**Jacob Shawd**

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**CAREER OBJECTIVE**

Aspiring computer science graduate with a solid foundation in software design, development, and testing. Eager to advance my career as a software engineer by leveraging cutting-edge technologies to create innovative and user-centric digital experiences.

**WORK EXPERIENCE**

**Sandhills Global May 2022 – Present**

*Software Developer Intern Sioux Falls, SD*

* Enhanced company websites, including Value Insight Portal, Telematics Plus, and an Internal Customer Chat App.
* Implemented user feedback to introduce new features, focusing on improving user interfaces for complex vehicle information inputs. Ensured a responsive UI for both desktop and mobile sites. Integrated media support for the chat app in line with messaging service standards.
* Updated APIs to align with revised provider responses, ensuring optimal system performance.
* Ensured ADA compliance and accessibility standards on existing sites.

**Walmart May 2020 – August 2021**

*Cap 2 Mitchell, SD*

* Efficiently stocked merchandise, maintaining organized and visually appealing displays.
* Manually unloaded inventory from truck trailers to be further sorted.

**Wild Oak Golf Course May 2019 – August 2020**

*Grounds Crew Mitchell, SD*

* Maintained course grounds through early morning shifts, ensuring excellent course conditions.
* Operated riding lawnmowers and performed various landscaping tasks.

**EDUCATION**

**Dakota State University August 2021 – May 2024**

*B.S. Computer Science Madison, SD*

* Full-Time Dean's List; 3.94/4.0 GPA
* Successfully managed a transition to online learning while working full-time, completing 12 credits per semester.
* Active member of the Computer Club and Programming Club on campus.
* Dedicated involvement in DSU Day of Giving events, contributing to fundraising and community engagement.

**SKILLS & INTERESTS**

* **Technical Skills:** JavaScript/TypeScript, C#, C/C++, React, Vue, HTML/CSS
* **Other Skills:** GitHub, Figma, UML
* **Interests:** Fitness Enthusiast, Dog Dad