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| Subject Abbreviation | Description                    | Preferred Abbreviation |
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| <b>A</b>             |                                |                        |
| ACAD-DEV             | Ctr for Counseling & Acad Dev. |                        |
| ACCOUNTG             | Accounting                     |                        |
| ACTUARL              | Actuarial Science              |                        |
| AEROSPAC             | Aerospace Studies              |                        |
| AFROAM               | Afro-American Studies          |                        |
| AGFOODEC             | Agricultural & Food Economics  |                        |
| AGRESECN             | Agric. & Resource Economics    |                        |
| AGRI-ENG             | Food & Agricultural Engineer'g |                        |
| AGRONOMY             | Agronomy                       |                        |
| AIRSCI               | Air Science                    |                        |
| AKAN                 | Akan                           |                        |
| ANIMLSCI             | Animal Science                 |                        |
| ANTHRO               | Anthropology                   |                        |
| APMGTFNR             |                                |                        |
| ARABIC               | Arabic                         |                        |
| ARBORPRK             | Arboriculture & Park Mgmt      |                        |
| ARCH-DES             | Architecture and Design        |                        |
| ARMENIAN             | Armenian                       |                        |
| ARMOR                | Armor                          |                        |
| ART                  | Art                            |                        |
| ART-ED               | Art – Student Teaching         |                        |
| ART-HIST             | Art History                    |                        |
| ARTS&SCI             | College of Arts & Sciences     |                        |
| ASIAN-ST             | Asian Studies                  |                        |
| ASTRON               | Astronomy                      |                        |
| <b>B</b>             |                                |                        |
| BACTERIO             | Bacteriology                   |                        |
| BDIC                 | Bachelor's Deg. W/Indiv Conc.  |                        |
| BIOCHEM              | Biochemistry & Molecular Bio.  |                        |
| BIOLOGY              | Biology                        |                        |
| BIOST&EP             | Biostatistics & Epidemiology   | PUBHLTH                |
| BIOTECH              | Biotechnology                  |                        |
| BMATWT               | Building Materials & Wood Tech |                        |
| BOTANY               | Botany                         |                        |
| BULGARIA             | Bulgarian                      |                        |
| BUSN&FIN             | General Business & Finance     |                        |
| BUSNADMN             | Business Administration        |                        |

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| <b>C</b>                    |                                     |                               |
| CAPEVERD                    | Cape Verdean                        |                               |
| CE-ENGIN                    | Civil & Environmental Engrg         |                               |
| CF&NR                       | Coll. of Food & Natrl Resource      |                               |
| CHEM                        | Chemistry                           |                               |
| CHEM-ENG                    | Chemical Engineering                |                               |
| CHINESE                     | Chinese                             |                               |
| CIVIL-EN                    | Civil Engineering                   |                               |
| CLASSICS                    | Classics                            |                               |
| COMPSCI                     | Computer Science                    |                               |
| COMPSCI                     | Computer Science                    | COMPSCI                       |
| CNSLPSYC                    | Counseling Psychology               |                               |
| COLLOQ                      | Colloquium                          |                               |
| COM-HLTH                    | Community Health                    | PUBHLTH                       |
| COMM                        | Communication                       |                               |
| COMM-DIS                    | Communication Disorders             |                               |
| COMM-ED                     | Communication-Student Teaching      |                               |
| COMMSKIL                    | Communication Skills Center         |                               |
| COMP-LIT                    | Comparative Literature              |                               |
| COMP-SCI                    | Computer Science                    | COMPSCI                       |
| CONSMRED                    | Consumer Education                  |                               |
| CONSUMER                    | Consumer Studies                    |                               |
| CONT-ED                     | Continuing & Professional Education |                               |
| CZECH                       | Czech                               |                               |
| <b>D</b>                    |                                     |                               |
| DANCE                       | Dance                               |                               |
| DANCE-ED                    | Dance-Student Teaching              |                               |
| DANISH                      | Danish                              |                               |
| DUTCH                       | Dutch                               |                               |

