

Appendix E: Glossary of Acronyms and Abbreviations

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| 2FA | Two-Factor Authentication |
| AARTS | Audit Accountability and Resolution Tracking System |
| AFR | <i>Agency Financial Report</i> |
| AIR | American Institutes for Research |
| AP | Advanced Placement |
| APG | Agency Priority Goal |
| APP | Annual Performance Plan |
| APR | <i>Annual Performance Report</i> |
| AY | Academic Year |
| CAP Goals | Cross-Agency Priority Goals |
| CCSSO | Council of Chief State School Officers |
| CEDS | Common Education Data Standards |
| CEELO | Center for Enhancing Early Learning Outcomes |
| CFR | Code of Federal Regulations |
| COP | Community of Practice |
| CoSN | Consortium for School Networking |
| CoSTEM | Committee on STEM Education |
| CPS | Current Population Survey |
| CRDC | Civil Rights Data Collection |
| CTE | Career and Technical Education |
| CY | Calendar Year |
| DATA Act | <i>Digital Accountability and Transparency Act of 2014</i> |
| DEC | Division of Early Childhood |
| DHS | U.S. Department of Homeland Security |
| DLR | Digital Learning Resources |
| DM | Document Management |
| DOJ | U.S. Department of Justice |

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| DOL | U.S. Department of Labor |
| DRT | Data Request Team |
| DST | Data Strategy Team |
| EAC | Equity Assistance Center |
| EAG | Enhanced Assessment Grants |
| EASN | Equitable Access Support Network |
| ECR | Early Complaint Resolution |
| ECS | Education Commission on the States |
| EDGAR | Education Department General Administrative Regulations |
| EDSOC | Education Department Security Operations Center |
| ELC | Early Learning Challenge |
| ELC TA | Early Learning Challenge Technical Assistance Program |
| EMAPS | ED <i>Facts</i> Metadata and Process System |
| EPG | Evidence Planning Group |
| EQUIP | Educational Quality through Innovative Partnerships |
| ERIC | Education Resources Information Center |
| ESEA | <i>Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965</i> |
| ESSA | <i>Every Student Succeeds Act</i> |
| EVS | Employee Viewpoint Survey |
| FAFSA | Free Application for Federal Student Aid |
| FERPA | <i>Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act</i> |
| FEVS | Federal Employee Viewpoint Survey |
| FFEL | Federal Family Education Loan |
| FFY | Federal Fiscal Year |
| FPCO | Family Policy Compliance Office |
| FSA | Federal Student Aid |
| FY | Fiscal Year |
| GANs | Grant Award Notices |
| GEAR Up | Gaining Early Awareness and Readiness for Undergraduate Programs |

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| GPRA | <i>Government Performance and Results Act of 1993</i> |
| GPRAMA | <i>GPRA Modernization Act of 2010</i> |
| GSA | General Services Administration |
| HBCUs | Historically Black Colleges and Universities |
| HEA | <i>Higher Education Act of 1965</i> |
| HEAL | Health Education Assistance Loans |
| HHS | U.S. Department of Health and Human Services |
| HR | Human Resources |
| HSI-STEM | Hispanic Serving Institution STEM Articulation Program |
| HUD | U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development |
| i3 | Investing in Innovation Program |
| IDEA | <i>Individuals with Disabilities Education Act</i> |
| IES | Institute of Education Sciences |
| IHE | Institutions of Higher Education |
| IPB | Interagency Policy Board |
| IPEDS | Integrated Postsecondary Education Data System |
| IT | Information Technology |
| JOA | Job Opportunity Announcement |
| KEA | Kindergarten Entry Assessment |
| LBJ | Lyndon B. Johnson |
| LEA | Local Educational Agency |
| LINCS | Literacy Information and Communication System |
| LOA | Local Operating Agency |
| MEP | Migrant Education Program |
| MSAP | Magnet School Assistance Program |
| MSP | Mathematics and Science Partnerships |
| NA | Not Applicable |
| NAEP | National Assessment of Educational Progress |
| NAM | Native American and Alaska Native Children in Schools Program |

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| NASA | National Aeronautics and Space Administration |
| NCER | National Center for Education Research |
| NCES | National Center for Educational Statistics |
| NIA | Notice Inviting Applications |
| NIEER | National Institute for Early Education Research |
| NRC | National Research Council |
| NSF | National Science Foundation |
| OCFO | Office of the Chief Financial Officer |
| OCIO | Office of the Chief Information Officer |
| OCR | Office for Civil Rights |
| OCTAE | Office of Career, Technical, and Adult Education |
| OEL | Office of Early Learning |
| OELA | Office of English Language Acquisition |
| OESE | Office of Elementary and Secondary Education |
| OET | Office of Educational Technology |
| OGC | Office of the General Counsel |
| OHR | Office of Human Resources |
| OIG | Office of Inspector General |
| OII | Office of Innovation and Improvement |
| OM | Office of Management |
| OMB | Office of Management and Budget |
| OPE | Office of Postsecondary Education |
| OPEPD | Office of Planning, Evaluation, and Policy Development |
| OPM | Office of Personnel Management |
| OSEP | Office of Special Education Programs |
| OSERS | Office of Special Education and Rehabilitative Services |
| OSP | Opportunity Scholarship Program |
| OSS | Office of State Support |
| P3 | Performance Partnership Pilots for Disconnected Youth |

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| PAYE | Pay As You Earn |
| PBCS | Performance-Based Compensation System |
| PCP | Potomac Center Plaza |
| PDG | Preschool Development Grants |
| PDG TA | Preschool Development Grant Technical Assistance |
| PFS | Pay For Success |
| POC | Principal Operating Component |
| POR | Program of Requirements |
| PPIRS | Past Performance Information Retrieval System |
| PPSS | Policy and Program Studies Service |
| PSLF | Public Service Loan Forgiveness |
| R3 | Rapid Rent Reduction Initiative |
| RCE | Rapid Cycle Evaluation |
| RDA | Results Driven Accountability |
| REAP | Rural Education Achievement Program |
| REPAYE | Revised Pay As You Earn |
| RLIS | Rural and Low-Income Schools Program |
| RMS | Risk Management Service |
| Rtl | Response to Intervention |
| RTL | Ready to Learn |
| RTT | Race to the Top |
| SASS | Schools and Staffing Survey |
| SBB | School-Based Budgeting |
| SCTG | School Climate Transformation Grant Program |
| SEA | State Educational Agency |
| SFA | Student Financial Assistance |
| SIG | School Improvement Grant |
| SIP | Strengthening Institutions Program |
| SLDS | Statewide Longitudinal Data System |

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| SOAR Act | <i>Scholarships and Opportunities for Results Act</i> |
| SPPAD | Student Privacy Policy and Assistance Division |
| SRSA | Small, Rural School Achievement Program |
| SSIP | State Systemic Improvement Plan |
| STEM | Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics |
| SWD | Students with Disabilities |
| SY | School Year |
| TBD | To Be Determined |
| TEACH | Teacher Education Assistance for College and Higher Education Grant |
| TIF | Teacher Incentive Fund |
| TQRIS | Tiered Quality Rating and Improvement System |
| Treasury | U.S. Department of Treasury |
| TRIO | Federal TRIO Programs |
| TSLP | Turnaround School Leaders Program |
| U.S. | United States |
| VR | Vocation Rehabilitation |
| WHI-HBCU | White House Initiative on Historically Black Colleges and Universities |
| WIOA | <i>Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act</i> |
| WSF | Weighted Student Funding |
| WWC | What Works Clearinghouse |