Jared Peeler

Technical Writer

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SKILLS

- General: Visual communication, Clear/concise communication, Audience analysis, Research, Testing/Quality assurance, Project management, Docs-as-code workflow, Accessibility principles, Graphic design, Structured authoring
- Tools: Snagit, Markdown, AsciiDoc, Zendesk, Salesforce, Figma, Adobe Creative Suite, MadCap Flare, MkDocs, Jekyll, Jira/Confluence, Visual Studio Code, Azure DevOps, GitHub, Pendo, Google Analytics, Doc Detective, Readme
- Programmatic: Command-line Git, JavaScript, CI/CD, HTML, CSS, YAML/JSON, OpenAPI/Swagger

WORK EXPERIENCE

Documentation Manager, Waste Harmonics, Victor, NY (Onsite) Waste Management Broker | October 2023 - Present

- Head writer of internal standard operating procedures, policies, work instructions, and reference materials.
- Built a curated internal knowledge base using a docs-as-code workflow, MkDocs static site generator, deployed to Azure Static Web Apps, and source-controlled with Git.
- Set up testing automation to manage outdated content and automatic screenshot updates.
- Collaborated with department heads to develop and streamline new inter-departmental processes.
- Documentation types: Conceptual Overviews, SOPs, Policies, Flowcharts, Work Instructions, Reference Material, User Guides

UX/Technical Writer, Eventus, Austin, TX (Remote)

SaaS Stock Market Surveillance | November 2021 - May 2023

 Sole writer for SaaS customer-facing UI and conceptual documentation.

- Built the Zendesk Help Center that reduced support ticket resolution time and helped Sales with new signings.
- Set up and administered Pendo for usage tracking and in-app guidance that directly affected new product strategies, user experience design, and customer onboarding.
- Managed and curated the internal Confluence wiki, supporting internal processes and developer documentation.
- Wrote, edited, and narrated video overviews of product features using Adobe Creative Cloud.
- Wrote new UX copy for the revamped version of the app.
- Documentation types: Conceptual Overviews, UX copy, UI documentation, In-app Guides, Videos, Product Announcements

Lead Technical Writer, *DirectScale, Orem, UT (Hybrid)*

SaaS Direct Sales Management | October 2019 - November 2021

- Promoted from intern to Technical Writer to Lead Technical Writer.
- Built the Zendesk Help Center with over 700 docs that reduced support ticket resolution time and helped Sales with new signings.
- Built a Readme.io developer documentation site featuring conceptual overviews, code examples, and Rest/.NET API documentation.
- Wrote, edited, and narrated video overviews of product features using Adobe Creative Cloud.
- Documentation types: Conceptual Overviews, How-tos, Tutorials, Troubleshooting, Quick Start Guides, Vidoes, Developer Documentation, API Documentation, Weekly Release Notes

Technical Writing Intern, Zaxis, West Valley City, UT (Remote)

Medical Device Manufacturer | May 2018 - August 2018

- Writing, designed, and published a user guide for a new device launch.
- Interviewed engineers, managers, and marketing to get expert information.
- Documentation types: User Guide

EDUCATION

Bachelor of Arts in English, Appalachian State University, Boone, NC August 2018

- Concentration In Professional Writing
- Minor in Art