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CALIBER COLLISION CENTERS JOINS COLLISION REPAIR EDUCATION FOUNDATION'S INDUSTRY LEADERSHIP CIRCLE THROUGH \$10,000 DONATION – PROVIDING LOCAL STUDENT SCHOLARSHIPS

Hoffman Estates, IL – November XX, 2011 – Caliber Collision Centers has joined the Collision Repair Education Foundation's *Industry Leadership Circle* donor recognition group through a \$10,000 donation. This donation will help provide educational support to post-secondary collision students at Universal Technical Institute in Houston and Sacramento this spring.

"We are proud to support collision repair students at Universal Technical Institute in Houston and Sacramento who will become the future leaders of the collision repair industry," stated Mark Sanders, Caliber Collision Centers Chief Operating Officer. "Through the Collision Repair Education Foundation, we are committed to becoming a leader in supporting collision repair students throughout California, Arizona, Nevada and Texas as we continue to grow into the collision repair provider of choice in every community we serve."

Collision Repair Education Foundation Executive Director Scott Kruger said, "Thanks to Caliber Collision Centers for supporting the Collision Repair Education Foundation and joining our efforts in supporting collision repair school programs and their students. Through Caliber's donation, educational opportunities for local collision students will be enhanced. The *Industry Leadership Circle* donor recognition designation highlights the extraordinary commitment of industry organizations and individuals to investing in the future of the industry. We welcome Caliber Collision Centers to this group of industry leaders."

About Caliber Collision Centers

Caliber Collision Centers is one of the largest collision repair companies in America with 92 I-CAR Gold Class Professional certified collision repair centers in California, Arizona, Nevada and Texas. Caliber is consistently ranked among the highest customer satisfaction scores in the industry and backs all repair work with a written, lifetime warranty available at any of its 92 repair centers. For more information about Caliber Collision Centers, visit our website at www.calibercollision.com.

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Inter-industry organizations and individuals who are interested in supporting the Education Foundation and increasing the amount of assistance provided to collision schools and students should contact Education Foundation Associate Director of Development Brandon Eckenrode at BrandonEckenrode@ed-foundation.org or 847-463-5244.

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The Collision Repair Education Foundation, founded in 1991, is a not-for-profit organization dedicated to securing donations that support philanthropic and collision repair education activities that promote and enhance career opportunities in the industry. For information on how to donate to programs supported by the Education Foundation visit us on the Internet at: www.CollisionEducationFoundation.org.

