

# Indigenous Council

The Indigenous Council at York University is committed to addressing the educational needs and provision of services that meet the cultural needs of Aboriginal students at York University through the processes of recruitment, retention and ultimately graduation.

The Council is committed to supporting and building reciprocal relationships between Aboriginal communities and York University in the area of Aboriginal education. Its purpose is to advocate for Aboriginal Peoples to have greater access, input and opportunities for higher education to the fullest extent possible at York University now and for future generations.

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