

ACRONYMS

ACBF	African Capacity Building Foundation
APPETD	Alliance of Private Providers of Education, Training and Development
APQN	Asia and Pacific Quality Network
AUQA	Australian Universities Quality Agency
CD	Capacity Development
CHE	Council on Higher Education
CHEA	Council for Higher Education Accreditation (United States)
CHED	Commission on Higher Education (Philippines)
CIDA	Canadian International Development Agency
CNA	National Council of Accreditation (Colombia)
CTP	Committee of Technikon Principals
DAC	Development Assistance Committee (of OECD)
DFID	Department for International Development (United Kingdom)
DoE	Department of Education
ELIR	Enhancement-led Institutional Review (QAA-Scotland)
ENQA	European Network for Quality Assurance in Higher Education
FINHEEC	Finnish Higher Education Evaluation Council
HEI	Higher Education Institution
HEQC	Higher Education Quality Committee
HESA	Higher Education South Africa
ICDE	International Council for Open and Distance Education
ICT	Information and Communication Technology
INQAAHE	International Network of QA Agencies in Higher Education
IQAC	Internal Quality Assurance Cell (QE mechanism of NAAC)
ITL	Improving Teaching and Learning
JICA	Japan International Co-operation Agency
MBA	Master of Business Administration
MIS	Management Information Systems
MOU	Memorandum of Understanding
NAAC	National Assessment and Accreditation Council (India)
NQF	National Qualifications Framework
OECD	Organisation for Economic Cooperation and Development
QA	Quality Assurance
QAA	Quality Assurance Agency for Higher Education (United Kingdom)
QAMF	Quality Managers Forum (of the HEQC)
QE	Quality Enhancement
QM	Quality Management

QMS	Quality Management System(s)
QP	Quality Promotion
QPCD	Quality Promotion and Capacity Development
SAADA	South African Academic Development Association
SAIDE	South African Institute for Distance Education
SADC	Southern African Development Community
SAUVCA	South African Universities Vice-Chancellors Association
SIDA	Swedish International Development Co-operation Agency
TQM	Total Quality Management
UGC	University Grants Commission (India)
UNDP	United Nations Development Programme
UNESCO	United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organisation