



4TH ANNUAL ARCTIC ENCOUNTER SYMPOSIUM - APRIL 13-14, 2017

SHIFTING NORTH: A NEW ERA IN THE ARCTIC

AGENDA: APRIL 13, 2017

8:00 - 9:00AM	REGISTRATION & LIGHT BREAKFAST
9:00 - 9:15AM	WELCOME & INTRODUCTORY REMARKS <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Ms. Rachel Kallander, Founder & Executive Director, Arctic Encounter Symposium; Managing Partner, Kallander & Associates LLC▪ Mr. Greig Arnold, Vice Chairman, Makah Tribal Council
9:15 - 9:30AM	KEYNOTE ADDRESS: Dr. Brendan Kelly , Executive Director, Study of Environmental Arctic Change (SEARCH); former Assistant Director for Polar Science, The White House
9:30 - 10:40AM	PLENARY SESSION I: OUR CHANGING ARCTIC: ENGAGING THE SCIENCE AND COMMUNITIES <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Moderator: Dr. Brendan Kelly, Executive Director, Study of Environmental Arctic Change (SEARCH); former Assistant Director for Polar Science, The White House▪ Ms. Melanie Bahnke, President & CEO, Kawerak Inc.; Tribal Member of the Native Village of Savoonga, Alaska▪ Dr. Matthew Druckenmiller, Scientist, SEARCH, Sea Ice Action Team; National Snow and Ice Data Center▪ Dr. Robert Bindshadler, NASA Emeritus Scientist▪ Dr. Sara Longan, Executive Director, North Slope Science Initiative▪ Ms. Barbara Blake, Senior Advisor, Office of the Governor & Lieutenant Governor of Alaska
10:40 - 10:55AM	KEYNOTE ADDRESS: Ms. Gail Anagick Schubert , President & CEO, Bering Straits Native Corporation
10:55 - 11:00AM	VIDEO MESSAGE: U.S. Senator Dan Sullivan , Alaska
11:00AM - 12:00PM	PLENARY SESSION II: SHIFTING GEO-POLITICS IN THE FAR NORTH <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Moderator: Mr. Steve Wackowski, Fairweather Science LLC; Vice President, AES Board of Directors▪ Ambassador Kåre R. Aas, Norway▪ Commodore Angus Topshee, Deputy Director, Strategy, Policy and Plans NORAD-USNORTHCOM J5▪ Mr. Shannon Jenkins, Senior Arctic Policy Advisor, United States Coast Guard▪ Gen. Randy "Church" Kee, Maj Gen, USAF (Ret.), Executive Director, Arctic Domain Awareness Center, University of Alaska
12:00- 12:10PM	BREAK: TRANSITION TO LUNCHEON

12:10 - 1:20PM	AES KEYNOTE LUNCHEON: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Welcome Remarks: Mr. Casey Pape, President of the AES Board of Directors; Business Manager, Viking Marine ▪ VIDEO MESSAGE: U.S. Senator Angus King, Maine ▪ Presentation & Introduction: Mr. Joseph Sprague, Senior Vice President, Communications & External Relations, Alaska Airlines; 2017 Arctic Encounter Host Partner ▪ Keynote Address: Ambassador Geir H. Haarde, Iceland ▪ Q&A
1:20 - 1:30PM	BREAK: TRANSITION TO AUDITORIUM
1:30 - 1:50PM	KEYNOTE ADDRESS: Vice Admiral Fred Midgette , Commander, Pacific Area, Commander, Defense Force West, United States Coast Guard
1:50 - 1:55PM	VIDEO MESSAGE: Mr. Tero Vauraste , President & CEO of Arctia Ltd.; Vice Chair of the Arctic Economic Council (AEC)
1:55 - 3:15PM	PLENARY SESSION III: CONNECTING THE ARCTIC: INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS, TRADE & COMMERCE <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Moderator: Ms. Alice Rogoff, Publisher, Alaska Dispatch News; Co-Founder, Arctic Circle ▪ Mr. James Hill, Consul General, Consulate General of Canada in Seattle ▪ Mr. Dermot Loughnane, CEO, Tactical Marine Solutions Ltd. ▪ Ms. Becca Robbins Gisclair, Associate Director of Arctic Programs, Ocean Conservancy ▪ Ms. Lindsey Whitt, External Affairs, Matson ▪ Ms. Joy Baker, Port Director, City of Nome
3:15 - 3:30PM	BREAK
3:30 - 3:50PM	KEYNOTE ADDRESS: Congresswoman Suzan DelBene , Washington
3:50 - 4:50PM	PLENARY SESSION IV: RESOURCE & INFRASTRUCTURE DEVELOPMENT IN THE ARCTIC <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Moderator: Mr. Tom Roberts, Partner, Van Ness Feldman LLP ▪ Ms. Kara Moriarty, President & CEO of the Alaska Oil and Gas Association ▪ Dr. James Kendall, Regional Director, Alaska Outer Continental Shelf Region, Bureau of Ocean Energy Management ▪ Ms. Christine Resler, Alaska GeoMarket Manager, Schlumberger ▪ Mr. Anthony E. Edwardsen, President & CEO, Ukpeaġvik Iñupiat Corporation; lifelong Barrow resident and whaling captain ▪ Mayor Harry K. Brower, Jr., North Slope Borough
4:50 - 5:00PM	THE RUSSIAN TREPAK PERFORMED BY THE INTERNATIONAL BALLET THEATRE
5:00 - 6:30PM	GLACIER ICE COCKTAIL RECEPTION AND ART EXHIBITION <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Performance by Ms. Rachel Nesvig, professional musician specializing in the Hardanger Fiddle, a traditional Norwegian instrument.
6:30 - 8:30PM	ARCTIC ENCOUNTER DINNER RECEPTION <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ REMARKS <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mr. Cale Clingenpeel, Managing Director, Arctic Encounter Symposium; Partner, Kallander & Associates LLC • Ms. Rachel Kallander, Founder & Executive Director, Arctic Encounter Symposium; Managing Partner, Kallander & Associates LLC ▪ KEYNOTE ADDRESS <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • U.S. Senator Lisa Murkowski, Alaska ▪ MUSICAL PERFORMANCES <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mr. Byron Nicholai of <i>I Sing. You Dance.</i>, Traditional Yup'ik Drummer and Singer from Toksook Bay, Alaska • Ms. Elle Márjá Eira, Visual Artist & Performer from Sápmi, Norway



