## **AutoCAD and Its Applications BASICS**

## **Exercise 1-5**

- 1. Start AutoCAD. You should see the **Create** page of the **Start Tab**.
- Pick the acad.dwt template from the Templates drop-down list in the Get Started column to start a new drawing.
- 3. Access the **Application Menu** and display each menu. Read the options in each menu without picking any options.
- 4. Pick the **Save** option to activate the **QSAVE** command, and then press [Esc] to cancel the operation.
- 5. Access the **Application Menu** again.
- 6. Hover over the **New** menu to display a list of menu options. Pick **Drawing** to activate the **NEW** command, and then press [Esc] to cancel the operation.
- 7. Access the **Application Menu** again.
- 8. Type the letter s in the **Search** text box to display all commands that begin with s. Type cale after the s to narrow the search to commands associated with scale functions. Pick the first **Scale** option to activate the **SCALE** command, and then press [Esc] to cancel the operation.
- 9. Access the **Application Menu** again and then pick the **Application Menu** button to close the **Application Menu**.
- Close the file without saving. Keep AutoCAD open for the next exercise, or exit AutoCAD if necessary.