Abbreviations

For the manuscript materials quoted in this book, I have retained original spelling and punctuation wherever possible to convey the flavour of the scribal mode. Cross-outs and insertions, however, are not recorded, and I have expanded the occasional abbreviation that might have been difficult to decipher otherwise. For the most commonly referenced manuscript collections in this study, I have used the following abbreviations:

Add. MS British Library Additional Manuscript

BLARS Bedfordshire and Luton Archives and Records

Service

Bodl. Ms. Eng. Poet. Bodleian Library English Poetry Manuscript

Ms. Bodl. Bodleian Library Manuscript

Brotherton Collection, University of Leeds Mo Montagu Collection, Huntington Library

The print editions of letters and correspondence most frequently cited are abbreviated as follows:

Carter Unpublished Letters Elizabeth Carter, 1717–1806: An

Edition of Some Unpublished Letters

(2005)

Correspondence of Delany Autobiography and Correspondence

of Mary Granville, Mrs. Delany

(1861)

Correspondence of Dodsley The Correspondence of Robert Dodsley

1733–1764 (1988)

Correspondence of Gray The Correspondence of Thomas Gray

(1935)

Correspondence of Richardson The Correspondence of Samuel

Richardson (1804)

Correspondence on Grandison Correspondence Primarily on Sir Charles Grandison (1750–1754), Vol. 10 of The Cambridge Edition of the Correspondence of Samuel Richardson (2015) Correspondence with George Cheyne Correspondence with Edwards and Thomas Edwards, Vol. 2 of The Cambridge Edition of the Correspondence of Samuel Richardson (2014)Correspondence with Aaron Hill and Correspondence with Hill the Hill Family, Vol. 1 of The Cambridge Edition of Correspondence of Samuel Richardson (2014)Letters between Carter and Talbot Series Α of Letters between Mrs.Elizabeth Carter Miss Catherine Talbot (1809) The Letters of Samuel Johnson (1992) Letters of Johnson The Letters of Mrs. Elizabeth Letters of Montagu Montagu, with Some Letters of her Correspondence (1809–13) The Letters of William Shenstone Letters of Shenstone (1939)Letters to White The Letters to Gilbert White of Selborne from ... the Rev. John Mulso (1906) Memoirs of Carter

The Posthumous Works of Mrs Posthumous Works of Chapone

Chapone (1807)