

ALAN RICH

Front End Developer

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PERSONAL PROFILE

Skilled Front End Developer with experience in fast-paced agency-style SaaS platform customizations with CSS and JavaScript. Highly adaptable quick learner who jumps at the opportunity to learn new technologies. Facilitator who takes initiative to improve processes, tooling, and documentation in the name of greater comprehension and increased productivity. Creative problem-solver with a keen eye for detail.

SKILLS

- Technical writing
- Interpersonal communication
- Empathy for customers & users
- Teamwork
- Accessibility
- Problem solving

TOOLS

- JavaScript
- React
- Redux
- Git
- NPM
- HTML5/CSS3
- Sass
- Bootstrap
- Material UI / Styled-Components

CAREER EXPERIENCE

Front End Developer (December 2019 - Current)

Completed fast-paced agency-style branding and functional customizations to client front ends using JavaScript, React, & Sass (some enterprise-level). Explained solutions and the technical aspects to customers in an accessible way.

- Incorporated API calls to websites providing clients with more robust, dynamic and relevant content.
- Migrated a sites composed of multiple pages into single page apps to improve user experience
- Determined coding requirements for site modifications by establishing and maintaining excellent communication with clients and thoroughly listening to their needs.

Technical Writer (June 2014 - December 2019)

Helped increase organic traffic for pharmaceutical, life science and chemical companies. Created internal documentation to support product development efforts. Developed and directed consumer facing publicity materials. Wrote help and microcopy for back-end, end users and admins.

- Translated old branding to new, accessible versions and met enterprise level client's strict deadlines.
- Wrote and edited blog posts, social media copy and web page content using an SEO focused approach.
- Created and edited digital content for internal and marketing campaigns including blogs, social media copy and web page content
- Monitored social media engagement with tracking charts

EDUCATION

BS Chemistry

Benedictine University (2004-2008), Lisle, IL

- Published Journal of Chemical Education
- Thesis: doi.org/10.1021/ed085p1531