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SECURITIES BROKERAGE FIRMS

Ranked by number of securities brokers in LA County

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Minority-Owned Businesses

Rank		Brokerage	L.A. County Employment • securities brokers • total employees	Services Offered (partial list)	Profile • headquarters • offices (L.A./total)	Top Local Executive	
1	Morgan Stanley	Morgan Stanley Wealth Management 1999 Ave. Of The Stars, Suite 2400 Los Angeles 90067; advisor.morganstanley.com		brokerage and investment advisory, financial and wealth planning	New York 16 / NA	Devon Baranski Managing Director (310) 788-2000	
2	FS.	Merrill Lynch 2049 Century Parkway E. Los Angeles 90067; ml.com		brokerage, investment advisory, banking, trust and other financial services and products	Charlotte, N.C. 228 / 4,300	Brian Ludwick Division Executive, Managing Director (310) 858-4623	
3	WELLS ADVISORS	Wells Fargo Advisors 1999 Ave. of the Stars, Suite 2200 Los Angeles 90067; wellsfargoadvisors.com		financial advisory, brokerage, asset management, retirement planning	St. Louis 114 / 3,219	Paul J. Vannuki LA Market Leader (310) 552-3535	
4	WUBS	UBS Financial Services Inc. 2000 Avenue of the Stars, 7th Floor Los Angeles 90067; ubs.com	340 ¹ NA	brokerage, wealth management, retirement planning, insurance, investments, lending services, investment banking	Zurich & Basel 14 / 350	Justin Frame Market Executive (213) 972-1511	
5	J.P.Morgan wereth management	J.P. Morgan Securities 601 S. Figueroa St., Suite 3550 Los Angeles 90017; chase.com		wealth management, retirement planning, portfolio management, banking, lending, global research	New York 2 / NA	Michael Rogers Regional Director (213) 553-7442	
6	Northwestern Mutual	Northwestern Mutual Investment Services 515 S. Flower St., 34th Floor Los Angeles 90071; northwesternmutual.com		wealth management, advisory, brokerage, private client services, life insurance, long-term care, disability, retirement, investments, planned giving	Milwaukee 3 / 200	Craig Quinlan Managing Director (213) 243-7000	
7	FARMERS INSURANCE	Farmers Financial Solutions 31051 Agoura Rd. Westlake Village 91361; farmersinsurance.com		mutual funds, 529 college savings plans, retirement plans, qualified tax saving investment plans, variable life insurance, annuities	Westlake Village 230 / 3,271	Kris Wood Financial Services Director (866) 888-9739	
8	Fidelity.	Fidelity Investments 2000 Avenue of the Stars, Suite A-50 Los Angeles 90067; fidelity.com	200 ¹ NA	wealth management, brokerage, investment guidance and planning, income products and annuities, active trader services, IRAs, charitable giving	Boston 11 / 200	Linda Park Market Leader (800) 544-5853	
9	ATRIA WOULD SOLOGO	Atria Wealth Solutions ² 70 S. Lake Ave., Seventh Floor Pasadena 91101; wisdirect.com		wealth management solutions holding company; fee-based asset management, financial planning, investment adviser services offered through Atria registered B-D and RIA subsidiaries	Pasadena 14 / 134	William Morrissey Managing Director and Head of the Independent Channel (888) 793-7717	

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2 Previously listed as Western International Securities Inc.
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10	燃	New York Life 6300 Wilshire Blvd., Suite 2200 Los Angeles 90048; Iosangeles.nyloffices.com	150 ¹ 2,200	life, long-term care, retirement, investments	New York 1 / NA	Kyle Jahng Managing Partner (323) 782-3000	
	WEDBUSH	Wedbush Securities 1000 Wilshire Blvd. Los Angeles 90017; wedbush.com	150 ¹ 380	brokerage, investment advisory, wealth management, retirement planning, investment banking, equity research, correspondent clearing	Los Angeles 18 / 100	Gary Wedbush President (213) 688-8000	
12	charles SCHWAB	Charles Schwab 1900 Avenue of the Stars, Suite 101 Los Angeles 90067; schwab.com	125 130	investment advisory services, personal financial planning, active trader services, banking services, estate planning	Westlake, TX NA / NA	Chad Shultz Managing Director - Regional Market Executive (800) 435-4000	
13	CITY NATIONAL SECURITIES	City National Securities Inc. 555 S. Flower St., 11th Floor Los Angeles 90071; cnb.com	120 ° 3,400	managed accounts, advisory services for municipal securities, treasury and agency securities, corporate bonds, preferred securities, comprehensive structured note platform, brokered CDs, mutual funds, UITs, ETFs, 529 plans	Los Angeles 15 / 26	Howard Hammond President (800) 280-1464	
14	RBC	RBC Wealth Management 555 S. Flower St, 22nd Floor Los Angeles 90071; us.rbcwealthmanagement.com		brokerage and investment advisory, financial and wealth planning	Minneapolis ² NA / NA	Michael Melton Director, Southern California (213) 266-4603	
15	Edward Jones	Edward Jones 2615 Pacific Coast Highway, Suite 223 Hermosa Beach 90254; edwardjones.com		financial services, retirement planning, life insurance, college savings plans	St. Louis NA / NA	Nicholas Pennino Regional Leader (310) 376-0504	
16	STIFEL	Stifel Financial Corp. 2121 Avenue of the Stars, Suite 2150 Los Angeles 90067; stifel.com	60 ° 75	taxable and tax-exempt fixed income, investment banking, high-net-worth retail asset management, wealth management, retirement and estate planning, managed accounts, financial planning	St. Louis 2 / 456	Sara Oberlies Brown John Kim Robert Barna Managing Directors (213) 443-5000	
17	DADAVIDSON	D.A. Davidson & Co. 301 N Lake Ave., Suite 800 Pasadena 91101; dadavidson.com	48 57	personal financial planning, investment advisory services, customized life stage and retirement strategies, managed accounts, tax-advantaged investments, trust services	Great Falls, Montana 6 / 112	Andrew Crowell Vice Chairman, Wealth Management (626) 449-0330	

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