

## Table of Acronyms

ACANA	African Cultural Alliance of North America
ACS	American Colonization Society
AFL	Armed Forces of Liberia
ATU	Anti-Terrorist Unit
BBC	British Broadcasting Corporation
BIAS	Building Immigrant Awareness and Support
CEDAW	Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination
CIA	Central Intelligence Agency
DDRR	Disarmament, Demobilization, Rehabilitation and Reintegration
DED	Deferred Enforced Departure
ECOMOG	Economic Community of West African States Monitoring Group
ECOWAS	Economic Community of West African States
ELWA	Eternal Love Winning Africa
GEMAP	Governance and Economic Management Assistance Program
IDP	internally displaced persons
IGNU	Interim Government of National Unity
INPFL	Independent National Patriotic Front of Liberia
LAMCO	Liberia American Mining Company
LDF	Lofa Defense Force
LINSU	Liberian National Student Union
LISCR	Liberian International Ship and Corporate Registry
LNC	Liberian National Conference
LPC	Liberia Peace Council
LURD	Liberians United for Reconciliation and Democracy
MJP	Movement for Justice and Peace
MODEL	Movement for Democracy in Liberia
MOJA	Movement for Justice in Africa
MPIGO	Popular Movement of the Ivorian Great West
NDPL	National Democratic Party of Liberia
NEWAT	Neighborhood Watch Team
NPFL	National Patriotic Front of Liberia
NPFL-CRC	National Patriotic Front of Liberia – Central Revolutionary Council
NTGL	National Transitional Government of Liberia
PAL	Progressive Alliance of Liberia
PPP	Progressive People’s Party
PRC	People’s Redemption Council
PTSD	Post Traumatic Stress Disorder
RIA	Robertsfield International Airport
RUF	Revolutionary United Front
SBU	Small Boys Unit
SSS	Special Security Service
SSU	Special Security Unit
TPS	Temporary Protected Status
TRC	Truth and Reconciliation Commission
ULAA	Union of Liberian Associations in the Americas
ULIMO	United Liberation Movement for Democracy in Liberia
ULIMO-J	United Liberation Movement for Democracy in Liberia – Johnson faction
ULIMO-K	United Liberation Movement for Democracy in Liberia – Kromah faction
ULO-UK	Union of Liberian Organizations in the United Kingdom
UN	United Nations
UNDP	United Nations Development Program
UNHCR	United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees
UNICEF	United Nations Children’s Fund
UNMIL	United Nations Mission in Liberia
USAID	United States Agency for International Development

