Welcome to York Day

DATE: August 29, 2017
LOCATION: Underground Restaurant, Student Centre
TIME: 8:45 am – 2:30 pm

AGENDA

8:45 am  Registration / Distribution of New Faculty Materials

9:00 – 9:30 am  President’s Breakfast
                   Rhonda Lenton, President and Vice-Chancellor

9:30 – 9:45 am  Introduction: Welcome and Greetings
                   Will Gage, Associate Vice-President, Teaching and Learning
                   Alice Pitt, Vice-Provost Academic
                   Richard Wellen, President, York University Faculty Association

9:45 – 10:00 am  The Context of Post-Secondary Education
                   Lisa Philipps, Interim Vice-President Academic and Provost

10:00 – 10:30 am  City of York University
                   Alice Pitt, Vice-Provost Academic
                   Will Gage, Associate Vice-President, Teaching and Learning

10:30 – 10:45 am  Break

10:45 - 11:30 am  Facilitated Roundtables
                   Roundtable Session #1
                   Topics:
                   Open Access/ Open Data/ Research Metrics:
                   Navigating the Current Environment
                   Research Supports and Networks
                   Tenure and Promotion: The Process & Requirements
                   Working with Graduate Students

11:30 – 12:30pm  Lunch

12:30 – 1:15 pm  Roundtable Session #2
                   Topics repeated from Session #1

1:15 – 2:15pm  Faculty Member Panel: Balancing Research, Teaching and Service

2:15 – 2:30 pm  Closing Remarks
BRIEF DESCRIPTIONS OF ROUNDTABLE TOPICS:

OPEN ACCESS/ OPEN DATA/ RESEARCH METRICS: NAVIGATING THE CURRENT ENVIRONMENT
This roundtable will take up issues relating to open access, open data, and research metrics, considering trends in the research and publishing landscapes, and where to get information.

RESEARCH SUPPORTS AND NETWORKS
York has a tremendous amount of support to assist you with furthering your research program. This roundtable will inform you about various research support services, what they provide and how to access them.

TENURE AND PROMOTION: THE PROCESS AND REQUIREMENTS
The discussion will help prepare for the processes and procedures of Senate regulations on initial review and then tenure and promotion. Special attention is given over to your questions or anxieties.

WORKING WITH GRADUATE STUDENTS
In this session, you will be introduced to the Faculty of Graduate Studies. We will provide a brief orientation to the priorities of the Faculty and then we will move to a discussion of working with graduate students in courses and working with them on committees. You will leave the workshop knowing who you can ask questions about graduate education, how to participate in the governance of graduate education, and finally, how to best engage and enhance the graduate student academic experience.