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8:00 - 9:00AM	REGISTRATION & LIGHT BREAKFAST
9:00 - 9:05AM	WELCOME REMARKS: Mr. Kaleb Froehlich, AES Senior Advisor
9:05 - 9:15AM	KEYNOTE ADDRESS: Mr. Aaron M. Schutt, President & CEO, Doyon Limited
9:15 - 10:25AM	PLENARY SESSION V: TRANSFORMING THE ARCTIC: TECHNOLOGY AND INNOVATION <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Moderator: Mr. Kaleb Froehlich, Senior Advisor, Arctic Encounter Symposium; Vice President, Cassidy & Associates▪ Ms. Tina Pidgeon, General Counsel, Chief Compliance Officer, and Senior Vice President of Governmental Affairs, GCI▪ Ms. Gwen Holdmann, Director, Alaska Center for Energy & Power▪ Ms. Elizabeth Pierce, Founder & CEO, Quintillion▪ Ms. Amy Bann, Director, Sustainable Materials, The Boeing Company
10:25 - 10:30AM	REPORT: Ms. Alice Rogoff, Publisher, Alaska Dispatch News; Co-Founder, Arctic Circle
10:30 - 10:50AM	KEYNOTE ADDRESS: Congressman Don Young, Alaska
10:50 - 11:00AM	BREAK
11:00AM - 12:00PM	PLENARY SESSION VI: THE FUTURE OF FISHERIES IN THE HIGH NORTH <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Moderator: Mr. Ephraim Froehlich, Fisheries, Wildlife and Arctic Policy Advisor, The Office of US. Senator Lisa Murkowski▪ Ambassador Geir H. Haarde, Iceland▪ Mr. Mead Treadwell, Chairman, Arctic Circle Task Force on Shipping and Ports; President, PT Capital▪ Mr. Sean Dwyer, Captain of the F/V Brenna A, as featured on the "Deadliest Catch"; Vice President, St. George Marine▪ Mr. Chris Oliver, Executive Director, North Pacific Fishery Management Council (NPFMC)▪ Mr. Doug Mecum, Deputy Regional Administrator, Alaska Region, National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS)
12:00 - 12:35PM	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Report: Ms. Fran Ulmer, Chair, U.S. Arctic Research Commission▪ Report: Mr. Stefan Lindström, Consul General, Consulate General of Finland in Los Angeles▪ Q&A - Looking Back and Moving Forward: The U.S. and Finnish Chairmanships of the Arctic Council
12:35 - 12:45PM	TRANSITION TO LUNCHEON

12:45 - 1:45PM

AES KEYNOTE LUNCHEON:

- Welcome Remarks: **Ms. Jenny Gore Dwyer**, Secretary of the AES Board of Directors; President & Owner, St. George Marine, Inc.
- Presentation & Introduction: **Mr. James Torgerson**, Managing Partner, Stoel Rives LLP
2017 Arctic Encounter Host Partner
- Keynote Address: **Ambassador Kåre R. Aas**, Norway
- Q&A

