Repository Structure Overview

Complete file and directory structure for A Postmodern Sage

Root Level Files

```
postmodern-sage/
├── README.md              # Main repository introduction and navigation
├── LICENSE.md             # CC BY-SA 4.0 license
├── CONTRIBUTING.md          # Contribution guidelines
├── CODE_OF_CONDUCT.md       # Community standards
├── CHANGELOG.md             # Version history and updates
└── .gitignore             # Git ignore rules
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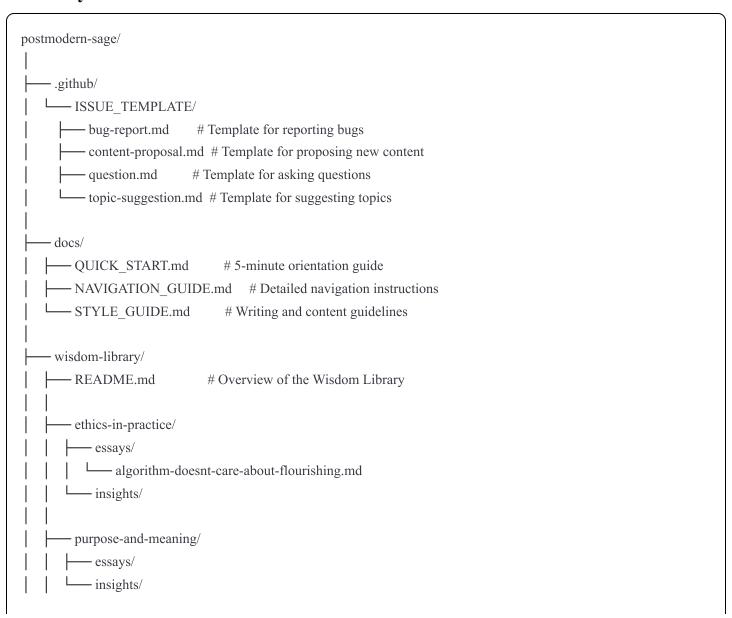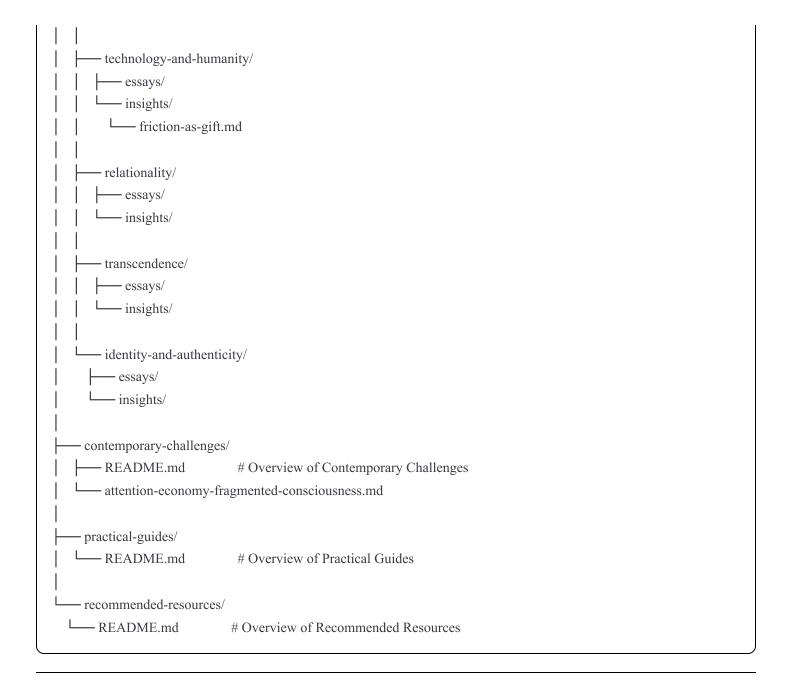
Directory Structure

