Land acknowledgement

While we acknowledge that it does not undo the history of colonialism on this land, Working papers in Applied Linguistics and Linguistics at York (WALLY) would like to invite the reader to take a moment to consider the history of the land that you are located on and the Indigenous peoples that have traditionally stewarded that land.¹

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As we acknowledge these relationships, we invite the reader to consider how we may all work to build better relationships with the land and the Indigenous people who have long lived on and taken care of these lands. We thank the peoples of the many traditional territories from which we have the privilege to share this publication.

¹ You can find information about the Indigenous peoples that have traditionally stewarded lands across Turtle Island at <u>https://www.whose.land/</u>