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ABBREVIATIONS

| | |
|------|--|
| AfD | Alternative for Germany (<i>Alternative für Deutschland</i>) |
| BEC | British Employers' Confederation |
| BLK | Federal-State-Commission for Educational Planning (<i>Bund-Länder-Kommission für Bildungsplanung</i>) |
| CACE | Central Advisory Councils for Education |
| CDU | Christian Democratic Union of Germany (<i>Christlich Demokratische Union Deutschlands</i>) |
| CSU | Christian Social Union in Bavaria (<i>Christlich-Soziale Union in Bayern</i>) |
| DAEB | German Committee for the Education System (<i>Deutscher Ausschuss für das Erziehungs und Bildungswesen</i>) |
| DBB | German Civil Service Federation (<i>Deutscher Beamtenbund</i>) |
| DBR | German Education Council (<i>Deutscher Bildungsrat</i>) |
| DES | Department of Education and Science |
| DGB | German Trade Union Confederation (<i>Deutscher Gewerkschaftsbund</i>) |
| DI | Discursive Institutionalism |
| DIHT | Congress of German Industry and Commerce (<i>Deutscher Industrie- und Handelstag</i>) |
| DLV | German Teachers' Association (<i>Deutsche Lehrerverein</i>) |
| DPhV | German Philological Association (<i>Deutscher Philologenverband</i>) |
| DUP | Democratic Unionist Party |
| FBI | Federation of British Industry |

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| FDP | Free Democratic Party (<i>Freie Demokratische Partei</i>) |
| FRG | Federal Republic of Germany |
| GCE | General Certificate of Education |
| GCSE | General Certificate of Secondary Education |
| GDR | German Democratic Republic |
| GEW | Education and Science Workers' Union (<i>Gewerkschaft Erziehung und Wissenschaft</i>) |
| HCT | Human Capital Theory |
| HI | Historical Institutionalism |
| KMK | Standing Conference of Ministers of Culture (<i>Ständige Konferenz der Kultusminister</i> or <i>Kultusministerkonferenz</i>) |
| KPD | German Communist Party (<i>Kommunistische Partei Deutschlands</i>) |
| LEA | Local Education Authority |
| NFER | National Foundation for Educational Research |
| NPD | National Democratic Party of Germany (<i>Nationaldemokratische Partei Deutschlands</i>) |
| NUT | National Union of Teachers |
| OECD | Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development |
| OMGUS | Office of Military Government, United States |
| PISA | Programme for International Student Assessment |
| PRT | Power Resources Theory |
| SED (Britain) | Scottish Education Department |
| SED (East Germany) | German Socialist Unity Party (<i>Sozialistische Einheitspartei Deutschlands</i>) |
| SPD | Social Democratic Party of Germany (<i>Sozialdemokratische Partei Deutschlands</i>) |
| TUC | Trades Union Congress |
| UKIP | United Kingdom Independence Party |
| VBE | Union of Training and Education (<i>Verband Bildung und Erziehung</i>) |
| VDR | Association of German Secondary School Teachers (<i>Verband Deutscher Realschullehrer</i>) |
| VoC | Varieties of Capitalism |
| ZB | Second Educational Path (<i>Zweiter Bildungsweg</i>) |

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