#### JADEN CASTLE

Innovative Web Developer and UX Designer with expertise in research, human-centered design, and content management.

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# **EDUCATION**

# Bachelor of Science, Human-Computer Interaction; Creative Technology Design Minor

University of Colorado, Boulder

# **Relevant Courses:**

Designing Interactions, Statistics, Computational Reasoning 1-2, Quantitative Reasoning, Information Ethics and Policy, User-Centered Design, Web Design, Design Foundations, Data Exploration, Data Exposition, Applied Machine Learning, User Design for Digital Media

# **Certifications:**

# Google UX Design Professional

# **Applications & Programs:**

Python, JavaScript, SQL, Adobe Creative Cloud, Figma, Tableau, HTML, CSS, React.js, Excel, React, Node.js, Express.js

#### Skills:

Analytical Thinking, Full Stack Development, Qualitative Research, Prototyping, Usability Testing

# **WORK EXPERIENCE**

# Web Developer | Anxiety Force

Jan 2025 - Present

Boulder, CO

- Designed and developed **responsive**, user-friendly web interfaces using **HTML**, **CSS**, **JavaScript**, and modern frameworks like **React**, improving user engagement by **25%** and page load speeds by **30%**.
- Debugged and resolved issues across **front-end**, **back-end**, and **database layers**, optimizing database queries and indexing to improve query performance by **40%**.
- Collaborated with **cross-functional** teams to deliver high-quality software solutions
- Utilized Figma for designing and prototyping to achieve pixel-perfect implementations.

# Administrative Assistant | Buff OneCard Office

Jan 2023 - Present

University of Colorado, Boulder, CO

- Handled administrative tasks, including filing and data entry, reducing response times by 12%.
- Facilitated and streamlined in the onboarding of 100+ students by organizing orientation materials and facilitating information sessions

# Research Assistant | ITEC Lab (Information Technology Education & Contexts)

May 2023 - Jan 2024

University of Colorado, Boulder, CO

- Conducted 50+ hours of **qualitative interviews** gathering data for a study on women's first year experience in computer science
- Analyzed and organized 10+ data sets using Miro, contributing to a 20% increase in project efficiency.
- Collaborated with a team of four researchers to design experiments, leading to 15% more accurate data collection.
- Conducted in-depth **literature reviews** and synthesized findings into actionable insights, contributing to **3** peer-reviewed publications

# **PROJECTS**

# Women in CS First Year Experience | NCWIT

**Goal:** Examine the experiences of first-year women in computer science, identifying factors that influence inclusion, exclusion, and retention, with a focus on peer interactions and department culture.

**Contribution:** Conducted **50+ hours of interviews**, **organized 10+ data sets**, and developed a research database, reducing search time by **40%**. Collaborated with a team to improve data collection accuracy by **15%**.