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**PROFILE:** Seeking a technical internship in the tech industry where I can utilize my technical skills, my strengths in creativity and problem solving, and my solid academic background to add value to an employer while advancing my skill set.

- Proficient in: Python, C++, HTML, CSS, and JavaScript. Experience with: SQL, php, and Swift.
- Proficient with Algorithms, Data Structures, and Data Analysis.
- Proficient in Web Design, UI/UX and SEO.
- Experience using Web Development Frameworks and APIs.
- Experience in Leadership, Project Management, and Entrepreneurship.
- Tri-lingual (Portuguese, Spanish & English), and strong communication skills in all 3 languages.

## EDUCATION:

Morningside College, Sioux City, IA

May 2021

**Bachelor of Science: Computer Science: Minor: Interactive Design; GPA: 3.8**

Relevant Courses:

- Formal Languages, Automata, and NP Completeness – [Projects](#).
- Data structures and algorithms - [Projects](#)
- Advanced Interaction Design – [Projects](#)
- Web Design – [Projects](#)
- Transition to abstract mathematics
- Crafting Software on the Server – [Projects](#)
- Databases in Practice and Theory
- Computer Org. and Operating Systems - [Projects](#)
- Electronics
- Software Engineering – [Projects](#)
- Network Programming - [Projects](#)

## PROFESSIONAL COMPUTER SCIENCE EXPERIENCE:

**Computer and Technology Services**, Morningside College, Sioux City, IA

Fall 2019 – Present

- Image, install, and administrate hardware.
- Program and maintain code for key processes in the tech infrastructure of the college.
- Customer service, in phone and in person, to help solve technology related problems.

**Independent Projects**, Competitions and Freelancing

Spring 2018 – Present

- Built [web applications](#) for hackathons using frameworks such as Django.
- Designed and developed websites for multiple clients. See work samples [here](#), [here](#), and [here](#).
- Successfully implemented APIs for a Machine Learning application called [MASS](#) that performs language analysis in tweets by region.

**President**, Rocket Club, Sioux City, IA

Fall 2018 – Present

- Design, build, and test model rockets, leading a team of 5 students.
- Program and engineer all the on-board computers and digital [ground testing systems](#).
- Built [OpenGraph](#), a python user friendly interface to display results of engine tests.

**CEO & Co-Founder**, Steven – The International Student Mentor.

Fall 2018 – Present

- Founded the company and currently managing a team of 3 people. [See company website](#).
- Worked with over 21 clients across the U.S.
- [Future Founders Resident](#), [Stukent Entrepreneur of the Year](#), [How I Built This Fellow](#), [Journal Featured](#).

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NOTE: My main focus area is computer science and technology. Yet, I have a vast experience with leadership, entrepreneurship, and marketing. I believe these areas set me apart, and might come in as a plus for a technical position in the tech industry.

## RELATED MARKETING & ENTREPRENEURIAL EXPERIENCE:

**President**, Sustainable Environmental Association, Sioux City, IA

Spring 2018 – Present

- Leader of a group of 12 students.
- Implemented several sustainability programs, including a food redistribution program, and featured in local newspaper articles - [SiouxLandProud](#) & [SiouxLandNews](#).
- Selected to attend the 2018 [Youth Assembly at the United Nations](#), New York City.

**Marketing and Video**, Morningside College, Sioux City, IA

Spring 2018 – Spring 2019

- Marketing Intern for Morningside College, producing videos for various departments of the college.
- Produced one of the [most viewed videos](#) in the College's Facebook page history.
- Developed digital content on [Instagram](#); Reaching over 1400 people.
- Produced digital content on [YouTube](#) about travel, personal development, and technology.

**Leader**, Entrepreneurship Club, Sioux City, IA

Spring 2017 – Present

- Attended several National and Regional Entrepreneurship conferences.
- Participated in the [National Pitch Competition](#), reaching the final 8 amongst over 80 students.
- Directed several discussion panels in National conferences, and lead local on-campus projects.

## REFERENCES:

**Randy Campbell**, Professor

- Computer Science Department Chair
- Morningside College
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**Tina Hrabak**, Mentor

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**Josh Doering**, Mentor

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