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A Message from President Lenton: Mourning the Loss of our AMPD Student

I am deeply saddened to inform the York community that a member of our student community, Carl Cachero, died on May 27, 2018.

A second-year student in the Theatre program in our School of the Arts, Media, Performance & Design, Carl excelled in his studies and was active in many aspects of student life at York. He was also a talented actor. In his first year at York, Carl was a member of the Winters College community, and was on Winters College Council.

On behalf of all of us at York, I offer my sincerest condolences to Carl's family, friends, classmates and professors, and to everyone affected by his death within the AMPD and broader communities.

The flags on our Keele and Glendon campuses will be lowered to half-staff to recognize Carl's death. The University is providing supports to those most directly affected by this sudden and tragic loss. A memorial service will take place in his hometown of Ottawa.

If you are a student in need of support in dealing with this loss, please reach out to our <u>Student</u> <u>Community Relations</u> team at 416-736-5231 or the <u>Student Counselling & Development</u> team at 416-736-5297. For after-hours support, please call the 24/7 <u>Good2Talk</u> line at 1-866-925-5454.

A number of resources are available to support the mental health and wellness of our faculty and staff members: <u>http://mhw.info.yorku.ca/resources/resources-at-york/staff/</u>.

We mourn this tragic loss of life together.

Sincerely,

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Rhonda L. Lenton President & Vice-Chancellor

