPENSATION

Mr. Schaeffer does not receive any economic benefit, incentives, sales awards, prizes or bonuses that are based on the number or amount of sales, client referrals, or from opening new accounts.

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Karen P. Schaeffer, Managing Member, supervises the investment activities of Ms. Yardley on an ongoing basis to ensure your best interests are served. Ms. Schaeffer can be reached at 301.933.5550

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Kaitlin Schaeffer Yardley, CFP®

CRD#: 5336245
Year of Birth: 1981

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND AND BUSINESS EXPERIENCE

Education

2003 - University of Dayton: Bachelor of Science in Finance

Licenses

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Business Background

08/2014 - PresentSchaeffer Financial, LLC
Position: CCO & Investment Advisor Representative

07/2013 - 07/2014Trailing Spouse

10/2012 - 06/2013Expat Insurance
Position: Insurance Consultant

03/2012 - 09/2012Trailing Spouse

06/2010 - 02/2012Yeske Buie
Position: Financial Planner

07/2008 - 06/2010My Financial Advice, Inc.
Position: Financial Planner

03/2007 - 01/2009Schaeffer Financial, LLC
Position: Financial Planner

As the Compliance Manager for Schaeffer Financial, Ms. Yardley's primary role includes, but is not limited to, performing routine reviews and evaluations of required compliance documents.

In addition to working at Schaeffer Financial, Ms. Yardley has worked as a Financial Planner at a firm in San Francisco, CA and as an Insurance Consultant in Singapore. She is a member of the Financial Planning Association and participates in the Houston, TX Chapter.

DISCIPLINARY INFORMATION

Ms. Yardley does not have any disciplinary events to report.

OTHER BUSINESS ACTIVITIES

Ms. Yardley is not involved in any other business activities.

ADDITIONAL COMPENSATION

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Claire R. Dwyer, CFP®

CRD#: 6570914
Year of Birth: 1992

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND AND BUSINESS EXPERIENCE

Education

2014 - High Point University: Bachelor of Science in Chemistry

Licenses

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Business Background

09/2015 - PresentSchaeffer Financial, LLC
Position: Investment Advisor & Client Service Representative

06/2014 - 09/2015Unemployed

08/2010 - 06/2014High Point University
Position: Full-Time Student

DISCIPLINARY INFORMATION

Ms. Dwyer does not have any disciplinary events to report.

OTHER BUSINESS ACTIVITIES

Ms. Dwyer is not involved in any other business activities.

ADDITIONAL COMPENSATION

Ms. Dwyer does not receive any economic benefit, incentives, sales awards, prizes or bonuses that are based on the number or amount of sales, client referrals, or from opening new accounts.

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Brandon J. Keehr, CFP®

CRD#: 7569252
Year of Birth: 1981

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND AND BUSINESS EXPERIENCE

Education

2012 - Ashford University: Bachelor of Arts in Organizational Management

Licenses

FINRA Exams: Series 7 - General Securities Representative
Series 63 - Uniform Securities Agent State Law Examination
SIE - Securities Industry Essentials Examination

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Business Background

07/2022 - PresentLPL Financial
Position: Assistant
06/2022 - PresentSchaeffer Financial, LLC
Position: Investment Advisor Representative
09/1999 - 09/2022United States Army
Position: Active Duty Service Member

Mr. Keehr specializes in retirement and investment planning for local, state, and federal government employees and foreign nationals. He is a member of the Financial Planning Association and participates in the Michigan Chapter. Before beginning his career in financial planning with Schaeffer Financial, Mr. Keehr completed 23 years of service in the U.S. Army. As a Special Forces "Green Beret" with expertise in Financial Intelligence and Counter Threat Finance, his role as a key leader and trusted advisor to senior leaders in both U.S. and foreign government agencies provided Mr. Keehr with unique perspectives on global commerce and international finance.

DISCIPLINARY INFORMATION

Mr. Keehr not been the subject of any legal or disciplinary action by any court, regulatory agency, or self-regulatory organization in the past ten years.

OTHER BUSINESS ACTIVITIES

Registered Representative

Mr. Keehr is a registered representative of LPL Financial and will receive commissions associated with securities transactions. This can create a conflict of interest when recommending through a financial planning arrangement that you purchase securities that he can also earn a commission. In addition, there are also potential conflicts of interest when Mr. Keehr suggests the need for outside consultations and professional services (i.e., attorneys or accountants, etc.) to implement certain aspects of the financial plan. Even though he does not share in any fees earned by the outside professionals to whom you may be referred, it does create an incentive for him to refer your business to only those entities that in turn refer potential clients

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