**PS-01 — Create Partner (Single) with Cryptographic Intake Receipt (CIR)**

**Intent:** Add a partner fast, clean, and audit-ready; return a provable receipt.

**Flow (happy path)**

1. User enters core fields: legal/DBA names, roles (sold-to/ship-to/etc.), addresses, country, IDs (VAT/PAN/DUNS), contacts.
2. **AI Validator** normalizes names/addresses (NFC, transliteration), detects missing/odd fields, and proposes fixes (never drops data).
3. **Uniqueness & Format Guard:** deterministic checks on legal name + country, reg IDs, email formats; duplicate risk score shown inline.
4. On save, system issues **CIR**: signed receipt {partner\_id, hash\_of\_payload, created\_at, signer\_key}.
5. Emit PartnerCreated event; **auto-screen** request enqueued with your screening service (asynchronously).

**Acceptance**

* Save ≤ 500 ms P95; CIR generated every time.
* Duplicate risk banner shows if similarity ≥ threshold; user can still save (goes to PS-03 flow).
* Immediately visible **Screening status: QUEUED → ALLOW/REVIEW/BLOCK** with WHY+FIX link.

**Innovations:** CIR receipt; AI explainable validation; inline duplicate risk.