

Part 2A of Form ADV: Firm Brochure

Item 1 Cover Page

This brochure provides information about the qualifications and business practices of Cristata Wealth Solutions. If you have any questions about the contents of this brochure, please contact us at 410-480-1900 or [wj Riley@cristatawealth.com](mailto:wjriley@cristatawealth.com) . The information in this brochure has not been approved or verified by the United States Securities and Exchange Commission or by any state securities authority. Additional information about Advisor is available through the SEC's website at www.adviserinfo.sec.gov. Clients can search this site by using Advisor's name or by an identification number known as a CRD number. The CRD number for Advisor is 148503.

Cristata Wealth Solutions, is a registered investment advisor or "RIA," this does not imply that the SEC has endorsed our firm or its principals.

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Item 2 Material Changes

N/A

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Advisory Business

Cristata Wealth Solutions LLC (hereinafter referred to as “Advisor”) offers personalized investment advisory services to clients. Cristata Wealth Solutions, LLC was commenced operations in 2009.

Advisor is a limited liability company formed under the laws of the State of Maryland. The principal owners of Advisor are Jonathan E. Bradley and William J. Riley. This brochure provides clients with information regarding Advisor and the qualifications, business practices, and nature of advisory services that should be considered before becoming an advisory client.

Additional information about Advisor is available through the SEC's website at www.adviserinfo.sec.gov. Clients can search this site by using Advisor's name or by an identification number known as a CRD number. The CRD number for Advisor is 148503.

Advisory Business

Advisor provides portfolio management services defined as giving continuous investment advice to a client and making investments for the client based on the individual needs of the client. Through this service, Advisor offers a highly customized and individualized investment program for clients. A specific asset allocation strategy and investment policy is crafted to focus on the specific client's goals and objectives. Portfolios will or may consist of equity securities, fixed income, certificates of deposit, mutual funds, municipal securities, options contracts and United States government securities. Clients may not impose restrictions upon certain securities or types of securities.

Advisor may provide portfolio management services through accounts maintained at Charles Schwab & Company, Inc., as a result of its participation in the Schwab Institutional platform, or through a qualified custodian selected by the client. Advisor will generally be granted trading authorization on the client's account held at Charles Schwab or the custodian selected by the client. Advisor may also provide asset review services on accounts in which trading authorization is not granted. Under this agreement, Advisor will provide ongoing review services of the client's assets; however, the client must implement all trades in the account and Advisor will not have direct access to the account.

Assets Under Management

The assets under management are \$57,764,228 as of March 31, 2012
Discretionary \$29,174,543 Non-Discretionary \$28,589,685

Fees and Compensation

Clients are charged for Advisor's portfolio management services based on a percentage of assets under management or review. Charges for portfolio management services generally do not exceed 1.00% annually on the first \$1,000,000 under management or review. For assets above \$1,000,000, the percentage fee will be lower and is negotiable with client. Negotiable factors used to determine the annual fee include, but are not necessarily limited to, the number of accounts being managed, the amount of assets under management, whether discretionary or non-discretionary authorization is required and the overall complexity of the client's financial situation.

Item 5 Fees and Compensation

Clients must meet the account minimum of \$150,000 to establish a portfolio management account. However, exceptions to this minimum may be granted by Advisor. The exact services and fees will be agreed upon and disclosed in the agreement for services prior to services being provided.

Fees for Advisor's services are billed quarterly in arrears based on the value of the account at the end of the quarter. Fees are generally deducted directly from the client's account. Clients must provide the custodian with written authorization to have fees deducted from the account and paid to Advisor. When fees are deducted from an account, we will send the client an invoice itemizing the fee and the same time we send notice to the custodian to have fees debited from the account. The client invoice includes the formula used to calculate the fee, the amount of assets under management the fee is based on, and the time period covered by the fee. The ability to deduct fees from client accounts is considered custody. Please refer to Item 15 – Custody of this Disclosure Brochure for more information. Upon discretion of Advisor, clients may pay fees directly to Advisor. For clients that pay directly, payment is due upon the client's receipt of the billing statement from Advisor. The custodian will send client statements, at least quarterly, showing (among other details) all disbursements for the account including the amount of the advisory fee, if deducted directly from the account.

