

In Memoriam: Smita Menon (PTC, CMT)

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Sadly and with regret, we note with sorrow the passing of 27 year old Smita Menon on 6 January 2008 after a five-year battle with Pulmonary Hypertension. Positive and cheerful, Smita was a 2007 graduate of Professional & Technical Communication and an all-but-thesis Communication & Media Technologies graduate student. Smita graduated with Highest Honors, was a member of the national communication honor society, Lambda Pi Eta, a consistent Dean's List recipient and won a Kearsse Writing Award. Recently, Smita had been accepted for graduate work in communication at three prestigious California Universities including the University of Southern California. Earlier this week, Smita's husband, Dr. Sunil Krishnan, took Smita home to her family in India for cremation.