• ACR – Atlanta Career Rise – a funding collaborative that focuses on systems changes to support low income individuals get access to training and into a career path. ACR is part of the National Fund network.
• AECF – Annie E Casey Foundation – a funder that focuses on providing low income families the resources needed to get them out of poverty.
• APS – Atlanta Public Schools
• ARC – Atlanta Regional Commission
• AWDA – Atlanta Workforce Development Board
• BLU – Business Leaders United – a national organization that helps small and mid-size businesses address their workforce needs.
• BOR – Board of Regents – the governing body for USG (University System of Georgia)
• CTE – Career and Technical Education – these are the Career Pathway program offered in the public high schools.
• DOE – Department of Education
• DOL – Department of Labor
• ETP – Eligible Training Provider – Approved training providers that job seekers in at WIBs/WDBs can go to for specific training.
  o Examples: Atlanta Regional Commission Workforce Board, Cobb Works, Atlanta Workforce Development Agency
• GBPI – Georgia Budget & Policy Institute
• GDEcD – Georgia Department of Economic Development
• GVRA – Georgia Vocational Rehabilitation Agency
• iNav – InternNavigator – intern-to-entry-level job posting site that connects employers to 33 colleges and universities in the state.
• LDS – Longitudinal Data System – a new data system in the works that combines the USG academic information with earnings information.
• NFWS – National Fund for Workforce Solutions
• NSC – National Skills Coalition – an organization that helps states develop legislative policy around sector partnerships and strategies to address low and middle skill talent needs
• TCSG – Technical College System of Georgia
• USG – University System of Georgia
• WDB – Workforce Development Board (formerly known as Workforce Investment Board)
• WIA – Workforce Investment Act (now called WIOA – Workforce Innovation & Opportunity Act)
• WIB – Workforce Investment Board (However with the change over from the Workforce Investment Act to the Workforce Innovation & Opportunity Act, these have change to Workforce Development Boards or WDBs)
• WIOA – Workforce Innovation & Opportunity Act (Formerly WIA)