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| <b>E</b>             |                                |                        |
| E&C-ENG              | Electrical & Computer Engin    |                        |
| ECON                 | Economics                      |                        |
| EDUC                 | Education                      |                        |
| EDUC-D               | Designs for Effective Learning |                        |
| EDUC-DV1             | Education - Division 1         |                        |
| EDUC-DV2             | Education - Division 2         |                        |
| EDUC-DV3             | Education - Division 3         |                        |
| EDUC-DV4             | Education - Division 4         |                        |
| EDUC-H               | Human Services/Appl Behav Sci  |                        |
| EDUC-I               | Instructional Leadership       |                        |
| EDUC-M               | Educational Planning&Managemnt |                        |
| EDUC-P               | Ed. Policy, Research & Admin.  |                        |
| EDUC-S               | Special Programs - Educ.       |                        |
| EDUC-T               | Transdisciplinary Education    |                        |
| ELEC-ENG             | Electrical Engineering         |                        |
| ENGIN                | Engineering                    |                        |
| ENGL-ED              | English-Student Teaching       |                        |
| ENGLISH              | English                        |                        |
| ENGLWRIT             | English Writing Program        |                        |
| ENTOMOL              | Entomology                     |                        |
| ENV-HLTH             | Environ. Health                | PUBHLTH                |
| ENVIRDES             | Environmental Design           |                        |
| ENVIRSCI             | Environmental Sciences         |                        |
| ENVTECH              | Environmental Technology       |                        |
| ESL                  | English as a Second Language   |                        |
| ESTONIAN             | Estonian                       |                        |
| EURO                 | Modern European Studies        |                        |
| EXAM                 | Exam                           |                        |
| EXCHANGE             | Exchange                       |                        |
| EXERSCI              | Exercise Science               | KIN                    |
| <b>F</b>             |                                |                        |
| FANTE                | Fante                          |                        |
| FARSI                | Farsi                          |                        |
| FINNISH              | Finnish                        |                        |
| FINOPMGT             | Finance and Operations Mgt     |                        |
| FISHBIOL             | Fisheries Biology              |                        |
| FOODENGR             | Food Engineering               |                        |
| FOODRSEC             | Food & Resource Economics      |                        |
| FOODSC&N             | Food Science & Nutrition       |                        |
| FOOD-SCI             | Food Science                   |                        |
| FOODTECH             | Food Processing Technology     |                        |
| FOREST               | Forestry                       |                        |
| FORLANG              | Foreign Language               |                        |
| FORLANGC             | Five Coll Ctr: World Languages |                        |
| FRENCHED             | French-Student Teaching        |                        |
| FRENCHST             | French Studies                 |                        |

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| <b>G</b>                    |                                  |                               |
| GENRL-ST                    | Bachelor of General Studies      |                               |
| GEOGRAPH                    | Geography                        |                               |
| GEOLOGY                     | Geology                          |                               |
| GEO-SCI                     | Geosciences                      |                               |
| GERMAN                      | German                           |                               |
| GERMANED                    | German-Student Teaching          |                               |
| GOVRNMNT                    | Government                       |                               |
| GRADSCH                     | Graduate School                  |                               |
| GREEK                       | Greek                            |                               |
| GSFYP                       | Global Survival Program          |                               |
| <b>H</b>                    |                                  |                               |
| HEBREW                      | Hebrew                           |                               |
| HINDI                       | Hindi                            |                               |
| HISPAN                      | Hispanic Lit. & Linguistics      |                               |
| HISTORY                     | History                          |                               |
| HM&FNART                    | Humanities and Fine Arts         |                               |
| HOME-EC                     | Home Economics                   |                               |
| HOMEECD                     | Home Economics-Student Teaching  |                               |
| HONORS                      | Commonwealth College             |                               |
| HOTELADM                    | Hotel Administration             |                               |
| HRA                         | Hotel and Restaurant Admin       |                               |
| HRTA                        | Hotel Restaurant Travel Admin    |                               |
| HT-MGT                      | Hospitality & Tourism Management |                               |
| HUMANDEV                    | Human Development                |                               |
| HUNGARN                     | Hungarian                        |                               |
| <b>I</b>                    |                                  |                               |
| IND-ENG                     | Industrial Engineering           |                               |
| INQRYPGM                    | Inquiry Program                  |                               |
| INTERDIS                    | Interdisciplinary                |                               |
| INTERPRT                    | Interpreter's Studies            |                               |
| ITALIAED                    | Italian-Student Teaching         |                               |
| ITALIAN                     | Italian Studies                  |                               |
| <b>J</b>                    |                                  |                               |
| JAPANESE                    | Japanese                         |                               |
| JOURNAL                     | Journalism                       |                               |
| JUDAIC                      | Judaic Studies                   |                               |
| <b>K</b>                    |                                  |                               |
| KHMER                       | Khmer                            |                               |
| KIN                         | Kinesiology                      |                               |
| KOREAN                      | Korean                           |                               |

