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**The Institutes Announce 2010 Andrew S. Frazier/AICPCU
Honorary Scholarship Recipients**

MALVERN, Pa.— Kanwar Bir Singh Anand and Lacey B. Berry are the 2010 recipients of the Andrew S. Frazier/AICPCU Honorary Scholarship. This award, developed by The Institutes in collaboration with Western World Insurance Group, provides two CPCU scholarships per year to full-time college and university students. The scholarship was developed in honor of Mr. Frazier's 18 years of significant and meaningful leadership contributions to the insurance industry as the former president of Western World Insurance Group.

Anand is a finance (risk and insurance) and economics major in his junior year at Virginia Commonwealth University (VCU). He has a minor in political science and a 3.8 grade point average in the business honors program. He was nominated for the CPCU scholarship by the acting dean of business, David Urban.

Anand has attended numerous conferences and events as an active member of the VCU chapters of the Gamma Iota Sigma, International Professional Risk Management, and Insurance and Actuarial Science fraternities. He is an active member of the VCU Student Government Association and is a co-founder of Partnership for Service, an organization that provides community service programs in Richmond, Va.

Berry is a risk management and insurance major in her junior year at Missouri State University (MSU). She has a 3.96 grade point average and was nominated for the CPCU scholarship by the dean of the College of Business Administration, Danny Arnold.

Berry belongs to the business fraternity Delta Sigma Pi, the risk management and insurance fraternity Gamma Iota Sigma, and the Honors College at MSU.

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