

# Part 2B of Form ADV: Brochure Supplement June 2020

# Michael W. Dunbar

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#### Item 2: Educational, Background and Business Experience

Name: Michael (Mike) W. Dunbar, CFP, Wealth Advisor Representative and Principal

CRD# 1221526 Born: 1951

### **Education**

- Graduated Washington State University with a BA in Business Administration
- Graduated Washington State University with a BS in Psychology
- Certified Financial Planner (CFP®) Professional Education Program, College of Financial Planning

# **Recent Business Experience**

- Wealth Advisor Representative and Principal, Financial Insights, 2015 to present
- Investment Advisor Representative, Registered Representative and Principal, Purshe Kaplan Sterling Investments, Inc., 2015 to 2019
- Member, Michael Dunbar, CFP LLC, Tax Preparer, 2005 to present
- Investment Advisor Representative, Registered Principal and Registered Representative, NEXT Financial Group, 2009 to 2015

The CERTIFIED FINANCIAL PLANNER™, CFP® and federally registered CFP (with flame design) marks (collectively, the "CFP® marks") are professional certification marks granted in the United States by Certified Financial Planner Board of Standards, Inc. ("CFP Board").

The CFP® certification is a voluntary certification; no federal or state law or regulation requires financial planners to hold CFP® certification. It is recognized in the United States and a number of other countries for its (1) high standard of professional education; (2) stringent code of conduct and standards of practice; and (3) ethical requirements that govern professional engagements with clients. Currently, more than 71,000 individuals have obtained CFP® certification in the United States.

To attain the right to use the CFP® marks, an individual must satisfactorily fulfill the following requirements:

- Education Complete an advanced college-level course of study addressing the financial planning subject
  areas that CFP Board's studies have determined as necessary for the competent and professional delivery of
  financial planning services, and attain a Bachelor's Degree from a regionally accredited United States college
  or university (or its equivalent from a foreign university). CFP Board's financial planning subject areas
  include insurance planning and risk management, employee benefits planning, investment planning, income
  tax planning, retirement planning, and estate planning;
- Examination Pass the comprehensive CFP® Certification Examination. The examination includes case studies and client scenarios designed to test one's ability to correctly diagnose financial planning issues and apply one's knowledge of financial planning to real world circumstances;
- Experience Complete at least three years of full-time financial planning-related experience (or the equivalent, measured as 2,000 hours per year); and
- Ethics Agree to be bound by CFP Board's *Standards of Professional Conduct*, a set of documents outlining the ethical and practice standards for CFP® professionals.

Individuals who become certified must complete the following ongoing education and ethics requirements in order to maintain the right to continue to use the CFP® marks:

- Continuing Education Complete 30 hours of continuing education hours every two years, including two
  hours on the Code of Ethics and other parts of the Standards of Professional Conduct, to maintain
  competence and keep up with developments in the financial planning field; and
- Ethics Renew an agreement to be bound by the *Standards of Professional Conduct*.

  The *Standards* prominently require that CFP® professionals provide financial planning services at a fiduciary standard of care. This means CFP® professionals must provide financial planning services in the best interests of their clients.

CFP® professionals who fail to comply with the above standards and requirements may be subject to CFP Board's enforcement process, which could result in suspension or permanent revocation of their CFP® certification.

# **Item 3: Disciplinary Information**

Michael (Mike) W. Dunbar has no reportable disciplinary history.

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

Michael W. Dunbar performs tax preparation for his clients through Michael Dunbar CFP, LLC. Michael W. Dunbar receives separate compensation for tax preparation services and is compensated through Michael Dunbar CFP, LLC and not by Financial Insights, Inc.

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

Michael W. Dunbar does not receive any economic benefit from a non-advisory client for the provision of advisory services.

# **Item 6: Supervision**

The executive management team of Financial Insights, Inc. is responsible for the supervision of all employees and the Investment Committee is responsible for the oversight of investment advice provided to clients. The executive management team is comprised of Dorothy A. Lewis, President, and Alexandria A. Criss, Managing Partner and Chief Compliance Officer. The Investment Committee is comprised of Michael W. Dunbar, Wealth Advisor Representative, Alexandria A. Criss, Managing Partner and Chief Compliance Officer, Dorothy A. Lewis, President, , Daniel J. McCaffrey, Wealth Advisor Representative, Rhys C. Cooper, Wealth Advisor Representative, , Amanda M. Burrows, Wealth Advisor Representative and Brian A. Babbitt, Investment Portfolio Manager. The Investment Committee documents and oversees investment meetings, all material investment policy changes, and conducts periodic reviews of client portfolios to ensure that client objectives and mandates are being met. Alexandria A. Criss, Managing Partner and Chief Compliance Officer of Financial Insights, Inc. and member of the executive management team and investment management team, is responsible for reviewing the personal trading activities of Michael W. Dunbar.

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