

Ecosystem based management in the Arctic

- Oslo, 1-2 December, 2016
- Venue: Professorboligen, Karl Johans gate 47 (in the garden of the old university, right by the National Theatre station)
- Each speaker will present for **15-20 minutes**, followed by discussion

Thursday, 1 December, 2017

Welcome

- 10.00 Margit Tveiten, [Ministry of Foreign Affairs](#) (Oslo): Norwegian priorities in the UN process to establish a new instrument on the conservation and sustainable use of marine biodiversity in areas beyond national jurisdiction
- 10.30 Adjunct Prof. [Henrik Ringbom](#), Åbo Academy University: Regulatory challenges and opportunities linked to governance of oceans beyond national jurisdiction
- 11.00 Anja Elisenberg, [Ministry of Climate and Environment](#) (Oslo): Ecosystem management – buzzwords or real change?
- 11.30 Prof. [Erik Røsæg](#), University of Oslo: Ecosystems and jurisdictional limits
- 12.00 **Lunch**
- 13.00 Dr. [Geir Ottersen](#), Institute of Marine Research (Bergen): The Norwegian ecosystem-based management plan for the Barents Sea: achievements and challenges
- 13.30 Dr. [Richard Cadell](#), Utrecht University School of Law: Environmental assessments – necessary and imperfect
- 14.00 Dr. [Froukje Platjouw](#), Norwegian Institute for Water Research: Implementing an Ecosystem approach in the Arctic – legal challenges and solutions
- 14.30 Dr. [Ingvild Jakobsen](#), The Arctic University of Norway: Marine protected areas in the Arctic
- 15.00 **Break**
- 15.30 Prof. [Charles Norchi](#), Center for Oceans & Coastal Law, University of Maine School of Law: US ecosystem approach in the Arctic

- 16.00 Dr. [Jill Wakefield](#), University of Warwick: Ecosystem based management in the EU oceans - is it ready for export to the Arctic?
- 16.30 Prof. [David Langlet](#), University of Gothenburg: The EU and its Member States – competences and challenges in relation to ecosystem based management in the Arctic?
- 17.00 Prof. [Lawrence Watters](#), University of Western Australia: Natural resource development in the Arctic and best practices
- 17.30 **Tapas dinner**

Friday, 2 December, 2017

- 9.00 Dr. Lars-Otto Reiersen, [Arctic Monitoring and Assessment Programme](#) (Oslo): Defining and mapping large marine ecosystems in the Arctic
- 9.30 Prof. [Katrine Borgå](#), University of Oslo: The vulnerable ice rim
- 10.00 Prof. [Yoshifumi Tanaka](#), University of Copenhagen: The conservation and sustainable use of genetic resources in areas beyond national jurisdiction: a role of the International Seabed Authority
- 10.30 Dr. Toril Inga Røe Utvik, [Statoil](#): The importance of early identification of safety and sustainability risks in Arctic oil and gas operations
- 11.00 **Break**
- 11.30 Dr. Louise Kiel Jensen, [Norwegian Radiation Protection Authority](#): Sources of radioactive contamination in Arctic areas – knowledge and monitoring
- 12.00 Dr. [Hein Rune Skjoldal](#), Institute of Marine Research (Bergen): Achievements of the Arctic Council Implementing the Ecosystem Approach to Management
- 12.30 Prof. [Erik Røsæg](#), University of Oslo: Status and future of Arctic ecosystem management on the basis of the colloquium
- 12.45 **Lunch**

The program may be revised. This revision is of 28 November, 2016.

You may also be inserted in our evening [seminar on liability and insurance in the Arctic](#) Wednesday 30 November (the evening before this seminar) 5-7 pm.