Clients may establish managed accounts on margin. When managing accounts on margin, Advisor will generally charge fees based on the total assets under management rather than the net value of the account (i.e. the total value minus portion held on margin). For some clients we charge based on the net value of the account. When clients pay an asset management fee based on the assets under management versus the net value of an account (1) they will pay additional fees for securities bought on margin and (2) Advisor has a conflict of interest when securities are bought on margin because this will increase advisory fees. However to control for this conflict of interest, Advisor manages margin accounts only on an unsolicited basis and Advisor does not recommend the use of margin unless necessary for the client's given situation. Please see Item 8 for more details regarding margin accounts.

Brokerage commissions and/or transaction ticket fees charged by the custodian will be billed directly to the client. Advisor will not receive any portion of such commissions or fees from the custodian or client. In addition, clients may incur certain charges imposed by third parties other than the advisor in connection with investments made through the account, including but not limited to, mutual fund sales loads, 12(b)-1 fees and surrender charges, variable annuity fees and surrender charges, and IRA and qualified retirement plan fees. Management fees charged by the advisor are separate and distinct from the fees and expenses charged by investment company securities that may be recommended to clients. A description of these fees and expenses are available in each investment company security's prospectus.

Either party may terminate the agreement for services at any time. If services are terminated within five (5) business days of executing the agreement, services will be terminated without penalty and no fees shall be due. If services are terminated after the initial five day period, the client will be responsible for paying any fees earned by Advisor based on the number of days services are provided during the final period. In the event a client terminates services, termination shall be effective from the time Advisor receives written notification or such other time as may be mutually agreed upon, subject to the settlement of transactions in progress and the final payment of advisory fees. There will be no penalty charge upon termination. In the event Advisor terminates the relationship, the agreement will be terminated on the fifth day after written notification is delivered to the client or such time as may be mutually agreed upon, also subject to the settlement of transactions in progress and the final payment of advisory fees.

Item 6 *Performance-Based Fees* and Side-By-Side Management

N/A

Item 7 Types of *Clients*

Our clients are individuals, pension and profit sharing, trusts, estates, or charitable organizations.
Conditions for Managing Accounts. Advisor's minimum investment amount for establishing a portfolio management account is \$150,000. This minimum investment amount may be waived by Advisor.

Methods of Analysis involve the following resources but are not limited to:

Charting
Cyclical
Fundamental
Technical

Financial newspapers and magazines
Timing services
Inspections of corporate activities
Annual reports, prospectuses, filings with the
Research materials prepared by others Securities and Exchange Commission
Corporate rating services
Company press releases

Cristata Wealth Solutions, LLC has a long term investment approach and objective. Investing in securities involves risk of loss to capital investment, please read any accompanying prospectuses prior to investment, capital loss may result due to changes in market condition or climate.

Cristata Wealth Solutions, LLC will invest in certain mutual funds and or individual securities that may produce taxable income or capital gain exposure.

Advisor, tends to focus towards mutual funds and some individual equity or common stock portfolios which have risk to capital investment or loss due to weak market or economic conditions.

Our Investment Strategies

Long term purchases
Margin transactions
(securities held at least a year)
Short term purchases
Option writing, including covered options,
(securities sold within a year) uncovered options or spreading strategies
Trading (securities sold within 30 days)

- Margin transaction disclosure: To the extent that you authorize the use of margin, and margin accounts are managed by our Firm, the market value of your account and corresponding fee payable to our firm will be increased. As a result, in addition to understanding and assuming the additional principal risks associated with the use of margin (see below), clients authorizing margin are advised of the potential conflict of interest whereby the decision to use margin will correspondingly increase the management fee paid to our firm. Accordingly, the decision as to whether to open a margin account is left totally to the discretion of client.

A margin account will be carried by the broker/dealer of your account. The securities purchased in such an account are the broker/dealer's collateral for its loan to you.

