

Exercise 1-4

1. Start AutoCAD. You should see the **Create** page of the **Start Tab** if AutoCAD has been activated.
2. Pick the acad.dwt template from the **Templates** drop-down list in the **Get Started** column to start a new drawing.
3. Hover the cursor over multiple interface items to display a tooltip associated with each. Allow the tooltip to expand. Read each tooltip.
4. Access shortcut menus to see their contents by right-clicking on the following locations. Refer to Figure 1-5 to recognize each interface item.
 - Command line
 - Drawing window
 - **Quick Access** toolbar
 - A button on the status bar

Close at least one of the shortcut menus by pressing [Esc] instead of picking an area on the menu.

5. Pick the **Exit Autodesk AutoCAD 2017** button in the lower-right corner of the **Application Menu** to exit AutoCAD, and then pick **No** in the AutoCAD alert box if it appears.
6. Restart AutoCAD for the next exercise if you plan to continue working.