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LIFE CHIROPRACTIC COLLEGE WEST'S ALLISON FRENCH IS NAMED STUDENT OF THE YEAR

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HAYWARD, CALIF., October 28, 2008-- The Alumni Association of Life Chiropractic College West named Allison French, a senior chiropractic intern from Sacramento, California as its 2008 Student of the Year. During the opening session of the college's homecoming events on October 17, French was honored for her exceptional service to Life West, the chiropractic profession and her local community.

French has been an active member of the student body since she began her studies at Life West. Participating in LCCW's events such as Halloween, Spring for Life, Open House and SPA Days, she always manages to bring a sense of care and enthusiasm to everything she does. Working with Dr. Dale Johnson, director of research, in the work-study program, French has made meaningful contributions towards the development, vision and projects of the LCCW research department. She also helped to develop ergonomic seminars at Life West working with Dr. Charles Sherrod and the Ergonomic Institute. Currently, French serves as the Health Center representative for her class on the Health Center Committee.

Her efforts extend well beyond campus affairs. Currently she serves as both the president of the LCCW chapter of World Congress of Chiropractic Students (WCCS) and president of the LCCW chapter of Student California Chiropractic Association (SCCA). French has recently been re-elected to serve as the WCCS regional representative for the western U.S. and Mexico for the 2008-2009 year.

Yet, among all of the organizations which she has served, she is most proud of her involvement in Jacob's Heart, which supports children with cancer and their families.

French earned a bachelor's degree in psychology from the University of Redlands in Southern California. During that time she also completed an internship with Inland Empire mental health facilities to support those suffering from mental illness and those living with HIV/AIDS.

Life West, established in 1976, is an accredited non-profit institution of higher learning. Currently over 400 students from across the United States and abroad are enrolled, and over 3,700 graduates of Life West are now providing chiropractic care worldwide. The college's Health Center, a public outpatient facility, staffed by approximately 150 senior interns who are guided by licensed doctors of chiropractic,

provides affordable health care to more than 1,500 patients per week in the city of Hayward, California.
The college and Health Center maintain a Web site at www.lifewest.edu.

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