If the securities in a margin account decline in value, the value of the collateral supporting this loan also declines, and, as a result, a brokerage firm is required to take action, such as issue a margin call and/or sell securities or other assets in your accounts, in order to maintain necessary level of equity in the account.

It is important that you fully understand the risks involved in trading securities on margin, which are applicable to any margin account that you may maintain, including any margin account that may be established as a part of our Investment Management Services and held by your broker/dealer. These risks include the following:

- You can lose more funds than you deposit in your margin account.
- The broker/dealer can force the sale of securities or other assets in your account.
- The broker/dealer can sell your securities or other assets without contacting you.
- You are not entitled to choose which securities or other assets in your margin account that may be liquidated or sold to meet a margin call.

- The broker/dealer may move securities held in your cash account to your margin account and pledge the transferred securities.
- The broker/dealer can increase its “house” maintenance margin requirements at any time and are not required to provide you advance written notice.
- You are not entitled to an extension of time on a margin call.

Risk of Loss

All investment portfolios managed by Cristata Wealth Solutions LLC, or Cristata Investment Management have risk of capital loss and investing in securities involves risk of loss that clients should be prepared to bear.

Item 9 Disciplinary Information

N/A

Item 10 Other Financial Industry Activities and Affiliations

N/A

Participation or Interest in Client Transactions.

Advisor and its associated persons may buy or sell securities that are also recommended to clients. In order to minimize this conflict of interest, securities recommended by Advisor are widely held and publicly traded. In addition, in accordance with its fiduciary duty to clients, Advisor and its associated persons will place client interests ahead of their own interests.

Advisor has established a Code of Ethics that will apply to all of its associated persons. As a fiduciary, it is an investment adviser's responsibility to provide fair and full disclosure of all material facts and to act solely in the best interest of each of our clients at all times. Advisor has a fiduciary duty to all clients. This fiduciary duty is considered the core underlying principle for the advisor's Code of Ethics which also covers its Insider Trading and Personal Securities Transactions Policies and Procedures. Advisor requires all of its supervised persons to conduct business with the highest level of ethical standards and to comply with all federal and state securities laws at all times. Full disclosure of all material facts and potential conflicts of interest will be provided to clients prior to any services being conducted. Advisor and its supervised persons must conduct business in an honest, ethical and fair manner and avoid all circumstances that might negatively affect or appear to affect our duty of complete loyalty to all clients. This disclosure is provided to give all clients a summary of Advisor's Code of Ethics. However, if a client or a potential client wishes to review advisor's Code of Ethics in its entirety, a copy will be provided promptly upon request.

Selection of Broker/Dealer. Clients are not obligated to implement the investment advice provided by Advisor and may select any investment advisor or broker/dealer the client wants to implement investment recommendations. When Advisor assists in the implementation of any recommendations, Advisor has a responsibility to ensure that the client receives the best execution possible. Best execution possible is not defined by the cheapest overall execution but is determined based on the overall qualitative benefits received.

For clients that wish to establish a portfolio management through Advisor, Charles Schwab & Company, Inc. (Charles Schwab) will be recommended by Advisor. Clients that agree to use Charles Schwab must establish a brokerage account with Charles Schwab, a registered broker-dealer, member SIPC, to maintain custody of their assets and provide execution of securities transactions. On at least an annual basis, Advisor will review alternative custodians in the marketplace for comparison to the currently used custodian, evaluating criteria such as overall expertise, cost competitiveness and financial condition. Quality of execution for custodians will be reviewed through trade journal evaluations. No single criteria will validate nor invalidate a custodian, but rather, all criteria taken together will be used in evaluating the currently utilized custodian.

Advisor's decision to recommend Charles Schwab is based on Advisor's participation in Schwab Institutional. Advisor is independently owned and operated and not affiliated with Charles Schwab. Through the Schwab Institutional platform, Advisor is provided with access to Charles Schwab's institutional trading and custody services, which are typically not available to Charles Schwab retail investors. These services generally are available to independent investment advisors on an unsolicited basis, at no charge to them so long as a total of at least \$10 million of Advisor's clients' assets is maintained in accounts at Schwab Institutional and is not otherwise contingent upon Advisor committing to Charles Schwab any specific amount of business (assets in custody).

