# **Alex Katnic**



I'm a senior creative leader with 10 years of multidisciplinary experience...

**Defining and implementing brand tone of voice** to drive consistent, clear, and channel-specific communication

**Building foundational brand architecture** with impact to how a brand shows up visually and verbally

Establishing qualitative and quantitative research that translates into strategic decisions

**Hiring and mentoring** writers and strategists and **managing agency relationships** 

**Driving mechanisms for scale** through tooling, GenAl experimentation, and self-service guidance

**Pitching creative** at the highest levels of leadership

**Navigating ambiguity** with measured confidence and expert articulation

### **Education**

Bentley University, 2015 Presidential Scholarship recipient

### **Awards**

Amazon's "Goes to 11" award
One of four peer-nominated awards given each year

One Show nominee (OOH - Craft Writing)

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#### **Amazon Music**

Head of Copy Strategy Feb 2024- Present Senior Copy Strategist June 2023 - Feb 2024 Copy Strategist Feb 2022 - June 2023

I hire for and manage the centralized team of Marketing and UX Copy Strategists responsible for the quality and consistency of messaging across all Amazon Music initiatives, both in-app (Maestro) and across Marketing ("Becky" Prime Box, Amazon Music Live). I own creative workflows and processes, resourcing, tooling, and reporting for the team.

I work cross-functionally with Design/Motion Design, Research & Insights, Marketing, PR, Localization, Product, Programming, and Talent Partnership teams within Amazon Music, Prime Video, Audible, and XCM to deliver on senior leadership goals.

In order to build strategic integrity, I design foundational brand architecture that determines how we organize, name, speak about, and visualize our offerings at a pan-Amazon level. I establish frameworks needed to operationalize this thinking globally, hosting workshops and tailoring guidance for major markets like IN, JP, and LATAM.

### e.l.f. Beauty

Copy Manager Oct 2021 - Feb 2022

I managed the team of writers responsible for the quality and consistency of tone of voice and messaging across e.l.f. and Well People product GTMs.

Reporting directly into the CMO, I partnered closely with Design, Product, PR, and Legal teams to name and launch 40+ products across new (Whoa Glow) and existing product lines (Power Grip Primer, now the #1 primer in America), and brand partnerships (Dunkin' Donuts).

### **Walmart Fashion**

Senior Copywriter Aug 2020 - Oct 2021 Copywriter Aug 2018 - Aug 2020

I was one of two writers hired to establish the new Walmart Fashion brand voice, creating and socializing global mechanisms for scale to support in a period of high vertical growth.

I wrote and managed the quality of copy across brand partnerships (Sofía Jeans by Sofía Vergara), acquisitions (Scoop), and in-house launches (Kidbox, Free Assembly).

## Other work experience

Copywriter & Content Strategist Jun 2015 - Aug 2018

As both a full-time staffer and contractor, I wrote copy and drove content strategy for several brands including Love Wellness and NYLON Magazine.