

# LOYOLA UNIVERSITY CHICAGO

# ACRONYM TRACKER

## **ABSN**

### **ACCELERATED BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN NURSING**

The Accelerated Bachelor of Science in Nursing (ABSN) is designed for individuals who have a non-nursing undergraduate degree to transition into the nursing profession in as few as 16 months.

## **ACE**

### **ACHIEVING COLLEGE EXCELLENCE**

ACE is a student support services program that provides primary and supplemental academic advising to program participants.

## **AIP / AEP**

### **ACADEMIC IMPROVEMENT PLAN / ACADEMIC ENGAGEMENT PLAN**

A document to help students return to good academic standing.

## **ASN**

### **ALPHA SIGMA NU**

Alpha Sigma Nu is the international honor society of Jesuit institutions of higher education.

## **BCS**

### **BUSINESS CAREER SERVICES**

Business Career Services offers comprehensive career development services and resources to currently enrolled, degree-seeking students and alumni from the Quinlan School of Business. The Office is located in Schreiber Center (WTC).

## **CAS**

### **COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES**

The College of Arts and Sciences is composed of 17 academic departments and 23 interdisciplinary programs.

## **CBFWS**

### **COMMUNITY-BASED FEDERAL WORK-STUDY**

Located downtown in Corboy Law Center, Suite 800 as part of Student Employment, this program gives students the opportunity to earn a component of their financial aid award while developing critical workplace skills within an internship-like experience and make a real contribution to the community.

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## **CDC**

### **CAREER DEVELOPMENT CENTER**

With offices at Sullivan (LSC) and Schreiber Center (WTC), the Career Development Center serves Loyola students via traditional career services plus career assessment, career courses, career advising, pre-health advising, a mentoring program (LUConnect), pre-law advising, student employment/work study. The CDC also houses the Fellowship Office.

## **COP**

### **CONTINUED ON PROBATION**

Student is on probation, did not raise CUM GPA above 2.00, but made significant progress (usually at least a term GPA of 2.33)

## **CPT**

### **CURRICULAR PRACTICAL TRAINING**

Temporary employment authorization for F-1 visa, non-immigrant foreign students in the United States while enrolled in a college-level degree program

## **CSS**

### **COUNCIL FOR STUDENT SUCCESS**

The Council examines current approaches to student success, including high-impact practices (undergraduate research, service learning, e-portfolios, etc.), analyzes student outcomes (retention, progression, career readiness, timely graduation, and post-graduation), and recommend new and enhanced approaches.

## **DAP**

### **DUAL ACCEPTANCE PROGRAM**

Loyola University Chicago and Chicago College of Pharmacy (CCP) of Midwestern University created this program that allows an accepted applicant of Loyola University Chicago to also apply for dual acceptance into the Chicago College of Pharmacy prior to graduation from high school but before the application deadline.

## **DFPA**

### **DEPARTMENT OF FINE AND PERFORMING ARTS**

Academic department that houses Theatre, Fine Art, & Music

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## **DOS**

### **OFFICE OF THE DEAN OF STUDENTS**

The University's Office of the Dean of Students (DOS) is a resource for advocacy, resources, and support for students. It's mission of helping students effectively navigate the University during times of personal difficulty

## **DOS**

### **DROPPED FOR POOR SCHOLARSHIP**

Dropped for poor scholarship. Student with CUM GPA below 2.00. Usually these students have initially been on probation and did not meet the requirements for their probationary term

## **DSD**

### **DIVISION OF STUDENT DEVELOPMENT**

They engage and support students in developing the personal values, skills, and competencies needed to fully engage the world in pursuit of a life dedicated to truth, justice and service to humanity.

## **EAP**

### **EARLY ASSURANCE PROGRAM**

Loyola University Chicago and Loyola's Stritch School of Medicine (SSOM) sponsor the Early Assurance Program (EAP), which allows Loyola's undergraduate students to be considered early for admission to SSOM.

## **EL**

### **ENGAGED LEARNING**

The Engaged Learning requirement supports the mission of Loyola University Chicago by embedding opportunities for students to explore the many different forms of experiential learning as part of their academic coursework.

## **FAO**

### **FINANCIAL AID OFFICE**

Located in Sullivan Center. The Financial Aid Office is available to answer questions students may have regarding their award, paying for school, and scholarship opportunities.

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## **FSYA**

### **FIRST AND SECOND YEAR ADVISING**

First and Second Year Advising is a resource to help underclassman with all academic advising needs. Advisors support students across all majors and specialty programs, including honors, international, and military veteran students.

## **FWS**

### **FEDERAL WORK-STUDY**

A Federal grant awarded as part of a Financial Aid Package. It is earned by working a job either on-campus or in Community Work-Study during the fall or spring semester (not during summer).

## **GBUS (LOCUS PROGRAM CODE)**

### **GRADUATE SCHOOL OF BUSINESS**

Located in the water tower campus. The graduate school of business offers programs for those seeking advance in their business career.