For Advisor's clients' accounts maintained in its custody, Charles Schwab does not charge separately for custody but is compensated by account holders through commissions or other transaction-related fees for securities trades that are executed through Charles Schwab or that settle into Charles Schwab accounts.

Charles Schwab also makes available to Advisor other products and services that benefit Advisor but may not benefit its clients' accounts. Thus, by using Charles Schwab we receive research, products and services that we do not have to pay for or produce ourselves. This creates a conflict of interest in that our recommendation of Charles Schwab is partially based on receiving products and services and not necessarily entirely based on our clients' receiving most favorable execution. Many products and services assist Advisor in managing and administering clients' accounts and most other services help us with our business and overall ability to provide services to clients. These include software and other technology that provide access to client account data (such as trade confirmation and account statements); facilitate trade execution (and allocation of aggregated trade orders for multiple client accounts); provide research, pricing information and other market data; facilitate payment of the advisor's fees from its clients' accounts; and assist with back-office functions; recordkeeping and client reporting. Many of these services generally may be used to service all or a substantial number of Advisor's accounts. Schwab Institutional also makes available to the advisor other services intended to help the advisor manage and further develop its business enterprise. These services may include consulting, publications and conferences on practice management, information technology, business succession, regulatory compliance and marketing. In addition, Charles Schwab may make available, arrange and/or pay for these types of services rendered to Advisor by independent third party providing these services to Advisor. While as a fiduciary, Advisor endeavors to act in its clients' best interests, and while Advisor's recommendation that clients maintain their assets in accounts at Charles Schwab may be based in part on the benefit to Advisor of the availability of some of the foregoing products and services; nevertheless, these products and services by facilitating Advisor's workload are also effectively benefiting Advisor's clients as well.

While Advisor recommends Charles Schwab, clients are free to select any broker/dealer of their own choosing. When a client directs the use of a particular broker/dealer or other custodian, Advisor may not be able to obtain the best prices and execution for the transaction. (See: Continuation Page 1,

Review of Accounts

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Portfolio management account reviews are conducted by Advisor at least quarterly. Jonathan Bradley, CEO, Portfolio Manager and Managing Member, and William Riley, CCO, Portfolio Manager, Administrative Office and Managing Member are responsible for reviewing all accounts and providing investment advice on behalf of Advisor. Jonathan Bradley provides advice and reviews accounts for his clients and William Riley is responsible for providing advice and reviewing the accounts of his clients.

In addition, there are periodic meetings with the client to discuss projections of annual income, tax planning, funds available for investment, as well as specific and overall personal and investment objectives. Since most investments deal with long term objectives, portfolio revisions are made infrequently. Major changes in cyclical or business conditions would trigger reviews more frequently.

Advisor will review client accounts managed by sub-advisors no less often than quarterly. More frequent reviews may be triggered in the event of changes in money manager personnel, management style or fund closures. Advisor will be available to discuss the management and performance of the client's account and changes in the client's situation which may have an impact on the decision to retain a third-party sub-advisor.

Conditions for Managing Accounts. Advisor's minimum investment amount for establishing a portfolio management account is \$150,000. This minimum investment amount may be waived by Advisor.

Clients will receive statements at least quarterly from Charles Schwab or the custodian at which their accounts are maintained. In addition, we can provide performance and/or position reports to clients upon request and at client meetings.

Item 14 *Client Referrals and Other Compensation*

This item does not apply to our brochure. We do not receive any forms of compensation other than our normal and customary fees disclosed in Item 5 of the brochure. We do not directly or indirectly compensate any person for client referrals.

Custody, as it applies to investment advisors, has been defined by regulators as having access or control over client funds and/or securities. In other words, custody is not limited to physically holding client funds and securities. If an investment advisor has the ability to access or control client funds or securities, the investment advisor is deemed to have custody and must ensure proper procedures are implemented.

Advisor is deemed to have custody of client funds and securities whenever we are given the authority to have fees deducted directly from client accounts. However, this is the only form of custody we maintain. It should be noted that authorization to trade in client accounts is not deemed by regulators to be custody.

