

Acronyms and Frequently Used Terms

Acronym	Definition
AFF	Administration, Finance, & Facilities Unit
AA	Academic Affairs
AGB	Association of G overning B oards of Universities and Colleges
ABOD	Auraria B oard of D irectors
ACH	Automated Clearing H ouse
AD	Administration B uilding. 1201 Fifth Street
ADA	Americans with D isabilities Act.
AER	Advancement & E xternal R elations (now known as University Advancement)
AES	Aerospace & E ngineering Sciences Building
AHEC	Auraria H igher E ducation Center.
ALP	Alternative L icensure P rogram
AMSI	Advanced M anagement S cience I nstitute
AR	Arts Building. 1150 Tenth Street Mall.
ASSET	Advancing Students for a Stronger E conomy T omorrow
AVP	Associate V ice P resident
BANNER	Student I nformation S ystem
BASE	B oard of A cademic S tandard E xceptions
BLD	B oulder C reek B uilding (CCD) Formerly Technology Building 950 Tenth St. Mall
BOT	B oard of T rustees: The governing board for MSU Denver.
C2C	C lass 2 C areer
CAMP	C ollege A ssistance M igrant P rogram
CAPP Report	C urriculum, A dvising, and P rogram P lanning C ompliance R eport.
CARE	C onsultation, A ssessment, R eferrals, and E ducation
CASE	C enter for A dvanced S tem E ducation
CASE	C ouncil for A dvancement and S upport of E ducation (Advancement/Fundraising org.)
CAVEA	C enter for A dvanced V isualization and E xperiential A nalysis
CBUS/CoB	C ollege of B usiness
CCD	C ommunity C ollege of D enver.
CESA	C enter for E quity and S tudent A chievement
CHAS	C ollege of H ealth and A ppplied S ciences
CHR	C herry C reek B uilding (CCD) Formerly South Classroom 1111 W. Colfax Ave.
CIO	C hief I nformation O fficer. An Associate Vice President in the ASA Unit.
CLAS	C ollege of L etters, A rts & S ciences
CLR	C lear C reek B uilding. Formerly St. Francis Center 1030 St. Francis Way
CN	C entral C lassroom B uilding
CNF	C onfluence B uilding (CCD) 800 Curtis Street
COA	C ouncil of A dministrators

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CoC	C ouncil of C hairs
COF	C ollege O pportunity F und: provides a stipend to each student who applies. Replaced the legislative general fund allocation in 2004.
COSI	C olorado O pportunity S cholarship I nitiative
CPS	C ollege of P rofessional S tudies now College of Health and Applied Sciences
CTLD	C enter for T eaching, L earning and D esign
CUE	C enter for U rban E ducation
CUPA	C ollege and U niversity P rofessional A ssociation
CVA	C enter for V isual A rt 965 Santa Fe Dr.
D-Phi	D enver P roject for H umanistic I nquiry
DIME	D etroit I nstitute for M usic E ducation
EA	E xecutive A ssistant
EEO	E qual E mployment O pportunity
ELC	A uraria E arly L earning C enter
EOO	E qual O pportunity O ffice
EPAF	E lectronic P ersonnel A ction F orm
ETC	E ducational T echnology C enter. Reports to Information Technology Services.
Event Center	E vent C enter/ P E B uilding. 1255 Tenth Street Mall.
FA	F acilities A nnex B uilding. 1200 Seventh Street.
FERPA	F amily E ducational R ights and P rivacy A ct
FLP	F amily L iteracy P rogram
FM	F acilities M anagement B uilding. 1156 Seventh Street.
FRIP	F aculty R ecruitment I ncentive P rogram.
FTE	F ull T ime E quivalent.
GITA	G ender I nstitute for T eaching and A dvocacy
GM	G olda M eir H ouse. 1146 Ninth Street.
HLC	H ospitality L earning C enter.
HLC	H igher L earning C ommission
HR	H uman R esources O ffice
HSI	H ispanic S erving I nstitution
HSPP	H uman S ubjects P rotection P rogram
IDP	I ndividualized D egree P rogram
ILL	I nnovative and L ifelong L earning
IRB	I nstitutional R evision B oard
ITS	I nformation T echnology S ervices.
ITSOC	I nformation T echnology S trategic O versight C ommittee