## **GPEM**

### **GRADUATE AND PROFESSIONAL ENROLLMENT MANAGEMENT**

Located in the water tower campus. This office coordinates graduate admission processes for graduate programs except Law (JD) and Medicine.

## **HSC**

### **HEALTH SCIENCES CAMPUS**

Located in Maywood the Health Sciences Campus is home to the Stritch School of Medicine and the graduate division of the Marcella Niehoff School of Nursing.

## **HSD**

### **HEALTH SCIENCES DIVISION**

Composed of the Stritch School of Medicine, Niehoff School of Nursing, biomedical programs of The Graduate School, and the health sciences research enterprise.

## **IC**

### **LOYOLA INFORMATION COMMONS**

Located on the Lakeshore Campus. The Loyola Information Commons is home to study rooms available to students, printing and computer services, and electronic loan service.

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## **IES**

### **INSTITUTE OF ENVIRONMENTAL SUSTAINABILITY**

Located on the Lakeshore Campus. The Institute of Environmental Sustainability focuses on engaging students in responding to global and local environmental issues.

## **IPS**

### **INSTITUTE OF PASTORAL STUDIES**

The Institute of Pastoral Studies (IPS) educates adults for professional ministry, spiritual development and faith-based leadership in other professions.

## **LAD HOLD**

### **DOS/LOCAL OFF-CAMPUS ADDRESS HOLD**

If you have a LAD hold on your LOCUS account, it means you have not provided the University with one or more of the following pieces of required information: (a) valid off-campus address, and/or (b) emergency contact information.

## **LLRC**

### **LANGUAGE LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER**

The LLRC, located in Crown Center 208, provides multimedia materials and equipment, personal assistance, interactive communication services and educational events to enhance world language learning and teaching.

## **LOCUS**

### **LOYOLA'S ONLINE CONNECTION TO UNIVERSITY SERVICES**

The online portal where one can see all their account information regarding Loyola (academics, financial aid, emergency contact info etc)

## **LSC**

### **LAKE SHORE CAMPUS**

Located at 1032 W Sheridan Rd, Chicago, IL 60660 the lake shore campus is home to most undergraduate schools.

## **LUCO**

### **LOYOLA UNIVERSITY CHICAGO ORIENTATION**

An event meant to familiarize students with the campus and each other in order to create community and ease their transition into university.

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## **LUREC**

### **LOYOLA UNIVERSITY RETREAT AND ECOLOGY CAMPUS**

Located in Woodstock, IL LUREC is a place where students can attend retreats and reflect. It is also a place where students can do environmental research on the property.

## **MDC**

### **MASTER'S AND DOCTORAL COMMITTEE**

This is the group assumes responsibility for the Master's and Doctor of Nursing Practice (DNP) programs regarding curriculum, policies and admissions.

## **MLL**

### **DEPARTMENT OF MODERN LANGUAGES AND LITERATURES**

Academic department that houses Foreign language programs

## **MNSON**

### **MARCELLA NIEHOFF SCHOOL OF NURSING**

Marcella Niehoff School of Nursing provides a transformative education, preparing leaders in the health professions to enhance the health of persons, communities, and the larger global environment through the discovery, application, and dissemination of knowledge; and service with others.

## **MVSS**

### **MILITARY VETERAN STUDENT SERVICES**

Supports our veteran students through their transition from military service. Through academic and social programming, MVSS staff help students identify resources that encourages their full integration to the Loyola community and civilian life.

## **NSP**

### **NEW STUDENT PROGRAMS**

Formerly known as Student Transitions and Outreach, New Student Programs provides new students and their families the information, resources, and support that they need to make a successful transition to academic and student life at Loyola. NSP consists of two teams, one focused on the first-year experience broadly, and the other focused on providing wraparound support services for special populations.

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## **OCSL**

### **OFF-CAMPUS STUDENT LIFE**

The Office of Off-Campus Student Life (OCSL) serves Loyola University Chicago's non-residential student populations: commuter and "commuter" students.

## **OIP**

### **OFFICE FOR INTERNATIONAL PROGRAMS**

Office of International Programs houses the study abroad programs.

## **OL**

### **ORIENTATION LEADER**

Orientation leaders help facilitate activities, answer questions, and help cultivate community at orientation for incoming first years.

## **OPT**

### **OPTIONAL PRACTICAL TRAINING**

A period during which undergraduate and graduate students with F-1 status who have completed or have been pursuing their degrees for more than three months are permitted by the United States Citizenship and Immigration Services to work for one year on a student visa towards getting practical training to complement their education.

## **OSCCR**

### **OFFICE OF STUDENT CONDUCT AND CONFLICT RESOLUTION**

The Office of Student Conduct and Conflict Resolution (OSCCR) promotes student success and development through upholding policies and procedures that ensure a safe, respectful, and inclusive environment in which students can thrive.

## **OTB**

### **OFFICE OF THE BURSAR**

Bursar's Office. Central billing office.

## **PH ADVISING**

### **PRE-HEALTH ADVISING**

Pre-Health Professions is part of the Career Development Center and offers assistance to Loyola's undergraduate and post-baccalaureate students interested in pursuing health professional careers.