For accounts in which we are deemed to have custody, Advisor has established procedures to ensure all client funds and securities are held at a qualified custodian in a separate account for each client under that client's name. Clients or an independent representative of the client will direct, in writing, the establishment of all accounts and therefore are aware of the qualified custodian's name, address and the manner in which the funds or securities are maintained. Finally, account statements are delivered directly from the qualified custodian to each client, or the client's independent representative, at least quarterly. Clients should carefully review those statements and are urged to compare the statements against reports received from Advisor. When clients have questions about their account statements, they should contact Advisor or the qualified custodian preparing the statement.

Through our asset management services and upon receiving written authorization from a client in our agreement for services, we will maintain trading authorization over client accounts. Upon receiving written authorization from the client (as stated in our agreement for services), Advisor may implement trades on a discretionary basis. When discretionary authority is granted, Advisor will have the authority to determine the type of securities and the amount of securities that can be bought or sold for the client's portfolio without obtaining the client's consent for each transaction. However, it is the policy of Advisor to consult with the client prior to making significant changes in the account even when discretionary trading authority is granted by the client.

If you decide to grant trading authorization on a non-discretionary basis, we will be required to contact you prior to implementing changes in your account. Therefore, you will be contacted and required to accept or reject our investment recommendations including:

- The security being recommended
- The number of shares or units
- Whether to buy or sell

Once the above factors are agreed upon, Advisor will be responsible for making decisions regarding the timing of buying or selling an investment and the price at which the investment is bought or sold. If your accounts are managed on a non-discretionary basis, you need to know that if you are not able to be reached or are slow to respond to our request, it can have an adverse impact on the timing of trade implementations and we may not achieve the optimal trading price.

All clients have the ability to place reasonable restrictions on the types of investments that may be purchased in an account. Clients may also place reasonable limitations on the discretionary power granted to our Firm so long as the limitations are specifically set forth or included as an attachment to the client agreement.

Proxy Voting.

Advisor will not vote proxies on behalf of your account. While there are some investment advisors that will vote proxies and other corporate decisions on behalf of their clients, we have determined that taking on the responsibility for voting client securities does not add enough value to the services provided to clients to justify the additional compliance and regulatory costs associated with voting client securities. Therefore, it is your responsibility to vote all proxies for securities held in accounts managed by our firm.

Clients will receive proxies directly from their custodian or transfer agent and such documents will not be delivered by our Firm. Although we do not vote client proxies, if you have a question about a particular proxy feel free to contact us. However, sub-advisors selected by clients may vote proxies for clients. Therefore, except in the event a sub-advisor votes proxies, clients maintain exclusive responsibility for: (1) directing the manner in which proxies solicited by issuers of securities beneficially owned by the client shall be voted, and (2) making all elections relative to any mergers, acquisitions, tender offers, bankruptcy proceedings or other type events pertaining to the client's investment assets. Therefore (except for proxies that may be voted by a sub-advisor), Advisor and/or the client shall instruct the client's qualified custodian to forward to the client copies of all proxies and shareholder communications relating to the client's investment assets.

Item 18 Financial Information

N/A

Executive Officers and Management Personnel

Jonathan E. Bradley, Born 1958

Education Background:

- University of Baltimore, BS Business Administration, Concentration in Accounting: 1982
- Johns Hopkins University Fellows Program, MBA: 2008

Business Background

- Cristata Wealth Solutions, Founder, CEO, Portfolio Manager and Managing Member: 02/2009 – Present;
- Wachovia Securities, LLC, Financial Advisor: 01/2008 – 02/2008; and
- AG Edwards & Sons, Inc., Financial Advisor: 10/1990 – 01/2008.

William J. Riley, Born 1954

Education Background:

- Fordham University, BA: 1976
- Pepperdine University, MS – Management: 1980
- New York University (Stern), MBA – Finance: 1983.

