

YORK U ALUMNI NEWS



York and Raptors collaborate to give students a lift on and off the court
 The Toronto Raptors will be an exclusive university partner in select international markets and co-create opportunities for student engagement and success. [Read more.](#)



2024 President's Report celebrates the accomplishments of the community
 Learn more about York's vision to provide a broad sociodemographic of students access to high-quality education at a research-intensive university committed to enhancing the well-being of the communities it serves. [Read more.](#)



Four changemakers to receive honorary degrees
 York will award honorary doctor of laws degrees to four individuals recognized as leaders in their fields at Convocation ceremonies Oct. 16 to 25. [Read more.](#)



York earns sustainability medal ahead of Campus Sustainability Month events
 York received gold accreditation from the Association for the Advancement of Sustainability in Higher Education's Sustainability Tracking, Assessment & Rating System for its contribution to sustainability on campus and in the classroom. [Read more.](#)



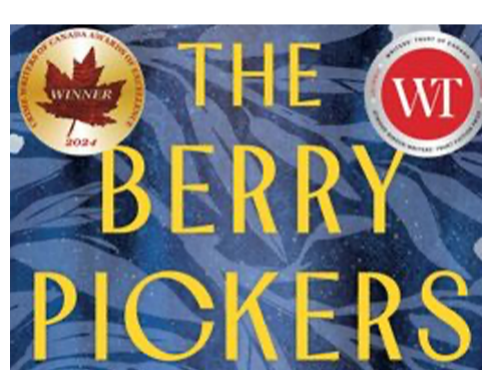
Alumni Spotlight
 York alumnus Joannes Yimbesalu (MA '18) is advancing the next generation through workforce development. [Read more.](#)



Nominations open for the 2025 Top 30 Alumni Under 30
 Do you know a York graduate who is making positive and impactful change? Nominate someone you know, or even yourself, no later than Oct. 31. [Learn more.](#)



Alumni work debuts at 2024 Nuit Blanche
 Numerous alumni and students showcased their artistic talents at this year's Nuit Blanche, a free, all-night celebration of contemporary art that transforms Toronto's public spaces into extraordinary landscapes. [Read more.](#)



Join our alumni book club
 Enjoy books related to lifelong learning, social issues, literature, psychology, and more. There is no cost to participate – you just have to get a copy of the book to enjoy. Currently reading *The Berry Pickers* by Amanda Peters. [Learn more.](#)



Give back through mentoring
 We're looking for alumni to give back to their alma mater by mentoring upper year students. Join us on Connecting YU, the exclusive online networking and mentoring platform for alumni. [Learn more.](#)



The alumni and career lounge is open!
 We're back after the summer break. If you're on Keele campus, make sure to visit us in York Lanes (across from the bookstore) for workshops, events, or drop-in to say hi. [Learn more.](#)

ALUMNI BENEFITS



Frame your diploma
 All frames have the York logo elegantly embossed. Frames are also available with Clendon, Lassonde, Schulich, and Osgoode logos. [Place your order.](#)



Shop laptops and your favourite gaming tech
 Take advantage of Dell's seasonal sale till Oct. 24. [Get your savings coupon and shop online.](#)



Discounts at the York U Bookstore
 Shop the alumni catalogue and save 15% on branded clothing, gifts, and stationery items. [Shop online.](#)

ALUMNI EVENTS



Oct. 17 | 6 p.m. ET | Education Unleashed: Career Paths Beyond Teaching
 Presented by the Faculty of Education Alumni Network.



Oct. 22 | 5 p.m. ET | Med School: Tips on how to get accepted and succeed
 Featuring Brian Serapio (BSc '18), Psychiatry Resident, University of Toronto and Clarelle Gonsalves (BSc '18), Paediatrics Resident, Hospital for Sick Children/University of Toronto.



Oct. 23 | 12 p.m. ET | Scholars' Hub @ Home | Trump's Mail-In Voting Opposition and Canadians' Trust in the System
 Featuring Cary Wu, Associate Professor and York Research Chair, Faculty of Liberal Arts and Professional Studies and Andrew Dawson, Associate Professor of Sociology, Clendon Campus.



Oct. 26 | 12 p.m. ET | York Circle Lecture Series
 Topics include: fair generative AI and the path away from corporate social media.



Oct. 29 | 6 p.m. ET | 2SLGBTQIA+ Halloween Alumni Mixer
 Hosted by the Sexuality and Gender Advocacy Alumni Network (SAGA).



Oct. 30 | 12 p.m. ET | Scholars' Hub @ Home | Halloween's Complex History
 Featuring Nick Rogers, Distinguished Research Professor Emeritus, Department of History, Faculty of Liberal Arts and Professional Studies.