



Invitation to the Norwegian Scientific Academy for Polar Research's

Symposium 2015

“On, Under and Near the Melting Polar Ice: Human activities, management and the environment”

October 22nd 2015, at 13:00

University of Nordland, Bodø
Auditorium: Nanna With

- 13:00 – 13:10 Welcome to NVP Symposium, *by Willy Østreng, President NVP and Pål Pedersen, Rector UiN*
- 13:15 – 13:45 FRAM-2014/15 - A Year of Science from Drifting Sea Ice, *by Yngve Kristoffersen*
- 13:45 – 14:15 Perspectives and operations in the High North, *by Håkon Tronstad, Norwegian Armed Forces*
- 14:15 – 14:45 Maritime activity and emergency preparedness challenges in the High North - The need for cross-border Cooperation, *by Odd Jarl Borch, UiN*
- 14:45 – 15:15 *Coffee break*
- 15:15 – 15:45 Polar ice-at the edge of science and policy, *by Ingrid Bay-Larsen, Nordland Research Institute*
- 15:45 – 16:15 N-ICE2015: A 5 month comprehensive study of the thin first year ice north of Svalbard, and its effect on climate, environment and sea ice drift, *by Harald Steen, Norwegian Polar Institute*
- 16:15 – 16:45 International Arctic Petroleum Cooperation: Barents Sea Scenarios, *by Frode Mellempvik, UiN*
- 16:45 – 17:00 Concluding remarks, *by Grete Hovelsrud UiN/NRI and Frode Mellempvik UiN*

The Symposium will be held in English, it is open to all public and the entrance is free.

Streaming details:

<https://mediasite.uin.no/Mediasite/Play/146a5bbd03484347af09090d66ade12b1d>

Welcome!