

Harry Markopolos
Maddoff Whistleblower

Harry Markopolos realized that Bernard Madoff's investment strategy was an obvious fraud within five minutes, and spent the next nine years trying in vain to alert the Securities and Exchange Commission.

Since the Madoff scandal broke, Markopolos has dedicated himself to becoming the world's most visible and shrewd whistleblower on fraud and conflicts of interest in financial markets. *No One Would Listen* has already become a *New York Times* bestseller, and Markopolos has shared his insights on such prominent media outlets as *The Today Show*, *60 Minutes*, CNN and *The Daily Show*, as well as in major print publications including *The Wall Street Journal* and *The New York Times*. Most recently, he starred in the feature documentary *Chasing Madoff*.

A 17-year veteran of the Army Reserve and National Guard, where he achieved the rank of Major, Markopolos earned his Chartered Financial Analysts designation in 1996 and his Certified Fraud Examiner's designation in 2008. He served as President and CEO of the 4,000 member Boston Security Analysts Society from 2002-2003. Markopolos has also held board seats on the Boston Chapters of both the Global Association of Risk Professionals and QWAFAFEW, a quantitative finance lecture group.

An assistant portfolio manager for Darien Capital Management in Greenwich, CT for three years, he left to become an equity derivatives portfolio manager at Rampart Investment Management Company, Inc. in Boston. Markopolos was promoted to Chief Investment Officer in 2002 but decided to leave the industry in August 2004 to pursue fraud investigations fulltime against Fortune 500 companies in the financial services and healthcare industries. He brings fraud cases to the US Department of Justice and the Internal Revenue Service under existing whistleblower bounty programs. The Madoff investigation was his first fraud case. He's been hooked ever since.