SELECTED ACRONYMS

AAAS American Association for the Advancement

of Science

AAU Association of American Universities
AWIS Association for Women in Science
BMBF Germany, Federal Ministry of Education

and Research

CEA Council of Economic Advisors
CEO Chief Executive Officer
CBO Congressional Budget Office

CNRS Centre National de la Recherche Scientifique COSEPUP Committee of Science, Engineering and

Committee of Science, Engine

Public Policy

CRA Computing Research Association
CRS Congressional Research Service

DDR&E Director of Defense Research and Evaluation

DOC Department of Commerce
DOD Department of Defense
DOE Department of Energy

DTI Department of Trade and Industry, UK

EC European Commission

EPA Environmental Protection Agency

EU European Union

FCCSET Federal Coordinating Council on Science

and Technology

FY Fiscal Year

GDP Gross Domestic Product

GPRA Government Performance and Results Act
HHS Health and Human Services (Department of)
HUD Housing and Urban Development, Department of
IDEA Indicators and Data for European Analysis

IRI Industrial Research Institute
NAS National Academy of Science

NASA National Aeronautics and Space Administration NCRR National Center for Research Resources, NIH

NIH National Institutes of Health

NIST National Institute for Standards and Technology

NOAA National Oceanographic and Atmospheric

Administration

NAE National Academy of Engineering

NRC National Research Council
NSB National Science Board
NSF National Science Foundation

NSTC National Science and Technology Council(OSTP)

MIT Massachusetts Institute of Technology
OMB Office of Management and Budget
OECD Organization for Economic Cooperation

and Development

OST Office of Science and Technology, UK
OSTP Office of Science and Technology Policy

PCAST President's Council (Committee) of Advisors on

Science and Technology

PL Public Law

PSR public sector research R&D research and development

RTD Research and Technological Development Policy (EU)

RaDiUS information system on Federal Research

and Development

S&T science and technology

SPI NSB Ad Hoc Committee on Strategic Science and

Engineering Policy Issues

SPRU Science Policy Research Unit, Sussex

STPI Science and Technology Policy Institute, RAND

UK United Kingdom

USDA U.S. Department of Agriculture VA Department of Veterans Affairs