```
postmodern-sage/
│
├── .github/
│   └── ISSUE_TEMPLATE/
│       ├── bug-report.md      # Template for reporting bugs
│       ├── content-proposal.md  # Template for proposing new content
│       ├── question.md        # Template for asking questions
│       └── topic-suggestion.md  # Template for suggesting topics
│
├── docs/
│   ├── QUICK_START.md         # 5-minute orientation guide
│   ├── NAVIGATION_GUIDE.md    # Detailed navigation instructions
│   └── STYLE_GUIDE.md         # Writing and content guidelines
│
├── wisdom-library/
│   ├── README.md              # Overview of the Wisdom Library
│   │
│   ├── ethics-in-practice/
│   │   ├── essays/
│   │   │   └── algorithm-doesnt-care-about-flourishing.md
│   │   └── insights/
│   │
│   ├── purpose-and-meaning/
│   │   ├── essays/
│   │   └── insights/
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|  |
|  ├── technology-and-humanity/
|  |   ├── essays/
|  |   └── insights/
|  |       └── friction-as-gift.md
|  |
|  ├── relationality/
|  |   ├── essays/
|  |   └── insights/
|  |
|  ├── transcendence/
|  |   ├── essays/
|  |   └── insights/
|  |
|  └── identity-and-authenticity/
|      ├── essays/
|      └── insights/
|
├── contemporary-challenges/
|   ├── README.md              # Overview of Contemporary Challenges
|   └── attention-economy-fragmented-consciousness.md
|
├── practical-guides/
|   └── README.md              # Overview of Practical Guides
|
└── recommended-resources/
    └── README.md              # Overview of Recommended Resources
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Content Distribution

Current Content (v1.0.0)

Core Documentation:

- 5 main documentation files (README, LICENSE, CONTRIBUTING, CODE_OF_CONDUCT, CHANGELOG)

- 3 supplementary guides (Quick Start, Navigation, Style)

- 4 GitHub issue templates

Wisdom Library:

- 1 complete essay (AI ethics)

- 1 complete insight (friction)

- 6 thematic categories established

- 12 subdirectories for future content

Contemporary Challenges:

- 1 complete challenge exploration (attention economy)

- Framework for future additions

Infrastructure:

- Complete directory structure

- Cross-referencing system

- Tagging framework

- Navigation paths

Planned Additions (v1.1.0 - v2.0.0)

See CHANGELOG.md for development roadmap.

File Naming Conventions

Essays and Articles:

- kebab-case-title.md

- Descriptive, SEO-friendly names

- Example: `algorithm-doesnt-care-about-flourishing.md`

Documentation:

- SCREAMING_SNAKE_CASE.md for major docs

- Example: `CONTRIBUTING.md`, `STYLE_GUIDE.md`

Directories:

- kebab-case for multi-word directories

- Example: `ethics-in-practice/`, `contemporary-challenges/`

Growth Strategy

Phase 1 (Current):

- Establish structure

- Populate seed content

- Document guidelines

- Launch publicly

Phase 2 (Months 1-3):

- Add 5-10 essays per category

- Develop practical guides

- Curate resource lists

- Build community

Phase 3 (Months 4-6):

- Expand contemporary challenges

- Develop reading paths

- Create discussion frameworks

- Add multimedia content

Phase 4 (Beyond 6 months):

- Translation projects

- Companion materials

- Educational partnerships

- Platform extensions

Maintenance Notes

Weekly:

- Review new issues and PRs

- Respond to questions

- Moderate discussions

Monthly:

- Update CHANGELOG

- Review analytics (if implemented)

- Plan content additions

- Community engagement

Quarterly:

- Major version updates

- Structure refinements

- Strategic planning

- Community surveys

Technical Details

Repository Type: Git repository optimized for GitHub

Primary Language: Markdown (with future potential for HTML/CSS enhancements)

License: Creative Commons Attribution-ShareAlike 4.0 International

Dependencies: None (pure content, no build process)

Hosting: GitHub (with potential for GitHub Pages deployment)

Access Points

Main Entry: README.md

Quick Access: docs/QUICK_START.md

For Contributors: CONTRIBUTING.md + docs/STYLE_GUIDE.md

For Navigation: docs/NAVIGATION_GUIDE.md

For Community Standards: CODE_OF_CONDUCT.md

This structure is designed to be:

- **Scalable** — Easy to add content without reorganization

- **Navigable** — Clear paths to find relevant material

- **Maintainable** — Logical organization for long-term growth

- **Accessible** — Multiple entry points for different user needs

- **Collaborative** — Clear processes for community contribution

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