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The entries are arranged in alphabetical order. Those of Ethiopian or Eritrean origin are placed under their first names in accordance with their own culture. Each unit within an entry is marked off by a semi-colon. In addition, each unit (except for the first one in each entry) is preceded by keywords represented by an acronym followed by a colon.

The following abbreviations appear wherever relevant:

aff affiliation, affiliated to, etc.
cdc currently doctoral candidate
eml e-mail
fld field of specialization
fr focus/focoi of research
fx fax
rp research project(s)
tl telephone
tlfx telefax.
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