The Senate of York University
Academic Policy, Planning and Research Committee
Academic Standards, Curriculum and Pedagogy Committee

Forum of Ideas 2018-2019
Thursday, February 7, 2019 at 2:30pm
Winters Dining Hall, 001 Winters College

Members of the community are invited to attend the follow-up event to the inaugural APPRC-ASCP Forum of Ideas held last winter, which focused on program re-visioning and curriculum reform. This year's planning forum will pick up the main themes of enquiry generated at the first event to discuss (i) what are the promising new ideas on the horizon for post-secondary curriculum and teaching; and (ii) how can those ideas be moved from theory to practice at York University? Component I of the forum will consist of two panels providing guidance about institutional support and resources for program development. Component II is a keynote speaker on the topic of pinpointing trends, and identifying need & demand in the current Ontario post-secondary landscape.

The Program

2:30pm  APPRC Chair Welcome

2:35pm  Panel I - Vice-Provost Academic and ASCP Chair
New measures and early forms of support for program development / re-visioning, and responding to Cyclical Program Review recommendations

3:00pm  Facilitated Question Period moderated by an APPRC / ASCP member

3:15pm  Panel II – Provost and AVP Institutional Planning & Analysis
Interdisciplinary / Cross-Faculty program development in the SHARP context

3:45pm  Facilitated Question Period moderated by an APPRC member

4:00pm  Keynote Speaker: Alex Usher on directions in the Provincial post-secondary program landscape

4:30pm  Wine and cheese reception

Posters prepared for the 2018 forum depicting the development or re-design of curriculum will again be displayed at this year's event, complemented by a new poster from the Libraries.

RSVPs to the Forum of Ideas 2018-2019 may be submitted online