

**Brochure Supplement
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This brochure supplement provides information about Ms. Teper that supplements The Sterling Group firm brochure. You should have received a copy of that brochure. Please contact our office, if you did not receive The Sterling Group firm brochure or if you have any questions about the contents of this supplement.

Additional information about Ms. Teper is available on the SEC's website at www.adviserinfo.sec.gov.

Item 2 – Educational Background and Business Experience

Anna Teper, CFA[®], was born in 1974 in Kishinev, Moldova. She attended the California State University, Northridge and graduated with a Bachelors of Science in Computer Science. In August 2008, she obtained the Certified Financial Analyst designation. From November 2002 through June 2005 Anna served as a Trading Data Analyst for Plexus Group, Inc., a subsidiary of JP Morgan Chase Bank. From June 2005 through October 2005 she served as a Performance Analyst for Roxbury Capital and from October 2005 through November 2013 she served as a Senior Investment Analyst for Genworth Financial Wealth Management. Ms. Teper began her association with The Sterling Group in November 2013.

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Item 3 - Disciplinary Information

We have nothing to disclose in this regard.¹

Item 4 – Other Business Activities

Ms. Teper has no outside business activities to disclose.

Item 5 - Additional Compensation

We have nothing to disclose in this regard.

¹ **Note:** Our firm may, under certain circumstances, rebut the presumption that a disciplinary event is material. If an event is immaterial, we are not required to disclose it. When we review a legal or disciplinary event involving Ms. Teper to determine whether it is appropriate to rebut the presumption of materiality, we consider all of the following factors: (1) the proximity of Ms. Teper to the advisory function; (2) the nature of the infraction that led to the disciplinary event; (3) the severity of the disciplinary sanction; and (4) the time elapsed since the date of the disciplinary event. If we conclude that the materiality presumption has been overcome, we prepare and maintain a file memorandum of our determination in our records. We follow SEC rule 204-2(a)(14)(iii) and similar state rules.

Item 6 - Supervision

C. Hunt Salembier, Chief Compliance Officer of The Sterling Group, supervises and monitors Ms. Teper's activities on a regular basis to ensure compliance with The Sterling Group's Code of Ethics. Please contact Mr. Salembier if you have any questions regarding Ms. Teper's brochure supplement at 626-440-5995.