This brochure supplement provides information about Christopher Andrew Hopkins that supplements the Apogee Wealth Partners, LLC brochure. You should have received a copy of that brochure. Please contact Christopher Andrew Hopkins if you did not receive Apogee Wealth Partners, LLC's brochure or if you have any questions about the contents of this supplement.

Additional information about Christopher Andrew Hopkins is also available on the SEC's website at www.adviserinfo.sec.gov.

# Apogee Wealth Partners, LLC

Form ADV Part 2B - Individual Disclosure Brochure

for

## **Christopher Andrew Hopkins**

Personal CRD Number: 2911667 Investment Adviser Representative

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## Item 2: Educational Background and Business Experience

Name: Christopher Andrew Hopkins Born: 1958

#### **Educational Background and Professional Designations:**

#### **Education:**

MBA Finance, University of TN Chattanooga - 2003 BA Physics, California State University Fullerton – 1984 BA Economics, California State University Fullerton - 1984

### **Designations:**

#### **CFA - Chartered Financial Analyst**

The Chartered Financial Analyst (CFA) charter is a globally respected, graduate-level investment credential established in 1962 and awarded by CFA Institute - the largest global association of investment professionals.

There are currently more than 90,000 CFA charterholders working in 134 countries. To earn the CFA charter, candidates must: 1) pass three sequential, six-hour examinations; 2) have at least four years of qualified professional investment experience; 3) join CFA Institute as members; and 4) commit to abide by, and annually reaffirm, their adherence to the CFA Institute Code of Ethics and Standards of Professional Conduct.

#### **High Ethical Standards**

The CFA Institute Code of Ethics and Standards of Professional Conduct, enforced through an active professional conduct program, require CFA charterholders to:

- Place their clients' interests ahead of their own
- Maintain independence and objectivity
- Act with integrity
- Maintain and improve their professional competence
- Disclose conflicts of interest and legal matters

#### **Global Recognition**

Passing the three CFA exams is a difficult feat that requires extensive study (successful candidates report spending an average of 300 hours of study per level). Earning the CFA charter demonstrates mastery of many of the advanced skills needed for investment analysis and decision making in today's quickly evolving global financial industry. As a result, employers and clients are increasingly seeking CFA charterholders-often making the charter a prerequisite for employment.

Additionally, regulatory bodies in 22 countries and territories recognize the CFA charter as a proxy for meeting certain licensing requirements, and more than 125 colleges and universities around the world have incorporated a majority of the CFA Program curriculum into their own finance courses.

#### Comprehensive and Current Knowledge

The CFA Program curriculum provides a comprehensive framework of knowledge for investment decision making and is firmly grounded in the knowledge and skills used every day in the investment profession. The three levels of the CFA Program test a proficiency with a wide range of fundamental and advanced investment topics, including ethical and professional standards, fixed-income and equity analysis, alternative and derivative investments, economics, financial reporting standards, portfolio management, and wealth planning.

The CFA Program curriculum is updated every year by experts from around the world to ensure that candidates learn the most relevant and practical new tools, ideas, and investment and wealth management skills to reflect the dynamic and complex nature of the profession.

To learn more about the CFA charter, visit www.cfainstitute.org.

## **Business Background:**

05/2022 - Present	Managing Member & Chief Compliance Officer Apogee Wealth Partners, LLC
03/2021 - 05/2021	Managing Member & Chief Compliance Officer Apogee Wealth Partners, LLC
04/2004 - 03/2021	VP/CCO Barnett & Co Inc
09/2003 - 05/2015	Adjunct Professor University of TN Chattanooga

## **Item 3: Disciplinary Information**

Registered investment advisors are required to disclose all material facts regarding any legal or disciplinary events that would materially affect your evaluation of Apogee Wealth Partners LLC.

There are no disciplinary disclosures to report.

#### **Item 4: Other Business Activities**

None.

#### **Item 5: Additional Compensation**

Christopher Hopkins does not receive any economic benefit from any person, company, or organization, other than Apogee Wealth Partners, LLC in exchange for providing clients advisory services through Apogee Wealth Partners, LLC.

## **Item 6: Supervision**

As the Chief Compliance Officer of Apogee Wealth Partners, LLC, Christopher Andrew Hopkins supervises all activities of the firm. Christopher Andrew Hopkins's contact information is on the cover page of this disclosure document. Christopher Andrew Hopkins adheres to applicable regulatory requirements, together with all policies and procedures outlined in the firm's code of ethics and compliance manual.

## **Item 7: Requirements For State Registered Advisers**

This disclosure is required by state securities authorities and is provided for your use in evaluating this investment advisor representative's suitability.

A. Christopher Andrew Hopkins has NOT been involved in any of the events listed below.

- 1. An award or otherwise being found liable in an arbitration claim alleging damages in excess of \$2,500, involving any of the following:
  - a) an investment or an investment-related business or activity;
  - b) fraud, false statement(s), or omissions;
  - c) theft, embezzlement, or other wrongful taking of property;
  - d) bribery, forgery, counterfeiting, or extortion; or
  - e) dishonest, unfair, or unethical practices.
- 2. An award or otherwise being found liable in a civil, self-regulatory organization, or administrative proceeding involving any of the following:
  - a) an investment or an investment-related business or activity;
  - b) fraud, false statement(s), or omissions;
  - c) theft, embezzlement, or other wrongful taking of property;
  - d) bribery, forgery, counterfeiting, or extortion; or
  - e) dishonest, unfair, or unethical practices.
- B. Christopher Andrew Hopkins has NOT been the subject of a bankruptcy.