Edelman Financial Engines™



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Educational Background and Experience

Year of Birth: 1963

Formal Education: Bachelor of Business Administration in Accounting, University of Oklahoma
Juris Doctor, University of Oklahoma
Certified Public Accountant, Oklahoma Accountancy Board
Personal Financial Specialist, American Institute of Certified Public Accountants

Business Background: Brian has been with Edelman Financial Engines since 2023.

Employment History:

- **2023 - Present:** Director, Financial Planning at Edelman Financial Engines
- **1993 - 2023:** Financial Planner at Align Wealth Management
- **1988 - 1993:** Attorney at Fowler White Law Firm
- **1985 - 1985:** Staff Accountant at Price Waterhouse

Professional Designation(s): CERTIFIED FINANCIAL PLANNER®

Disciplinary Information

Like all Registered Investment Advisors, we are required to disclose all material facts regarding any legal or disciplinary events that could materially influence your evaluation of your advisor.

Brian has no legal or disciplinary events to report.

Other Business-Related Activities

There is no other business activity to report.

Additional Compensation

Brian may receive additional compensation from the Firm for providing advisory services in limited circumstances, such as when new accounts are opened due to referrals from current clients or for increasing certain types of clients who hold accounts at the firm. Brian receives no economic benefit for providing advisory services from any third parties.

Supervision

Brian is supervised by Ro Mehrotra, Senior Vice President, Wealth Client and his team, who can be reached at (201) 431-5005. Supervision is conducted in a variety of ways, including face to face meetings, telephone calls and the review of activity reports.

Important Information About the CERTIFIED FINANCIAL PLANNER® (CFP®) Designation: Those with the CFP® certification have demonstrated competency in all areas of finance related to financial planning. Candidates for the CFP® mark must pass a certification exam administered by the Certified Financial Planner Board of Standards, Inc. that focuses on more than 100 topics of concern to the financial planning field. In addition to passing the CFP® exam, candidates must also complete qualifying work experience and agree to the CFP Board's Standards and Policies, which include CFP® Certification Requirements, Code of Ethics and Standards of Conduct, Fitness Standards for Candidates and Professionals Eligible for Reinstatement, Procedural Rules, Guide to Use of the CFP® Certification Marks, and Privacy Policy. Finally, certified CFP® professionals must complete 30 hours of continuing education every two years. Certified Financial Planner Board of Standards Inc. owns the marks CFP® certification and CERTIFIED FINANCIAL PLANNER® certification in the U.S., which it awards to individuals who successfully complete CFP Board's initial and ongoing certification requirements.