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## **PHPAC**

### **PRE-HEALTH PROFESSIONS ADVISORY COMMITTEE**

The Pre-Health Professions Advisory Committee process guides, advises, and gets to know Loyola students and alumni/ae better to evaluate them personally, academically, and on their professional orientation when applying to health professional schools.

## **POP**

### **PLACED ON PROBATION**

Students with CUM GPA's below 2.00 are placed on probation. Plans for success are then put in place.

## **PTD**

### **PROGRESS/PERCENTAGE TOWARDS DEGREE**

Progress-toward-degree requirements are designed to guide student-athletes toward graduation and increase retention, based on the 40-60-80 rule.

## **QSB**

### **QUINLAN SCHOOL OF BUSINESS**

Located at Water Tower Campus. Quinlan School of Business is committed to educating and shaping business leaders.

## **RCL**

### **REDUCED COURSE LOAD**

Part-time enrollment

## **RGS**

### **RETURNED TO GOOD STANDING**

Students on probation who raise their CUM GPA back up to or above 2.00 are returned to good standing

## **RL**

### **RAMBLERLINK**

Database used by the Career Development Center and Business Career Services along with most colleges and schools to house jobs, internships, volunteers, service, and other work and experiential opportunities for students.



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## **SAAC**

### **STUDENT ATHLETE ADVISORY COMMITTEE**

An assembled group of student-athletes who provide insight and give voice to concerns and matters affecting student-athletes lives on campus.

## **SAAS**

### **STUDENT ATHLETE ACADEMIC SERVICES**

Located in Norville 201 (2nd Floor). Offices for advising and student-athlete development.

## **SAC**

### **STUDENT ACCESSIBILITY CENTER**

Located in Sullivan Student Center. The Student Accessibility Center is dedicated to providing services to students with disabilities. They work one on one with students to provide them with accommodations needed for success at Loyola.

## **SAGA**

### **STUDENT ACTIVITIES AND GREEK AFFAIRS**

Student Activities & Greek Affairs (SAGA) offers opportunities for students to connect, learn, and engage beyond the classroom. Through shared experiences, students gain a greater sense of self and community to foster positive social change.

## **SAP**

### **SATISFACTORY ACADEMIC PROGRESS**

Federal financial aid term

## **SAS**

### **STUDENT ACADEMIC SERVICES**

A division that provides support, resources, and guidance to students through the following main departments: Achieving College Excellence, Career Development Center, First and Second Year Advising, The HUB, Military Veteran Student Services, New Student Programs, Student Accessibility Center and the Tutoring Center

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## **SCPS**

### **SCHOOL OF CONTINUING AND PROFESSIONAL STUDIES**

Loyola University's School of Continuing and Professional Studies is a program dedicated to the betterment and continuing education of adult learners

## **SDMA**

### **STUDENT DIVERSITY AND MULTICULTURAL AFFAIRS**

The Department of Diversity and Multicultural Affairs promotes education about different cultures and identities to ensure the retention and success of underrepresented students.

## **SOC**

### **SCHOOL OF COMMUNICATION**

Located at the Water Tower Campus. The School of Communication offers training in Advertising, Public Relations, Advocacy and Social Change, Communication Studies, Film, and Multimedia Journalism

## **SOE**

### **SCHOOL OF EDUCATION**

Located at the Water Tower Campus. The School of Education of Loyola University Chicago works to transform members to impact local and global communities through the principles of social justice

## **SOL**

### **SCHOOL OF LAW**

Located at the Water Tower Campus. The Loyola School of Law is dedicated to educating a diverse and motivated students to become leaders for justice.

## **SSOM**

### **STRITCH SCHOOL OF MEDICINE**

Located in Maywood. Loyola University Chicago Stritch School of Medicine is committed to scholarship and the education of medical professionals and biomedical scientists.

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## **SSW**

### **SCHOOL OF SOCIAL WORK**

Located at Water Tower Campus. The School of Social Work educates leaders on how to address clinical, organizational, community, and social justice issues within social work.

## **TGS**

### **THE GRADUATE SCHOOL**

The Graduate School offers advanced study and research opportunities in various different programs. From academic fields to professional specialties, The Graduate School cultivates leaders and scholars who are motivated to advance and make a difference.

## **UAO**

### **UNDERGRADUATE ADMISSION OFFICE**

Located in the Sullivan Student Center. Devoted to helping potential students find a place at Loyola. They work closely with other programs in Sullivan to provide information and services to prospective students.

## **WTC**

### **WATER TOWER CAMPUS**

Located downtown on E Pearson St. Includes the Corboy Law Center, Baumhart Hall and Terry Student Center, Schreiber Center, Lewis Towers, 51 E. Pearson (SOC Building), and Maguire Hall.

## **WTCL/GPASL**

### **WATER TOWER CAMPUS LIFE/GRADUATE, PROFESSIONAL & ADULT STUDENT LIFE**

Located downtown on E Pearson St.