1:45 - 2:00PM

BREAK

2:00 - 3:00PM

BREAK OUT SESSION BLOCK I

BREAK OUT A: TRAVEL SHIFTING NORTH: THE FUTURE OF ARCTIC TOURISM

Host: Alaska Airlines

- **Mr. Mead Treadwell**, Chairman, Arctic Circle Task Force on Shipping and Ports; President, PT Capital
- **Ms. Marilyn Romano**, Regional Vice-President (Alaska), Alaska Airlines
- **Ms. Susan Bell**, Principal, McDowell Group
- **Captain Dan Blanchard**, Owner & CEO, UnCruise Adventures

BREAK OUT B: BREAKING GROUND— OIL AND GAS DEVELOP- MENT IN THE ARCTIC

Host: Stoel Rives LLP

- Moderator: **Ms. Tina Grovier**, Partner, Stoel Rives LLP, Environmental, Land Use, and Natural Resources Group
- **Mr. Aaron M. Schutt**, President & CEO, Doyon Ltd.
- **Mr. Joshua Kindred**, Environmental Counsel, Alaska Oil and Gas Association
- **Mr. Jonathan Iversen**, Partner, Stoel Rives LLP, Benefits, Tax, and Private Client Group

BREAK OUT C: COLLABORATIVE MA- RINE PLANNING AND THE ARCTIC

Host: Udall Foundation

- **RADM Michael F. McAlister**, Seventeenth District Commander, United States Coast Guard
- **Mr. Don Cōqayohōmuwōk** Chapman, National Ocean Council Tribal Liaison
- **Ms. Beth Kerttula**, former Director of the National Ocean Council in the Executive Office of the President and former Alaska State Representative
- **Ms. Barbara Blake**, Senior Advisor, Office of the Governor & Lt. Governor of Alaska
- **Ms. Dana Goodson**, Senior Program Manager, U.S. Institute for Environmental Conflict Resolution, Udall Foundation

BREAK OUT D: ARTS, CULTURE, AND MEDIA IN THE ARCTIC

Host: Arctic Encounter Symposium

- Moderator: **Ms. Rachel Kallander**, Founder & Executive Director, Arctic Encounter Symposium; Managing Partner, Kallander & Associates LLC
- **Ms. Alice Rogoff**, Publisher, Alaska Dispatch News; Co-Founder, Arctic Circle
- **Ms. Julie Decker**, Museum Director and CEO, Anchorage Museum
- **Ms. Megan Alvanna Stimpfle**, Principal, Arctic Geopolitical Consulting
- **Ms. Liz Qualluq Cravalho**, Vice President of External & Government Affairs, NANA Regional Corporation
- **Ms. Kate Wolgemuth**, Legislative Assistant, The Office of U.S. Senator Dan Sullivan
- **Ms. Maria Coryell-Martin**, Expeditionary Artist

3:00 - 3:15PM

BREAK

3:15 - 4:15PM BREAK OUT SESSION BLOCK II

**BREAK OUT E:
UNLOCKING NATURAL
RESOURCES—AN EXPLORATION
OF ENVIRONMENTAL
REGULATORY CHALLENGES TO
DEVELOPMENT IN THE ARCTIC**

Host: Stoel Rives LLP

- Moderator: **Mr. Jared Wigginton**, Attorney, Stoel Rives LLP, Environmental, Land Use, and Natural Resources Group
- **Dr. Lance Miller**, Vice President, Natural Resources, NANA Regional Corporation, Inc.
- **Mr. Ryan Steen**, Partner, Stoel Rives LLP, Environmental, Land Use, and Natural Resources Group
- **Mr. Patrick Galvin**, Chief Commercial Officer & General Counsel, Great Bear Petroleum

**BREAK OUT F:
OFF THE GRID: ARCTIC ENERGY
INNOVATIONS**

Host: Cordova Electric Cooperative

- Moderator: **Mr. Garrett Boyle**, Legislative Director, The Office of U.S. Senator Lisa Murkowski
- **Mayor Clay Koplin**, CEO, Cordova Electric Cooperative; Mayor of the City of Cordova, Alaska
- **Ms. Meera Kohler**, President & CEO, Alaska Village Electric Cooperative, Inc.
- **Mr. Gary Hennigh**, City Administrator, City of King Cove, Alaska
- **Mr. George Roe**, Research Professor, Alaska Center for Energy and Power
- **Ms. Kristina Woolston**, Vice President External Relations, Quintillion

**BREAK OUT G:
ARCTIC CHOICES: INFORMING
DECISIONS FOR ECOLOGICAL
AND ECONOMIC ARCTIC SUS-
TAINABILITY (IDEAS)**

Host: World Wildlife Fund & the Natural Capital Project

- **Mr. Spencer Wood**, Lead Scientist, Natural Capital Project; World Wildlife Fund
- **Ms. Mary Ruckelshaus**, Managing Director, Natural Capital Project; World Wildlife Fund

4:15 - 5:15 PM CLOSING RECEPTION

