

International Seminar organized by "People and Community in the Arctic" Project

# Current Change from Cooperation into Confrontation? Security Environment in the Arctic Region

## PROGRAM

- 13:30–13:40 **Opening words**  
Shinichiro Tabata (Hokkaido University, Japan)
- 13:40–14:00 **Introduction to Arctic Research Center and ArCS Project**  
Yasushi Fukamachi (Hokkaido University, Japan)
- 14:00–14:20 **"Why Arctic Security Matters Now : An Introductory Comment"**  
Fujio Ohnishi (Nihon University, Japan)
- 14:20–14:55 **"Arctic Security : A Tale of Two Worlds?"**  
Andreas Østhagen (Norwegian Institute of Defence Studies / The Arctic Institute, Norway)
- 14:55–15:30 **"It never really was about Cooperation... : The Impact of the Core Security Needs of the Great Powers on the Arctic"**  
Robert Huebert (University of Calgary, Canada)
- 15:50–16:25 **"Russia and the Arctic : Territory of Dialogue and Militarization"**  
Katarzyna Zysk (Norwegian Defence University College / Norwegian Institute of Defence Studies, Norway)
- 16:25–17:00 **"Musings of a Near-Arctic State : China's Circumpolar Strategies"**  
Marc Lanteigne (Norwegian Institute of International Affairs, Norway)
- 17:00–17:30 **Discussion**

**Language : English**

**Seminar hosted by Slavic-Eurasian Research Center  
and Arctic Research Center , Hokkaido University  
Saturday, 27<sup>th</sup> February 2016  
From 13:30 to 17:30**

### ACCESS MAP



### Venue

Room403, Slavic-Eurasian Research Center, Hokkaido University  
Kita 9, Nishi 7, Kita-ku, Sapporo, 060-0809, Japan

### Access

- A** Entrance through the Humanities and Social Sciences Classroom Buildings (W-Buildings)  
Enter the W-Buildings, turn right, and go straight through the Faculty of Law
- B** Entrance through the Library  
Go through the Library and proceed to the Faculty of Law through connecting corridor

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