

THE UNIVERSITY OF KENT

Glossary of Abbreviations

INITIALS of individual members of staff (in alphabetical order by last initial)

MA	Margaret Ayers, Director of Human Resources
CB	Carole Barron, Director of Innovation and Enterprise
JCB	Professor John Baldock, Pro-Vice-Chancellor
KB	Kathy Bennett, Acting Director of Research Services
MJB	Professor Mark Burchell, Dean of Sciences
PB	Posie Bogan, Interim Head of Corporate Communications
AJC	Alison Coles, Director of Development & Alumni Relations
PC	Peter Czarnomski, Director of Estates
DKE	Denise Everitt, Deputy Vice-Chancellor
JMG	Professor Dame Julia Goodfellow, Vice-Chancellor
KRG	Karen Goffin, Secretary of the Council (Head of Central Secretariat)
AH	Professor Alex Hughes, Pro-Vice-Chancellor
JH	Jane Higham, Director of Finance
DMH	Professor Diane Houston, Dean of the Graduate School
MPH	Mary Hughes, Head of Enrolment Management Services
KL	Professor Karl Leydecker, Dean of Humanities
KCM	Professor Keith Mander, Deputy Vice-Chancellor
LHN	Louise Naylor, Head of Unit for the Enhancement of Learning & Teaching
DRN	David Nightingale, Senior Deputy Vice-Chancellor
JCO	Dr. Jeremy Ovenden, Head of Student Planning & Information
JP	Jon Pink, Academic Registrar
FJR	Frank Richardson, Deputy Director of Finance
JS	John Sotillo, Director of Information Services
JAW	John Wightman, Dean of Social Sciences
SMW	Simon Westerman, Director of Commercial Services

OTHER INITIALS AND ABBREVIATIONS

ASC	Academic Subject Category (<i>the classification of academic subjects used by HEFCE</i>)
AUCF	Average Unit of Council Funding (<i>usually in each ASC, see above</i>)
AUPF	Average Unit of Public Funding
AUT	Association of University Teachers (formerly the recognised trade union for academic and academic-related staff now part of UCU (University and College Union) from 2006)
BIS	(Department for) Business, Innovation & Skills (2009)
BRE	Board for Research and Enterprise
BWC	Bridge Wardens' College (in Medway)
C	Council

CC	Canterbury College
CCC	Canterbury City Council
CCCU	Canterbury Christ Church University
C&DO	Communications & Development Office
CE	continuing education
CHSS	Centre for Health Service Studies
CPD	Continuing Professional Development
CPP	Centre for Professional Practice
CR	Contract Research (<i>an element in HEFCE research funding</i>)
CSN	Contract Student Number (<i>the number of students for which HEFCE funding is provided</i>)
CUC	Committee of University Chairmen
CVCP	Committee of Vice-Chancellors and Principals (of Universities in the UK) [Name changed to UUK (Universities UK) from 1 December 2000]
CVE	Continuing vocational education (<i>sometimes PRE, see below</i>)
D	Darwin College
DBIS	Department for Business, Innovation and Skills (from 2009)
DCSF	Department for Children, Schools and Families
DENI	Department of Education, Northern Ireland
DevR	Development research (<i>an element in HEFCE research funding</i>)
DfES	Department for Education and Skills (divided into two new depts from 2007, see DIUS)
DICE	Durrell Institute of Conservation and Ecology
DIUS	Department for Innovation, Universities and Skills (from July 2007)
DVC	Deputy Vice-Chancellor
E	Eliot College
EG	Executive Group
EO	Equal Opportunities
F&R	Finance and Resources Committee
FE	Further Education
FEFC	Further Education Funding Council (<i>disestablished wef 31.3.2001 replaced by LSC, Learning and Skills Council</i>)
FE(I)	Further Education (Institution)
ft	full-time (<i>sometimes f-t or f/t</i>)
fte	full-time equivalent (usually students)
GNVQ	General National Vocational Qualification
GOSE	Government Office for the South East
GR	Generic Research (<i>an element in HEFCE research funding</i>)
H or Hums	Faculty of Humanities
HE(I)	Higher Education (Institution)
HEFCE	Higher Education Funding Council for England
HEFCEW	Higher Education Funding Council for Wales

