Sometimes we think we’ll need a dictionary to get around! If you are confused about the acronyms and jargon - look no further.

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<tr>
<td>AAAPN</td>
<td>Academic Administrative Post Appointment Notice</td>
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<td>A.O.</td>
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<td>AFMC</td>
<td>Association of Faculties of Medicine of Canada</td>
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<td>AFP</td>
<td>Alternate Funding Plan</td>
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<td>AHSC</td>
<td>Academic Health Science Centre</td>
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<td>AMOSO</td>
<td>Academic Medical Organization of Southwestern Ontario</td>
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<td>APE</td>
<td>Annual Performance Evaluation</td>
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<td>A&amp;P</td>
<td>Appointments &amp; Promotion</td>
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<td>APT</td>
<td>Appointments, Promotion, and Tenure</td>
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<td>ACAHO</td>
<td>Association of Canadian Academic Healthcare Organizations</td>
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<td>ACLS</td>
<td>Advanced Cardiac Life Support</td>
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<td>AVP</td>
<td>Assessment Verification Period (evaluation for IMG Ontario candidates)</td>
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<td>AWL</td>
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<td>BFMC</td>
<td>Byron Family Medical Clinic</td>
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<td>C3</td>
<td>Connecting the Continuum of Care</td>
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<td>CACMS</td>
<td>Committee for Accreditation of Canadian Medical Schools (Accreditation body with LCME)</td>
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<td>Community Care Access Centre, see who's who and where for details</td>
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<td>Cancer Care Ontario</td>
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<td>Career Development and Planning</td>
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<td>Children's Hospital of Western Ontario</td>
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CNA  Canadian Nurses Association
COFM  Council of Ontario Faculties of Medicine
COU  Council of Ontario Universities
CPD  Continuing Professional Development
CPOE  Computerized Provided Order Entry
CPSO  College of Physicians and Surgeons of Ontario
CQI  Continuous Quality Improvement
CSLP  Clinical Skills Learning Program
CSTAR  Canadian Surgical Technologies and Advance Robotics
CTA  Clinical Teachers Association
CTU  Clinical Teaching Unit
CWCC  City-Wide Credentials Committee
DAT  Dental Admissions Test
DCS  Dental Clinician-Scientist
DDS  Doctor of Dental Surgery
DHC  District Health Council
DND  Department of National Defense
DOCS  Dental Outreach Community Service
ECSC  Executive Committee of Schulich Council
ELT  Executive Leadership Team, see Governance for details
EPR  Electronic Patient Record
ERB  Evaluation Review Board (residents)
FAN  Faculty Appointment Notice (see PT FAN or FLAAN)
FITER  Final In-Training Evaluation Report (Royal College requirement for Residents)
FLAAN  Full-Time Faculty/Librarian/Archivist Appointment Notice
FMRAC  Federation of Medical Regulatory Authorities of Canada
FoMD  Faculty of Medicine and Dentistry (historical usage)
GPR  General Practice Residency (Dentistry)
GRA  Graduate Research Assistant
GTA  Graduate Teaching Assistant
GTA UWO  Graduate Teaching Assistants Union
HDGH  Hotel Dieu Grace Hospital (Windsor)
HOCC  Hospital On Call Coverage
HMMS  Health Care Materials Management Services
HPHA  Huron Perth Hospital Alliance
HSD  Health Sciences Building, UWO campus
HSS  Health Services Building, LHSC, South Street
HSPP  Hospital Strategic Planning Partnership
HSRC  Health Services Restructuring Commission
ICD  International College of Dentists
IMG  International Medical Graduate
ISR  Internationally Sponsored Resident
ITD  Internationally Trained Dentist
ITER  In-Training Evaluation Report (Royal College requirement for Residents)
IVP  Integrated Vice President
JLC  Joint Liaison Committee
JMHRC  Joint Medical Human Resources Committee
JPPC  Joint Policy and Planning Committee
JRAF  Faculty Job-Related Additional Funding
LARG*net  London and Regional Global Network
LCME  Liaison Committee on Medical Education (American) – (Accreditation body with CACMS)
LD DDS  London & District Dental Society
LeNS  LHSC Electronic Notification Service
LHIN  Local Health Integration Network