Employment Background:

- Cristata Wealth Solutions, Founder, Portfolio Manager, CCO, Administrative Officer and Managing Member: 4/2009 – Present
- RBC Wealth Management, Financial Advisor: 3/2009-4/2009
- Ferris, Baker Watts, Inc., Investment Executive: 8/2005-3/2009
- Morgan Stanley, Financial Advisor: 10/2000-8/2005

Other Business Activities

Advisor is an independent investment advisory firm and only provides investment advisory services. The firm is not engaged in any other business activities and offers no other services than those described in this Disclosure Brochure. Please refer to Item 10 of this Disclosure Brochure for details.

No Performance Based Fees

As previously disclosed in Item 6, the Firm does not charge performance based fees.

Arbitrations

Advisor and its management personnel have not been involved in an arbitration claim alleging damages in excess of \$2,500 resulting in an award or otherwise being found liable. They have not been involved in a civil, self-regulatory organization, or administrative proceeding resulting in an award or otherwise being found liable.

Issuer of Securities

Advisor does not have relationships with any issuer of securities. Please refer to Item 12 of this Disclosure Brochure for information regarding our brokerage arrangements.

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Clients who direct the use of a particular broker/dealer or custodian may receive less favorable prices than would otherwise be the case if clients had not designated a particular broker/dealer custodian.

Further, clients with directed brokerage arrangements will not be able to participate in aggregate trades (i.e. block trades) and directed trades may be placed by Advisor after effecting non-directed trades.

Transactions implemented by Advisor for client accounts are generally effected independently, unless Advisor decides to purchase or sell the same securities for several clients at approximately the same time. This process is referred to as aggregating orders, batch trading or block trading and is used by Advisor when Advisor believes such action may prove advantageous to clients. When Advisor aggregates client orders, the allocation of securities among client accounts will be done on a fair and equitable basis. Typically, the process of aggregating client orders is done in order to achieve better execution, to negotiate more favorable commission rates or to allocate orders among clients on a more equitable basis in order to avoid differences in prices and transaction fees or other transaction costs that might be obtained when orders are placed independently. Under this procedure, transactions will be averaged as to price and will be allocated among Advisor's clients in proportion to the purchase and sale orders placed for each client account on any given day. When Advisor determines to aggregate client orders for the purchase or sale of securities, including securities in which the associated person of Advisor may invest, Advisor will do so in accordance with the parameters set forth in the SEC No-Action Letter, *SMC Capital, Inc.* It should be noted, Advisor does not receive any additional compensation or remuneration as a result of aggregation.

CUSTOMER PRIVACY POLICY

Regulation S-P, Privacy of Consumer Financial Information, requires financial institutions, including Advisor, to provide notice to current clients and prospective clients about their policies and practices concerning the collection and use of customer, non-public information. This privacy policy notice is given to all prospective clients of Advisor upon entering into a contract with Advisor and annually thereafter.

Privacy Disclosure Statement. A primary goal of Advisor is to protect the privacy of its clients. Advisor does not sell the personal information of clients to anyone.

To conduct regular business, Advisor may collect nonpublic personal information from clients. This information is provided by clients to Advisor on applications and other forms provided by clients to Advisor as well as transactions with the firm, our affiliates, or others.

Advisor may enter into contracts with outside third parties so that Advisor can assist its clients in servicing their accounts. In order to do this, Advisor will disclose personal information to companies that help Advisor process transactions for client accounts (for example, executing client trades at through a broker/dealer). However, Advisor does not share or disclose any nonpublic customer information except as allowed or required by law. In addition to sharing information in order to provide financial services to clients, Advisor may be required to disclose personal information to cooperate with regulators or law enforcement authorities, to resolve customer disputes, or for risk control.

Information Safeguarding. Advisor has implemented strict policies and procedures aimed at protecting the sensitive nature of client information. Advisor restricts access to client information to only those members of Advisor that must provide products and services to clients in order to service client accounts. Advisor has implemented physical, electronic, and procedural safeguards aimed at meeting Advisor's duty to protect nonpublic client information.

If you have any questions concerning Advisor's customer privacy policy or concerns about your personal information please feel free to contact Jonathan Bradley at the phone number listed on page 1 of this Form ADV Disclosure Brochure.