HEQC	Higher Education Quality Council (<i>now replaced by QAA, see below</i>)
HEROBIC	Higher Education Reach-out to Business and the Community (Fund)(also HEROBAC and HEROBC)
HESA	Higher Education Statistics Agency
HESES	Higher Education Student Early Statistics
HoD	Head of Department
HoS	Head of (administrative) Section or Head of School
ILT	Institute of Learning and Teaching
JIF	Joint Infrastructure Fund (followed by SRIF, see below)
JISC	Joint Information Systems Committee of the Higher Education Funding Councils (i.e. for England, Wales and Scotland)
K	Keynes College
KBS	Kent Business School
KCC	Kent County Council
KLS	Kent Law School
KRED	Former name for the Students' Union Newspaper (K eynes, R utherford, E liot, D arwin)
KH	Kent Hospitality
KU	Kent Union (Students' Union for the University's students)
LEA(s)	Local Education Authority (Authorities)
LTB	Learning and Teaching Board
M ³	M-cubed (Monthly Managers' Meeting, replaced by Managers' Forum)
MASN	Maximum Aggregate Student Number
MF	Managers' Forum (replaced M ³ September 2008)
MKC	Mid-Kent College of Higher and Further Education
NCVQ	National Council for Vocational Qualifications
NVQ	National Vocational Qualification
Ord	Ordinance
pg(s)	postgraduate(s)
PGCHE	Post Graduate Certificate of Higher Education (an accredited programme for staff)
pgr	postgraduate research
pgt	postgraduate taught
PPG	Policy and Planning Group (now Executive Group (EG) from 2005))
PRE	Professionally related education (<i>sometimes CVE, see above</i>)
PSSRU	Personal Social Services Research Unit
pt	part-time (<i>sometimes p-t or p/t</i>)
PVC	Pro-Vice-Chancellor

QA	Quality Assurance
QAA	Quality Assurance Agency
QR	Quality-Rated Research (<i>an element in HEFCE research funding</i>)
R	Rutherford College or HEFCE funding for research
RAE	Research Assessment Exercise
RAM	Resource Allocation Model
RBT	Rochester Bridge Trust
Reg	Regulation or Registry
S	Statute or Senate or Faculty of Sciences
SA	School of Arts
SAM	Space Allocation Model
SDVC	Senior Deputy Vice-Chancellor
SECL	School of European Culture and Languages
SEEDA	South East England Development Agency
SEIPH	South East Institute for Public Health, merged with CHSS from 2000
SHEFC	Scottish Higher Education Funding Council
SIG	Strategic Implementation Group (<i>EG members, Deans, Heads of professional services</i>)
SKC	South Kent College
SMSAS	School of Mathematics, Statistics and Actuarial Science
SocSci	Faculty of Social Sciences (<i>sometimes SS</i>)
SORP	Statement of Recommended Accounting Practice
SPS	School of Physical Sciences
SRIF	Science Research Investment Fund
SS	Faculty of Social Sciences (<i>sometimes SocSci</i>)
SSPSSR	School of Social Policy, Sociology and Social Research
SU	Kent Union – the Students' Union for the University's Students
SUPERJANET	Joint Academic Net(work) for Computing
T	HEFCE funding for teaching
THES	Times Higher Education Supplement (the Higher)
TQA	Teaching Quality Assessment
UCAS	Universities and Colleges Admission System
UCEA	Universities and Colleges Employers' Association
UCU	University and College Union (includes AUT, from 2006)
UFLT	Unit for the Enhancement of Learning and Teaching
ug	undergraduate
UKB	The University of Kent at Brussels
UKC	The University of Kent at Canterbury, the Canterbury Campus
UKM	The University of Kent at Medway, the Medway Campus
UKT	The University of Kent at Tonbridge
UKW	The University of Kent at Wye
UoK	The University of Kent
UoG	University of Greenwich

UUK	Universities UK
VC	Vice-Chancellor
VfM	Value for money
WP	Widening Participation

KRG/HAP
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