## **GSL Acronym List - GSL Overview and Organizational Health Section**

| Acronym    | Definition   |
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| ACTRIS     | Aerosol, Clouds and Trace Gases Research Infrastructure  |
| AFIS       | Advanced Fire Information System   |
| Al         | Artificial Intellegence  |
| AISES      | American Indian Science and Engineering Society  |
| AMS        | American Meteorological Society  |
| AMTRAK     | National Railroad Passenger Corporation  |
| ARM        | Atmospheric Radiation Measurement - Dept. of Energy research program                             |
| BLDC       | Boulder Laboratories Divesity Council  |
| CCPP       | Common Community Physics Package   |
| CI         | Cooperative Institute  |
| CIRA       | Cooperative Institute for Research in the Atmosphere (CIRA at Colorado State Univ.)              |
| CIRES      | Cooperative Institute for Research in Environmental Sciences (CIRES at Univ. of CO)              |
| CRADA      | Cooperative Research and Development Agreement   |
| CSL        | Chemical Sciences Laboratory   |
| D&I        | Diversity and Inclusion  |
| DA         | Data Assimilation  |
| DDRF       | Director's Discretionary Research Funds  |
| DOC        | Department of Commerce   |
| DOE        | U.S. Department of Energy  |
| DSUP       | Disaster Supplemental  |
| EEOAC      | Equal Employment Opportunity Advisory Committee  |
| EPIC       | Earth Prediction Innovation Center   |
| ESRL       | Earth System Research Laboratories   |
| FAA        | Federal Aviation Administration/U.S. Department of Transportation                                |
| FACETs     | Forecasting a Continuum of Environmental Threats   |
| FEMA       | US Federal Emergency Management Agency   |
| FFATs      | Functional Forecast Assessment Tests   |
| FIM        | Flow-following finite-volume Icosahedral Model (experimental global model)                       |
| FSOI/EFSOI | Forecast Sensitivity and Observation Impact/Ensemble Forecast Sensitivity and Observation Impact |
| FV3        | Finite Volume Cubed Sphere model   |
| GC         | Grand Challenge  |
| GEFS       | Global Ensemble Forecast System  |
| GML        | Global Monitoring Laboratory   |
| GOES       | Geostationary Operational Environmental Satellite  |
| GPU        | Graphics Processing Unit   |
| HPC        | Hydrometeorological Prediction Center (within NCEP)  |
| HRRR       | High-Resolution Rapid Refresh model  |
| IDSS       | Impact-based Decision Support Services   |
| INSITE     | Integrated Support for Impacted Air-Traffic Environments   |
| Intel-MIC  | Intel® Many Integrated Core Architecture   |
| IT         | Information Technology   |
| JPSS       | Joint Polar Satellite System Proving Ground  |

JTTI Joint Technology Transfer Initiative

MADIS Meteorological Assimilation Data Ingest System

MSU Mississippi State University

NCAR National Center for Atmospheric Research

NESDIS National Environmental Satellite, Data & Information Services

NEVS Network-Enabled Verification Service

NMFS NOAA's National Marine Fisheries Service

NOAA National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

NOS NOAA's National Ocean Service
NWS National Weather Service (NOAA)

OAR Oceanic and Atmospheric Research (NOAA's research organization)

OCIO

NOAA's Office of the Cheif Information Officer

ODIAC

OAR Diversity and Inclusion Advisory Council

NOAA's Office of Marine and Aviation Operations

OSE Observing System Experiment or Observation Sensitivity Experiment

PSL Physical Sciences Laboratory
Q, R, P Quality, Relevance, Performance

QOSAP Quantitative Observing System Assessment Program

R&D Research and Development
R2O Research to Operations
RAP Rapid Refresh model

RL Research Level

RTVS Real-time Verification System
RUC Rapid Update Cycle model

STEM Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math

UFS Unified Forecast System

UFS R2O Unified Forecast System - Research to Operations

USFS U.S. Forest Service
VSE VORTEX South East

WCRP World Climate Research Program
WMO World Meteorological Organization

WoF/WoFS Warn-On Forecast/Warn-on-Forecast System – OAR research project
WRF Weather Research and Forecasting model (community model system)