

# Programme

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## ARCTIC ACADEMY FOR SUSTAINABILITY 2022 Just Energy Transition in the Arctic

Rovaniemi – Kiruna- Piteå  
29 August - 02 September 2022



### Monday, 29 August (Rovaniemi)

09.00-10.00

#### INTRODUCTION – Energy Transition in the Arctic

##### *Welcome & Introduction*

Dorothee Cambou (University of Helsinki)  
Kamrul Hossain (University of Lapland)

10.00-11:00

**Lecture:** *Arctic Energy transition: a “global” context*  
Paul Bowles (University of Northern British Columbia)

11h15-12h15

**Lecture:** *Arctic Energy transition in the EU context*  
Adam Stepien (University of Lapland)

12.15-13.15

*Lunch*

13.30-15.30

#### **Students Seminar**

*EU environmental policy and legislation in the context of the current EU Arctic policy as a contribution to promoting sustainable development in the Arctic*  
Sophie-Charlotte Joseph (Europa-Universität Viadrina)

Utilizing hydrogen in the EU Arctic: Case study of a sustainable fuel to decarbonize transport and sustain the energy supply.  
Sebastien Noel (CCEEL, University of Eastern Finland)

*The displacement of the city of Kiruna: Towards a resilience of the Arctic mining town model?*

Lea Tourdot (University of Oslo)

*Contemporary Global Sustainable Development towards Renewable Energy in India*

Vallabha Swapna (Indira Gandhi National Tribal University)

15.45-21.30

*Departure for Kiruna*

**Tuesday, 30 August (Kiruna)**

09.30-11.00

**MINING – Mining and the Green Transition in Arctic**

**Students Seminar**

*Socially Just Stakeholder Identification*  
Ragna Sørludsen (University of Oslo)

*Beyond access: Analyzing the level of effective participation of Nordic indigenous peoples in relation to the achievement of green energy transition*  
Estefania Cortez (UiT Norges Arktiske Universitet)

*Ecosystem Governance and Best Available Knowledge under the Law: Espousing Voices of Indigenous Epistemic Communities in the Arctic Discourse*  
Miriam Czarski (University of Helsinki)

11h15-12h00

**Seminar:** *Sustainability and its meaning in the extractive sector*  
Pamela Lesser (University of Lapland)

12.00-13.30

*Lunch*

14.00-17.00

**Visit of Kiruna Mine**

**Wednesday, 31 August (Kiruna)**

**RENEWABLE ENERGY – Business Responsibilities and Communities Relations**

09.30-10.15

**Lecture:** *The Social License to Operate: A key issue for responsible mining*  
Paul Bowles (University of Northern British Columbia)

10h30-12h30

**Students Seminar**

The Alta case  
Carola Rackete (Umeå University)

*Indigenous Peoples as stakeholders and green energy transition in the Arctic region*  
Gyuree Lee (University of Eastern Finland)

*Indigenous identity recognition as one of key factors of the rights' accessibility*  
Ekaterina Zmyvalova (Umeå University)

*Tribal Land Alienation in India and The Question of Sustainable Development*  
Avijeet Sanyal (University of North Bengal, India)

12.30-13:30

*Lunch*

13h30-15h00

**Lecture:** *The responsibility of corporations in the green transition*  
Karin Buhmann (CBS & University of Southern Denmark)

15h30-21.30

Trip to Piteå

**Thursday, 1 September (Piteå)**

09.30-12.00

**WIND ENERGY – Just Transition and the Rights of Indigenous Peoples**

**Field trip to Markbygden Wind Farm**

Instructor: Svevind business representative

12.00-13.00

*Lunch*

13.00-14h00

**Lecture:** *The Rights of Indigenous Peoples in the Energy Transition*

Dorothee Cambou (University of Helsinki)

14h00-1500

**Seminar:** *The impacts of wind energy on reindeer husbandry*

Per Sandström and Anna Skarin (Swedish University of Agricultural Sciences)

15h30-17h00

**Students Seminar**

*Free, prior, and informed consent in the development of large-scale wind energy projects in indigenous peoples' territories: A comparative analysis of the Fosen case in Norway and the Gunaa Sicarú case in Mexico*

Charlotte Renglet (Vrije Universiteit Brussels )

*The impact of onshore wind energy on local Indigenous and non-Indigenous people's livelihoods in Lapland: How wind farms hinder the possibilities of reindeer herding and tourism, and violate the rights of the Sámi?*

Hilja Kurkinen (University of Helsinki)

*Wind Power in the Arctic: History of wind power development projects with a focus on communication and community involvement*

Jamie Jenkins (University of Helsinki)

**Friday, 2 September (Piteå)**

09.30-12.00

**WORKSHOP CONCLUSION**

Workshop on blog posts

12.30-13.30

*Lunch*

13.30-15.30

Blog posts presentations

15.30-16.00

Wrap-up and conclusions

16.30-22.00

*Trip to Rovaniemi and Farewell Dinner*

**Saturday, 3 September (Rovaniemi)**

**END OF THE ACADEMY**