

Frequently used Acronyms and Initialisms

AA: Academic Affairs

ABS: Auxiliary and Business Services

ACE: American Council on Education

ALT: Assessment Leadership Team

APR: Academic Program Review

AS: Academic Senate

ASCSU: Academic Senate of the CSU (also known as SWAS)

ASI: Associated Students Inc.

ASLS: Assessment of Student Learning Subcommittee

ATP: Academic Technology Plan

AVPAA/ALO: Associate Vice President for Academic Affairs and ALO (Accreditation Liaison Officer)

BPAC: Budget Planning and Assessment Committee

BoT: Board of Trustees

CAPI: Collaborative Academic Preparation Initiative

CAS: Council for the Advancement of Standards

CAUSE: Campus Allies United in Support of Equity

CDC: Child Development Center

COA: College of the Arts

CETI: California Educational Technology Initiative

CFA: California Faculty Association

CBA: College of Business Administration

CEGE: Commitment to Excellence in Graduate Education

CHESS: California Higher Education Student Summit

CHHS: College of Human and Health Sciences

CHSS: College of Humanities and Social Sciences

CMS: Collaborative Management Systems (PeopleSoft)

CNS: College of Natural Sciences

CO: Chancellor's Office

COA: College of the Arts

COC: Committee on Committees

COE: College of Education

CPPS: Center for Public Policy Studies

CSEA: California State Employees Association

CSSA: California State Student Association

CSU: California State University

DUR: Development and University Relations

FAC: Faculty Affairs Committee

FBAC: Faculty Budget Advisory Committee

FCETL: Faculty Center for Excellence in Teaching & Learning

FDC: Faculty Development Committee

FERPA: Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act

FIR: Faculty in Residence

FMP: Faculty Mentoring Program

FTES: Full-time Equivalent Student

FTEF: Full-time Equivalent Faculty

GE: General Education

GES: General Education Subcommittee

GC: Graduate Council

GWAR: Graduation Writing Assessment Requirement

HECCC: Higher Education Consortium of Central California

HR: Human Resources

IC: Innovative Center

IDEA: Individual Development and Educational Assessment

IRA: Institutionally Related Activities

IRPA: Institutional Research Planning and Accountability

ISC: Interdisciplinary Studies Committee

JAO: Judicial Affairs Officer

JSRFDC: (John Stuart Rogers) Faculty Development Center

ITL: Institute for Teaching and Learning

ITS: Integrated Technology Strategy

LAC: Leaves and Awards Committee

MAP: Master Academic Planning

MSR: Mary Stuart Rogers (Educational Services Gateway Building)

MS: Moved & Seconded

MSP: Moved, Seconded, & Passed

OIT: Office of Information Technology

ORSP: Office of Research & Sponsored Programs

PAC: Program Assessment Coordinator

PTR: Post Tenure Review

RSCA: Research, Scholarship and Creative Activity

RSCAPC: Research, Scholarship and Creative Activity Policy Committee

RPT: Retention, Promotion and Tenure

SA: Student Affairs

SATE: Student Assessment of Teaching Effectiveness

SEC: Senate Executive Committee

SEM: Strategic Enrollment Management

SFAC: Student Fee Advisory Committee

SIP: System wide Internal Partnership

SFR: Student Faculty Ratio

SRC: Student Recreation Center

SRP: Summer Reading Program

SSC: Student Success Committee

SWAS: Statewide Academic Senate (also known as ASCSU)

TII: Technology Infrastructure Initiative

TLS: Technology and Learning Subcommittee

TPA: Teacher Performance Assessment (COE)

UA: University Advancement

UBAC: University Budget Advisory Committee

UEE: University Extended Education

UEPC: University Educational Policies Committees

UFPC: University Facilities Planning Committee

UPB: Union Program Board

URPTC: University Retention, Promotion, & Tenure Committee

USU: University Student Union

UWC: University Writing Committee

VPAA: Vice President for Academic Affairs/Provost

VPBF: Vice President for Business and Finance

VPDUR: Vice President for Development and University Relations

VPHRFA: Vice President for Human Resources and Faculty Affairs

VPESA: Vice President for Enrollment and Student Affairs

VPUA: Vice President for University Advancement

WASC: Western Association of Schools and Colleges

WP: Writing Proficiency

WPST: Writing Proficiency Screening Test