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| <b>L</b>             |                                 |                        |
| LABOR                | Labor Studies                   |                        |
| LANDARCH             | Landscape Architecture          |                        |
| LANDCONT             | Landscape Contracting           |                        |
| LANDOPER             | Landscape Operations            |                        |
| LAO                  | Lao                             |                        |
| LATIN                | Latin                           |                        |
| LATIN-AM             | Latin American Studies          |                        |
| LATIN-ED             | Latin-Student Teaching          |                        |
| LEARNEXP             | Learning Experience             |                        |
| LEARNRES             | Learning Resources Center       |                        |
| LEARNSUP             | Learning Support Services       |                        |
| LEGAL                | Legal Studies                   |                        |
| LEISURST             | Leisure Studies & Resources     |                        |
| LINGUIST             | Linguistics                     |                        |
| LITHUAN              | Lithuanian                      |                        |
| LLACTING             | LL: Acting                      |                        |
| LLAMS                | LL: Arts Management             |                        |
| LLART                | LL: Art & Photography           |                        |
| LLAST                | LL: Astrology                   |                        |
| LLBRI                | LL: Bridge                      |                        |
| LLBUS                | LL: Business & Financial Plan   |                        |
| LLC                  | Language, Literature & Culture  |                        |
| LLCAR                | LL: Career & Personal Developmt |                        |
| LLCOM                | LL: Computers                   |                        |
| LLCORTLD             | LL:                             |                        |
| LLDAN                | LL: Dance                       |                        |
| LLESL                | LL: English as a 2nd Language   |                        |
| LLFAM                | LL: Family and Life Skills      |                        |
| LLFOOD               | LL: Food and Drink              |                        |
| LLGREEN              | LL: Sustainability/Green        |                        |
| LLHEA                | LL: Health & Fitness            |                        |
| LLHOM                | LL: Home and Garden             |                        |
| LLLAN                | LL: Languages                   |                        |
| LLLCR                | LL: License Renewal             |                        |
| LLLOV                | LL: Loving Matters              |                        |
| LLMAG                | LL: Magic                       |                        |
| LLMUS                | LL: Music                       |                        |
| LLPARKS              | LL: Parks & Conservation Law    |                        |
| LLPER                | LL: Personal Awareness          |                        |
| LLPLSOIL             | LL: Soils/Plants/Insects        |                        |
| LLREA                | LL: Real Estate                 |                        |
| LLRES                | LL: Religion and Spirituality   |                        |
| LLSPEC               | LL: Special Interest            |                        |
| LLSR&O               | LL: Sports,Recrtn & Outdoors    |                        |
| LLSTU                | LL: Study Skills & Test Taking  |                        |
| LLWOOD               | LL: Wood Identification         |                        |
| LLWRI                | LL: Writing, Literature &Drama  |                        |

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| <b>M</b>             |                                |                        |
| M&A-ENG              | Mechanical & Aerospace Enginrg |                        |
| M&I-ENG              | Mechanical & Industrial Engrg  |                        |
| MALAY                | Malay                          |                        |
| MANAGMNT             | Management                     |                        |
| MARINESC             | Marine Science                 |                        |
| MARKETNG             | Marketing                      |                        |
| MATH                 | Mathematics                    |                        |
| MECH-ENG             | Mechanical Engineering         |                        |
| MEDTECH              | Medical Technology             |                        |
| MICROBIO             | Microbiology                   |                        |
| MIDEAST              | Middle Eastern Studies         |                        |
| MILITARY             | Military Leadership            |                        |
| MOLCLBIO             | Molecular & Cellular Biology   |                        |
| MUSIC                | Music                          |                        |
| MUSICAPP             | Music, Applied                 |                        |
| MUSIC-ED             | Music Education                |                        |
| <b>N</b>             |                                |                        |
| NATRES&E             | Natural Resources& Environment |                        |
| NAT-RESR             | Natural Resources Studies      |                        |
| NATSCI               | Natural Sciences               |                        |
| NATSCI&M             | Natural Sciences & Mathematics |                        |
| NEAREAST             | Near Eastern Studies           |                        |
| NEUROS&B             | Neuroscience & Behavior        |                        |
| NEXCHNG              | National Student Exchange      |                        |
| NORWEGN              | Norwegian                      |                        |
| NRC                  | Natural Resources Conservation |                        |
| NURSING              | Nursing                        |                        |
| NUTRITN              | Nutrition                      |                        |
| <b>O</b>             |                                |                        |
| O&EBANTH             | Organismic & Evolut. Biol/Anth |                        |
| OCEANENG             | Ocean Engineering              |                        |
| ORG&EVBI             | Organismic & Evolutionary Biol |                        |