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JBC	J oint B udget C ommittee of the State Legislature.
JSSB	J ordan S tudent S uccess B uilding, 890 Auraria Parkway
JTOH	J ourney T hrough O ur H eritage
KC	K ing A cademic & P erforming A rts C enter 855 Lawrence Way
LGBTQ SRC	L esbian, G ay, B isexual, T ransgender, Q ueer S tudent R esource C enter
LM	L ibrary & M edia C enter. 1155 Tenth Street Mall.
MC	M odular C lassrooms. West of 7 th and Curtis.
MO	M odular O ffices. West of 7 th and Curtis.
MSUDF	MSU D enver F oundation
NAPAHE	N ational A ssociation of P residential A ssistants in H igher E ducation
NC	N orth C lassroom B uilding. 1200 Larimer Street.
NP	N inth S treet P arkway.
NSO	N ew S tudent O rientation
OER	O pen E ducational R esources
OGS	O ffice of G raduate S tudies
OIR	O ffice of I nstitutional R esearch. Department in A&F Unit.
OSRP	O ffice of S ponsored R esearch & P rograms. Department in AA Unit.
OWOW	O ne W orld, O ne W ater C enter
PAF	P ersonnel A ction F orm
PE	E vent C enter/ P hysical E ducation B uilding. 1255 Tenth Street Mall.
PL	P laza B uilding. 955 Lawrence Street.
PLA	P rior L earning A ssessment
PO	P urchase O rders-AHEC turns our PRs into POs and returns them to MSUD Accounting Services.
PODSOC	P olicy D evelopment and S hared O perations C ommittee
Pooled Courses	C ourses offered by M etro S tate and U CD for students at both colleges.
PR	P urchase R esult F orm- Form MSUD submits to AHEC
Provost	S enior a cademic a dministrator of a college or university
Provost/EVPAA	P rovost and E xecutive V ice P resident for A cademic A ffairs. Dr. Alfred Tatum
PTR	P ost- T enure R esult.
RE or RE/NXT	R aiser's E dge (Advancement donor database hosted by Blackbaud)
RO	R ectory O ffice B uilding. 1156 Ninth Street.
RTP	R eappointment, T enure, and P romotion
SA	S tudent A ffairs
SA	S aint C ajetan's C enter. 1190 Ninth Street.
SAB	S tudent A dvisory B oard

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SACAB	Student Advisory Committee to the Auraria Board
SAP	Satisfactory Academic Progress
SE	St. Elizabeth's Church. 1060 St. Francis Way.
SEW	Student Engagement and Wellness
SGA	Student Government Assembly
SI	Science Building. 1150 – 12 th Street. Completed Spring 2011
SI	Supplemental Instruction
SNAP	Security, Networking, Asset Protection. Reports to Informational Technology Services.
SNAP	Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program, formerly Food Stamps
SOE	School of Education
SOH	School of Hospitality
SPO	Special Purchase Order – AHEC form for ordering goods and services
SRI	Student Ratings of Instruction
SS	Seventh Street Classroom Building. 1250 Seventh Street.
SSB	Jordan Student Success Building 890 Auraria Parkway.
SSC	Student Success Collaborative being renamed Navigate
STEM	Science, Technology, Engineering, Mathematics
STEPS	Strides Toward Encouraging Professions in Science
TA	Travel Authorization
TAPS	The Auraria Parking Structure 950 Walnut St.
TOP	Target of Opportunity Program. See guidelines at (http://www.msudenver.edu/media/content/equalopportunityoffice/documents/top.pdf)
TQE	Teacher Quality Enhancement grant – see UTP
TIV	Tivoli Student Union. 900 Auraria Parkway.
TPG	Tivoli Parking Garage 950 Walnut Street.
UA	University Advancement (formerly Advancement & External Relations)
UCD	University of Colorado at Denver
UTP	Urban Teaching Partnership. Grant from Dept. of Education
VPAA	Vice President for Academic Affairs. See Provost/ EVPAA
VPDI	Vice President for Diversity and Inclusion – Dr. Michael Benitez
VPSA	Vice President for Student Affairs – Dr. Will Simpkins
VPUA	Vice President of University Advancement & Executive Director of the Foundation - Christine Marquez-Hudson
WC	West Classroom Building. 1050 Tenth Street Mall.
Winterim	Intensive classes before Spring term, but part of it for teaching loads.

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Outside Organizations

Acronym	Definition
AACRAO	American Association of Collegiate Registrars and Admissions Officers
AACSB	Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business
AACTE	American Association of Colleges for Teacher Education
AAC&U	Association of American Colleges & Universities
AAHHE	American Association of Hispanics in Education
AASCU	American Association of State Colleges and Universities
ACE	American Council on Education
ACUPCC	American College and University President's Climate Commitment
APS	Academic Performance Solutions (part of EAB)
AGB	Association of Governing Boards
AHA	American Heart Association – Megan Calvert
APLU	Association of Public and Land-grant Universities
CAEL	Council for Adult and Experiential Learning
CCHE	Colorado Commission on Higher Education
CDHE	Colorado Department of Higher Education (state regulatory agency).
CIHADDF	Colorado I Have A Dream Foundation
CUMU	Coalition of Urban and Metropolitan Universities
DPA	Department of Personnel and Administration (Colorado)
DPS	Denver Public Schools
DIME	Detroit Institute of Music Education
EAB	Educational Advisory Board
HEAA	Higher Education Access Alliance
HLC	Higher Learning Commission
ISA	International Studies Association
NACADA	National Academic Advising Association
NAFSA	National Association of Foreign Student Advisors
SSC	<u>S</u> tudent <u>S</u> uccess <u>C</u> ollaborative (Part of EAB)
UAEU	<u>U</u> nited <u>A</u> rab <u>E</u> mirates <u>U</u> niversity
WALF	Western Academic Leadership Forum (
WICHE	<u>W</u> estern <u>I</u> nterstate <u>C</u> ommission for <u>H</u> igher <u>E</u> ducation
WRGP	Western Regional Graduate Program