





## Dear sir/madam

The University of the Arctic Thematic Network "ARCTIC URBAN PLANNING AND DESIGN (ARUP)" in cooperation of UiT The Arctic University of Norway (Norway), Murmansk State Technical University (Russia) and Hokkaido University (Japan) is pleased to invite you to attend International Conference "ARCTIC CITIES PLANNING AND DESIGN".

The conference will take place on the **16th of December** in digital format and will consist of two parts: Plenary Session and Panel Discussion. We provide two options for the participants to join in: <a href="https://expoday.online/arctic-cities">https://expoday.online/arctic-cities</a>

- for interactive mode which enables you to be actively involved in the Panel Discussion and
- live streaming.

The conference is aimed at raising the following topics:

- Urban planning as a tool for solving the challenges of Arctic cities
- Design of Arctic cities

The event is to facilitate expanding the membership of the UArctic ARUP Thematic Network. Members and participant profiles are available on the conference webpage.

Should you have any administrative questions regarding the conference, please do not hesitate to contact Victoria Stroianovskaia, senior officer, International Cooperation Department (MSTU) <a href="mailto:stroyanovskayavn@mstu.edu.ru">stroyanovskayavn@mstu.edu.ru</a>, +7 (911) 3201233 (WhatsApp)

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We kindly ask you to circulate this information to persons concerned, and welcome you all to join the conference and become a member of ARUP network.

