



Cody Edwards - 2021

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Cody was born on December 16, 1992 and raised in Summerville, SC by his parents Sandy and Ed. He was introduced to shag at age 13 by his grandparents Sally and Larry Edwards when they brought him and his brother Austin to Junior SOS. After Junior SOS he spent many Friday nights at JB Pivots in Charleston, SC with friend Casey Cooper learning and practicing anything he would teach him. Cody began competing with Chase Forrester in 2007 and together they placed 1st in the Junior II Division at the National Shag Dance Championships in 2011 & 2013 and at Grand Nationals in 2011 and 2012. Some of his best memories are traveling with junior dance teams Shag Time, Southern Fried with Junior Pride, and Southern Dozen. In 2014, Cody partnered with Krystal Bravo and placed 1st in the Non-Pro division at the National Shag Dance Championships. Cody is a recipient of the Shad Alberty and Beth Mitchell Scholarships, and graduated from Clemson University in 2015 with a Bachelor of Science in Civil Engineering. Currently he is a traffic engineer and resides in Charlotte, NC. Cody thanks all the dancers and friends that have influenced his as a dancer and person. He will continue to preserve the dance and it's culture.