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| <b>P</b>                    |                                |                               |
| PAD                         | Performing Arts Division       |                               |
| PEP                         | Prof. Prep. in Physical Educ.  |                               |
| PEP ED                      | Prof Prep in PE-Student Teach  |                               |
| PERSIAN                     | Persian                        |                               |
| PHIL                        | Philosophy                     |                               |
| PHYS-ED                     | Physical Education             |                               |
| PHYSICS                     | Physics                        |                               |
| PLNTPATH                    | Plant Pathology                |                               |
| PLNTSOIL                    | Plant & Soil Sciences          |                               |
| PLSOILIN                    | Plant, Soil & Insect Science   |                               |
| POLISCI                     | Political Science              |                               |
| POLISH                      | Polish                         |                               |
| POLYMER                     | Polymer Science & Engineering  |                               |
| PORTUG                      | Portuguese                     |                               |
| PORTUGED                    | Portuguese-Student Teaching    |                               |
| PROJTEN                     | Project Ten                    |                               |
| PSYCH                       | Psychology                     |                               |
| PUBHLTH                     | Public Health                  |                               |
| PUBP&ADM                    | Public Policy & Administration |                               |
| <b>R</b>                    |                                |                               |
| RECREATN                    | Recreation                     |                               |
| REGIONPL                    | Regional Planning              |                               |
| RES-CNTR                    | Residential Pgm: Central       |                               |
| RES-EAST                    | Residential Pgm: East          |                               |
| RES-ECON                    | Resource Economics             |                               |
| RES-NE                      | Residential Pgm: Northeast     |                               |
| RES-ORH                     | Residential Pgm: Orchard Hill  |                               |
| RES-SW                      | Residential Pgm: Southwest     |                               |
| RES-SYLV                    | Residential Pgm: Sylvan        |                               |
| RES-WEST                    | Residential Pgm: West          |                               |
| RHETORIC                    | Rhetoric                       |                               |
| RUSSIAN                     | Russian                        |                               |

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| <b>S</b>             |                                |                        |
| SCANDIN              | Scandinavian                   |                        |
| SCHLTHSC             | School of Health Sciences      |                        |
| SCH-MGMT             | Isenberg School of Management  |                        |
| SCHPSYCH             | School Psychology              |                        |
| SEESTU               | Slavic & E European Studies    |                        |
| SERBO-CR             | Serbo-Croatian                 |                        |
| SINHALES             | Sinhalese                      |                        |
| SLAVIC               | Slavic                         |                        |
| SLOVAK               | Slovak                         |                        |
| SOCBEHAV             | Social & Behavioral Science    |                        |
| SOCIOL               | Sociology                      |                        |
| SPANI-ED             | Spanish - Student Teaching     |                        |
| SPANISH              | Spanish                        |                        |
| SPEECH               | Speech                         |                        |
| SPORTMGT             | Sport Management               |                        |
| SPORTSTU             | Sport Studies                  |                        |
| SRVCLRNG             | Service Learning               |                        |
| STATISTC             | Statistics                     |                        |
| STOCKSCH             | Stockbridge School             |                        |
| STPEC                | Social Thought & Polic. Econ   |                        |
| SWAHILI              | Swahili                        |                        |
| SWEDISH              | Swedish                        |                        |
| <b>T</b>             |                                |                        |
| TAGALOG              | Tagalog                        |                        |
| TAMIL                | Tamil                          |                        |
| TCEA                 | Textiles,Clothing&Environ Arts |                        |
| THAI                 | Thai                           |                        |
| THEATER              | Theater                        |                        |
| TRNSFR               | Transfer                       |                        |
| TURKISH              | Turkish                        |                        |
| TWI                  | Twi                            |                        |
| <b>U</b>             |                                |                        |
| UKRAIN               | Ukrainian                      |                        |
| UMASS                | UMass Practicum                |                        |
| UMA-XCHG             | UMass Graduate Course Exchange |                        |
| UNIVRSTY             | Univ Interdepartmental Course  |                        |
| URDU                 | Urdu                           |                        |
| URQMT                | University Requirement         |                        |
| UWW                  | University Without Walls       |                        |
| <b>V</b>             |                                |                        |
| VETSCI               | Veterinary & Animal Sciences   |                        |
| VIET                 | Vietnamese                     |                        |
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| <b>W</b>                    |                               |                               |
| W&FBIO                      | Wildlife & Fisheries Biology  |                               |
| W&FCONSV                    | Wildlife & Fisheries Conserv. |                               |
| WAIVER                      | Waiver                        |                               |
| WESTEURO                    | Western European Studies      |                               |
| WLDLFBIO                    | Wildlife Biology              |                               |
| WOLOF                       | Wolof                         |                               |
| WOMENSST                    | Women, Gender, Sexuality      |                               |
| WOODTECH                    | Wood Science & Technology     |                               |
| WSTNURSE                    | Worcester Nursing Program     |                               |
| <b>Y</b>                    |                               |                               |
| YIDDISH                     | Yiddish                       |                               |
| <b>Z</b>                    |                               |                               |
| ZOOLOGY                     | Zoology                       |                               |