

List of Acronyms

ACCC	Association of Canadian Community College
ACET	Advisory Community on Educational Technology (Alberta)
B&W	Babcock and Wilcoy
BC	British Columbia
CADE	Canadian Association of Distance Educators
CAP	Industry Canada's Community Access Program
CDN	Canadian
C2T2	Centre for Curriculum, Transfer, and Technology
CECs	Canada Education Centres
CEGEP	"Collège d'Enseignement Général et Professionnel"
CIDA	Canadian Internet Development Agency
CLFDB	Canadian Labour Force Development Board
COPS	Canadian Occupational Projection System
CVU	California Virtual University
ECUs	European Currency Units
ESL	English as a second language
ETS	Education and training services
EU	European Union
HRD	Human Resources Development
HRDC	Human Resources Development Canada
ICDE	International Council of Distance Education
IFIs	International Financial Institutions
ISTC	Industry, Science and Technology Canada
IT	Information Technology
MDBs	Multilateral Development Banks
NAFTA	North American Free Trade Agreement
NMLM	New Media-Learning Materials
NTU	National Technological University
OECD	Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development
OISE	Ontario Institute for Studies in Education
OU	Open University
OUBS	Open University Business School
SCOET	Standing Community on Educational Technology (BC)
SMEs	Small and Medium-Sized Enterprises