Schulich Acronyms – Last Updated January 14, 2012
LHSC  London Health Sciences Centre
LHSRCRI  London Health Sciences Centre Research Inc
LINX  LHSC Integrated Knowledge Exchange
LRCP  London Regional Cancer Program
LHRI  Lawson Health Research Institute
LRI  Lawson Research Institute
LTC  Long Term Care
LTD  Long Term Disability
MAC  Medical Advisory Committee
MCC  Medical Council of Canada
MEDONC  Medical Oncology
MHA  Middlesex Hospital Alliance
MOC  Maintenance of Certification
MOCOMP  see MOC
MoH  Ministry of Health
MOHLTC  Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care
MSO  Medical Staff Organization, see Governance for details
MDT  Multi Disciplinary Team
MRP  Most Responsible Physician
MTCU  Ministry of Training, Colleges & Universities
MTD  Medical Trainee Data
NCNER  Non-Continuing Non-Employment Remuneration
NDEB  National Dental Examining Board (USA)
NOSM  Northern Ontario School of Medicine
NOTA  Notification of Training Appointment Form
NPPC  Nursing Professional Practice Council
New VIC  LHSC, Victoria Hospital, LHSC
NR  Nurses Residence Building at South Street Hospital, LHSC
ODA  Ontario Dental Association
Old VIC  LHSC, South Street Hospital
OMA  Ontario Ministry of Health
OMFS  Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery
OPHRDC  Ontario Physician Human Resources Data Centre
OTPC  Orientation to Training and Practice in Canada (IMG’s in Specialty Programs)
P&T  Pharmacy and Therapeutics Committee
P&T  Promotion & Tenure
PAC  Program Advisory Council, see Governance for details
PAIRO  Professional Association of Interns and Residents of Ontario
PCP  Primary Care Partner
PDC  Perth Drive Complex (parking garage) University Hospital, LHSC
PDF  Post-Doctoral Fellow
PEAP  Pre-Entry Assessment Period
PGE  Postgraduate Education
PGME  Postgraduate Medical Education
PGY1  Postgraduate Year 1 (PGY2, PGY3, etc)
Phase 1  New building at Victoria Hospital of London Health Sciences Centre
PMA  Professional Managerial Association
PPH  Provincial Psychiatric Hospitals
PPL  Professional Practice Leader
PRP  Pre-Residency Program – Pre Registration Period for AVP trainees
PSO  Professional Staff Organization (formerly MSO)
PT FAN  Part-Time Faculty Appointment Notice
PTC  Pre-Clerkship & Transition Period Committee
PW  Parkwood Hospital
RADONC  Radiation Oncology

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RCDC  Royal College of Dentists of Canada
RCDSO  Royal College of Dental Surgeons of Ontario
RCPSC  Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada
RF    Research Fellow
RMHC  Regional Mental Health Care (London and St. Thomas sites)
RRC   Resident Relations Committee
RRI   Robarts Research Institute
SAN   Staff Appointment Notice
SGH   Stratford General Hospital
SJFMC  St. Joseph's Family Medical Centre
SJHC  St. Joseph's Health Care London
SLT   Senior Leadership Team, see Governance for details
SMD   Senior Medical Director
SMGH  Strathroy Middlesex General Hospital
SSO   Single Sign-On
SPARC Stroke Prevention & Atherosclerosis Research Centre
SPEC  Simulated Practice Environment Clinic (now ref’d to as Children’s Clinic)
SRTP  Summer Research Training Program
SSH   South Street Hospital, London Health Sciences Centre
SSMD  Schulich School of Medicine & Dentistry
StACER Standardized Assessment of a Clinical Encounter Report
STEGH St. Thomas Elgin General Hospital
STPH  St. Thomas Psychiatric Hospital (RMHC)
SWMHC Southwest Middlesex Health Centre
SWOMEN Southwestern Ontario Medical Education Network
SWORRM Southwestern Ontario Rural Medicine Unit
TLM   Team Leader Manager
TTS   Teaching & Technology Services
TVCC  Thames Valley Children's Centre
UH    University Hospital, London Health Sciences Centre
UGE   Undergraduate Education
UGME  Undergraduate Medical Education
UWO   University of Western Ontario
UWOFA University of Western Ontario Faculty Association
UWOSA University of Western Ontario Staff Association
VIC   Victoria Hospital, London Health Sciences Centre
WC    Westminster Campus (now Victoria Hospital, London Health Sciences Centre)
WRCC  Windsor Regional Cancer Centre
WRH   Windsor Regional Hospital
WSIB  Workplace Safety and Insurance Board
WT    Westminster Tower