UC Acronyms

Buildings & Colleges

TUC – Tangeman University Center

ERC – Engineering Research Center

UP – University Pavilion

CRC – Campus Recreation Center

A&S – College of Arts and Sciences

CCM – College Conservatory of Music

CECH – College of Education, Criminal Justice and Human Services

CEAS – College of Engineering and Applied Science

LCB - Carl H. Lindner College of Business

DAAP - College of Design, Architecture, Art, Planning

COM/MED – College of Medicine

CON – College of Nursing

CAHS – College of Allied Health Sciences

Orientation

BBO – Bearcats Bound Orientation

SOL – Student Orientation Leader

SOC – Student Orientation Coordinator

Academic Programs

E3 - Emerging Ethnic Leaders

FEP - First-Year Engineering Program

LHP – Lindner Honors plus – Business Honors Programs

KBS - Kolodzik Business Scholars - Business Honors Program

Arts & Sciences Programs

A&S (D) – Arts & Sciences students with declared majors (not exploratory)

A&S (E) - Arts & Sciences Exploratory

CECH Programs

(CHE) - CECH students in Criminal Justice, Human Services, Education

(I)- CECH students in IT

CAHS Programs

(DAM) - Dietetics and Advanced Medical Imagery & Medical Laboratory Science

(HLSC) - Health Sciences programs

(CSD) – Communications Sciences & Disorders (an undergraduate major for students wanting to go into Speech Pathology & Audiology)

(SW) - CAHS students in Social Work

(FSAHS) – CAHS students in Foundational studies in allied health sciences (an entry program into CAHS)

DAAP Programs

SOD - School of Design

CODE – Communication Design

FASH – Fashion

INDL – Industrial Design

SAID – School of Architecture and Interior Design

ARCH – Architecture

INTD – Interior Design

SOA – School of Art

FAA – Fine Arts

PART – Pre-Art

ARTH – Art History

SOP – School of Planning

URPL – Urban Planning

URST – Urban Studies

HORT – Horticulture

FASFA – Free Education for Federal Student Aid

FERPA - Family Education Rights and Privacy Act

Campus Departments/Resources

SASS – Student Athlete and Support Services

RED – Resident Education and Development

SALD – Student Activities & Leadership Development

AACRC - African American Cultural & Resource Center

PEN – Peer Education Network

FSL – Fraternity & Sorority Life

UCAA – University of Cincinnati Alumni Association

LC – Learning Community

PL - Peer Leader

RA – Resident Assistant

TA – Teachers Assistant

SI – Supplemental Instruction/Supplemental instruction Leader

BTS – Bearcat Transportation System

UCATs – University of Cincinnati Athletics Team Support

AAS – Advising and Academic Services

PPAC - Pre-Professional Advising

EPS – Ethnic Programs and Services

Events

Welcome Week – Thursday-Sunday prior to the beginning of classes in which SALD & other campus groups put on a variety of programs for students

Convocation – UC's official new-student welcome held the Friday before classes begin. (Think of it as the opposite of commencement/graduation)

College Day – Held following convocation by each college as a welcome for new students into the college. Each college hosts a variety of activities.

Akwaaba – the official black student welcome. Hosted early each fall by the AACRC as a welcome and introduction to all students.

Tyehimba – Afro-centric graduation celebration held each spring by the AACRC to celebrate the graduation and achievement of students

Commencement – UC's official graduation ceremony held in the spring, summer, and fall **RBB (Red and Black Bash)** – The Fall concert for students put on by PAC (Programs and Activities Council)

Uptown West Fest – the most recent name for the Spring Concert for students put on by PAC

Student Organizations

SG – Student Government

SAB – Student Activities Board

UFB – University Funding Board

SSB - Student Safety Board

EFC – Elections Facilitation Committee

ROAR – Tour guides that provide tours to incoming/prospective students. ROAR is not actually an acronym

SAC - Student Alumni Council

PAC – Programs and Activities Council

SACUB – Student Advisory Council on the University Budget

Greek Life Councils

IFC – Interfraternity Council (Men's fraternities)

Panhellenic – shorthand used at UC for the College Panhellenic Council (Women's sororities)

NPHC – National PanHellenic Council (nine historically African American fraternities and sororities)

MGC – Multicultural Greek Council (multicultural fraternities and sororities)