



International School of Young Scientists

“Russia in the Arctic Dialogue: Local and Global Context”

29 May - 2 June 2023

Throughout the XXI century, the Arctic has remained one of the most dynamically developing regions and a strategically important territory for many world leading economic and industrial countries due to its significant natural and industrial potential. The issues of global Arctic governance, ecological risks management, transport systems development, local communities well-being are on top of the global agenda demanding cross-sectoral and interdisciplinary approach and complex decisions.

The current geopolitical situation makes international academic dialogue and scientific diplomacy crucial when searching for responses to the global challenges nowadays.

International School of Young Scientists “Russia in the Arctic Dialogue: Local and Global Context” for already 5 years has been serving a platform for a substantial dialogue between early-career researchers engaged in the Arctic studies and leading experts and scientists. Throughout the period over 30 PhD students and academics from 15 countries (Norway, Sweden, Finland, Denmark, China, India, Turkey, France, USA, Canada, Germany, the Czech Republic, Japan, Republic of Korea and Russia) contributed to the School programme and debates. Last year the School got the status of the International Forum and was included in the Russian Chairmanship Programme in the Arctic Council.

This year the participants are invited to enrich their knowledge about the Russian Arctic strategy and large-scale industrial and environmental projects, discuss a vast scope of current issues of the Arctic, namely:

- ✓ Russian Arctic agenda 2035;
- ✓ Environmental challenges and risk management in the Arctic;
- ✓ Northern territories development;
- ✓ Local communities in the changing environment;
- ✓ Geopolitics and international relations in the Arctic;
- ✓ Sociocultural dimension of the Arctic.



During the course the students will follow lectures, participate in discussion sessions and present their scientific projects / PhD theses during peer-review panels to receive high-quality feedback from international experts.

Dates: 29 May-2 June 2023

Venue: Northern Arctic Federal University, Arkhangelsk, Russia
<https://narfu.ru/en/>

Mode of study: online

Platform: tbc

Language of instruction: English

Participants: PhD and Master students of foreign and Russian HEIs, leading experts and scientists of the Arctic

Workload: 3 ECTS (certificate of participation; transcript of records upon request).

Application for the School: the candidates are asked to fill in the [application form](#) indicating a topic of their research project and attaching its abstract and a CV to the form.

Deadline for applying: 22 May 2023

Daily Schedule (tbc)

- Day 1:**
- School opening
 - Welcome and introductory words
 - Lectures
- Day 2-4:**
- Lectures
 - Peer-review panel
- Day 5:**
- Lectures
 - School closing
 - Final remarks

The School Programme will be finalized based on the applicants' research interests described in the application forms.

Financing: no participation fee

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