

List of Abbreviations

AEO	agricultural extension officer
CHAT	cultural historical activity theory
CoE	centre of excellence
DHET	Department of Higher Education and Training (South Africa)
DTP	Dube Trade Port
FCAFTI	Fort Cox Agricultural and Forestry Training Institute
GCRF	Global Challenges Research Fund (UK)
IBLN	Imvothu Bubomi Learning Network
ICT	information and communications technology
ILO	International Labour Organization/Office
INGO	international nongovernmental organization
IOC	international oil company
IPCC	Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change
KZN	KwaZulu-Natal
LED	local economic development
MEMD	Ministry of Energy and Mineral Development (Uganda)
NGO	nongovernmental organization
NQF	national qualifications framework
PAR	participatory action research
PI	principal investigator
SDGs	sustainable development goals
SEZ	Special Economic Zone
SIP	Strategic Integrated Project
SoE	school of excellence
SOGA	Skills for Oil and Gas in Africa programme
ToT	training-of-trainers
TVET	technical and vocational education and training
VET	vocational education and training
UK	United Kingdom
UKRI	United Kingdom Research and Innovation

UNESCO	United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization
UPIK	Uganda Petroleum Institute, Kigumba
US	United States of America
US\$	United States Dollars
WRC	Water Research Commission (South Africa)