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## **CASO WORKING TO TRANSITION C.O.R.E. PROJECTS AND PEOPLE**

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TORONTO, ON - March 16, 2010 – CASO is saddened to hear of the closure of C.O.R.E. Digital, a founding member studio of CASO, and a leading institution within the Canadian and international animation and visual effects industries.

CASO and our member companies are working closely with C.O.R.E. to help transition existing projects and former staff quickly and effectively within the region.

“Although a great loss to our industry and community, Ontario animation and visual effects studios continue to possess a stronghold in the global market, providing experience, talent and infrastructure”, says Michael Carter, President.

C.O.R.E. was established in 1994 and attracted some of the industry’s top talent. The studio was a full production and output facility offering a broad range of services such as C.O.R.E. Visual Effects, C.O.R.E. Toons, C.O.R.E. Film Productions and C.O.R.E. Feature Animation.

Established in 2005, **CASO** is a non-profit trade association representing the digital animation and visual effects community in Ontario, Canada. As an advocate for the industry, **CASO’s** primary areas of operation are: International Marketing and Promotion, Industry Statistics and Competitive Advantage, Education and Organizational Relations, Government Relations and Member Services. [www.casont.ca](http://www.casont.ca).

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