# **NICO ALBA**

# **Technical Writer / Documentation Engineer**

## SUMMARY & LIFE PHILOSOPHY

Seasoned technical writer specializing in docs-as-code and enhancing the developer experience. Passionate about Markdown, API docs, GenAI, blockchain networks, and decentralization.

Carry a growth and accountability mindset, striving for daily self-improvement, increased efficiency, and principled action.

Actively studying Python, JavaScript/TypeScript, API documentation methods, AI tools, and blockchain networks with the goal of contributing to a mission-focused, technical team.

#### **EXPERIENCE**

# -Vice President, Engineering Division

01/2024 - 04/2025

#### Goldman Sachs

- Helped take our internal developer portal from 0 to 300+ products, with 14k monthly active users, 560k monthly page views, hundreds of contributors, and 5k total pages of documentation.
- Evangelized EngHub, docs-as-code, and good documentation across GS Engineering.
- Managed a summer intern on the developer team.

Associate, Engineering Division 01/2022 - 12/2023

Senior Analyst, Engineering Division 07/2020 - 12/2021

**—Technical Writer 3** 04/2019 - 06/2020

Microsoft Redmond, WA

 Helped maintain Azure Stack, Azure Media Services, and Joint Enterprise Defense Infrastructure (JEDI) documentation while focusing on editing, freshness, and SEO optimization.

-Technical Writer 04/2016 - 03/2019

Adobe Lehi, UT

• Created technical documentation for Adobe Experience Cloud. This entailed content production and strategy, editing, publication, release notes, and attaining cross-product proficiency.

-Content Manager

03/2011 - 04/2016

**Diamond Wireless** 

Sandy, UT

## TRAINING / COURSES

Learn Python 3

Swagger and the Open API Specification

API Technical Writing 1: JSON and

API Technical Writing 3: The Art of API Documentation

**Mastering Ethereum** 

Learn JavaScript

Coding for Writers: Basic Programming

**API Technical Writing 2: REST** 

Automate the Boring Stuff with Python

Scrum Master Training



## SKILLS/TOOLS

docs-as-code · dev/API docs ·

end user doc · CI/CD ·

information architecture  $\cdot$  SEO  $\cdot$ 

project mgmt · DevRel/DevOps

VS Code · Git (CLI) · GitLab/GitHub ·

Linux (WSL2) · Jira · Postman ·

static-site generators (MkDocs ·

Sphinx) · Redocly · Swagger/OpenAPI ·

FastAPI · Jupyter Notebook ·

AI/LLM tools · Pandoc · Confluence

#### **LANGUAGES**

English/Spanish Fluent
Markdown Expert
reStructuredText Intermediate
HTML/CSS Intermediate
XML/JSON/YAML Intermediate
Python Actively Learning
Javascript/TS Basic/Learning

# **EDUCATION**

#### **Tech Comm Certificate**

University of California, Riverside (4.0 GPA)

B.S., Sociology

University of Utah

# AWARDS AND ACHIEVEMENTS

- Engineering Tenets AwardGoldman Sachs
- 2024 Goldman Sachs Chess Tournament finalist
- 2016 President's Club (Diamond Wireless)
- 1937 personal best Glicko rating for blitz chess
- 315/435/545 personal bests in power lifting