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Place and date of birth: Friesach, Austria, 28 October 1982

Highly organized, self-motivated problem-solver with **honed writing/presentation skills** and **analytical research experience**. Articulated and disciplined with the capacity to multitask in a demanding, fast-paced environment. **Enthusiastic communicator** and **team player** with multifaceted work experience interacting in a diverse, international environment.

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

### **Fridtjof Nansen Institute**, Senior Researcher

*Oslo, Norway, Sep 2021 - Present (100% position; Nov 2017 - Aug 2021 20% position)*

- Research on European Union Arctic policies, blue Arctic economy concepts and Arctic geopolitics/security
- Authored numerous peer-reviewed journal articles and books
- Drafted several, multi-annual research proposals

### **The Arctic Institute (TAI)**, Senior Fellow / Leadership Group / Content Manager

*Washington, D.C., United States, Nov 2011 - Present*

- Collaborative establishment of TAI: Member of the 6-person Leadership Group and responsible for TAI's webpage (Wordpress-based) and news-app
- Co-developed, budgeted, implemented and supervised several partnership agreements

### **High North Center, NORO Universitet**, Senior Researcher

*Bodø, Norway, Sep 2021 - Present (20% position; Sep 2017 - Aug 2021, 100% position)*

- Research on digitalization, smart city and sustainability concepts for the Arctic
- Project Management (AlaskaNor 2018-2022; ArcBlue 2022-2025)

### **University of Cologne**, EXACT Marie Curie ITN Research Fellow

*Chair Prof. Wessels, Cologne, Germany, Oct 2011 - Dec 2013 (TEPSA, Brussels Mar 2012 - Aug 2012)*

- PhD-related research
- Organised, lectured and tutored 3 seminars (BA-level) on EU external action (winter terms 2012 and 2013) and the EU's institutional structure (summer term 2013)
- Drafted multi-disciplinary research project applications

## PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

### **Surface Ocean - Lower Atmosphere Study (SOLAS)**, Scientific Steering Committee

*Jan 2023 - Present*

### **Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars**, Global Fellow - Austrian

Marshall Plan Fellow

*Washington, DC, United States, Sept 2021 - Present*

### **Arctic Economic Council**, Working Group Member

*Blue Economy Working Group, Feb 2020 - Present*

### **Institute of European Studies**, Senior Fellow

*University of California, Berkeley, United States, Nov 2019 - Present (Visiting Researcher 2015)*

## SENIOR ARCTIC POLICY EXPERTISE

**ICF Consulting**, Brussels, Belgium, 2023 - Present (Support to EU Arctic Policy)

**EPRD**, Kielce, Poland, 2020 (Overview of EU Actions in the Arctic and their Impact Project)

**COFAD GmbH**, Weilheim, Germany, Aug 2018 - Dec 2018 (Preparation of EU-Arctic Stakeholder

Dialogue in Brussels (Belgium), 17 Sep 2018)

## MODERATION / HOSTING

**Arctic Frontiers Conference**, Tromsø, Norway, 2021-2024

**High North Dialogue**, Bodø, Norway, 2020-2023

## EDUCATION

### **University of Cologne & University of Edinburgh**

Cologne, Germany & Edinburgh, United Kingdom, 2016

PhD co-tutelle in Political Science

### **University of Tromsø**

Tromsø, Norway, 2011

LL.M. in Law of the Sea

### **University of Vienna**

Vienna, Austria, 2009

M.A. (Magister Degree in Austria)

in Political Science

### **University of Vienna**

Vienna, Austria, 2010

B.A. in History

## KEY SKILLS

Critical thinking: research, data analysis, problem solving and reasoning

Project management: organisational skills with attention to details and time management ability

Team building: reliable and active listener with sense of humour and feedback capacity

Communication: media and academic writing, presentation, content management, conference hosting

Working proficiency of spoken and written German and English; good

knowledge of Norwegian and French

## REFERENCES

### **Anu Fredrikson**

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## LIST of PROJECTS

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### PROJECTS - PROJECT LEADER

**ArcBlue - Enhanced Fisheries Collaboration across Norway, Greenland and the United States, 2022-2025 - project leader**

*Fridtjof Nansen Institute & High North Center for Business and Governance, Nord University. Funded by Norwegian Ministry of Foreign Affairs (QZA-22/0015)*

**AlaskaNor - Opportunities for Blue Growth in Alaska and North Norway, 2018-2022 - project leader** (responsible for WP1 on Synthesis, Coordination and Project Management, and WP3 Fisheries and Aquaculture)

*High North Center for Business and Governance, Nord University. Funded by Norwegian Ministry of Foreign Affairs (QZA-18/0178)*

### PROJECTS - KEY EXPERT / RESEARCHER

**Support to EU Arctic Policy, 2023 - 2024 - Long-Time Senior Expert (Arctic Policy and Stakeholder Engagement)**

*ICF Consulting. Funded by European Commission Service for Foreign Policy Instrument*

**Unpacking Arctic Security Dynamics: A 3D approach to geopolitics in the Barents and Bering Seas, 2024-2026 - researcher**

*Fridtjof Nansen Institute. Funded by Norwegian Research Council*

**NGOs Securing Fisheries Environments: Understanding NGO-State Fisheries Protection Programs (N-SAFE), 2021-2024 - researcher**

*Fridtjof Nansen Institute. Funded by Norwegian Research Council*

**European nations' perception of Arctic development - how can Norway maneuver, 2021 - researcher**

*Fridtjof Nansen Institute. Funded by Norwegian Ministry of Defence*

**Overview of EU Actions in the Arctic and their Impact, 2021 - key expert** (responsible for sections on Energy and External Relations)

*EPRD Office for Economic Policy and Regional Development, Poland. Funded by European Commission, FWC Policy Support Facility for the Implementation of the EU Foreign Policy - PSF2019 Worldwide (Lot 2: Technical Assistance, EuropeAid/139974/DH/SER/multi)*

**The Blue Potential on Svalbard: a new Hub for Arctic Fisheries (SVALFISH), 2020-2022 - researcher**

*Fridtjof Nansen Institute. Funded by Norwegian Research Council*

**Annual Arctic Stakeholder Dialogue, 2018 - Senior Arctic Policy Expert**

*COFAD GmbH, Weilheim, Germany. Funded by European Commission, Service Framework Contract MARE/2014/15 between DG MARE and GOPA*

**The Maritime Dimension of CSDP: Geostrategic Maritime Challenges and their Implications for the European Union, 2013 - researcher**

*Study for the European Parliament's Subcommittee on Security and Defence (SEDE), EP/EXPO/B/SEDE/FWC/2009-01/Lot6/21, January 2013*

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### BOOKS

**Marine Resources, Climate Change and International Management Regimes**, 2022, Bloomsbury Academic, co-edited with Olav Schramm Stokke & Andreas Østhagen

**The European Union and the Geopolitics of the Arctic**, 2018, Edward Elgar Publishing

### JOURNAL ARTICLES & BOOK CHAPTERS

**Slaying the Toothless Tiger: Social Equity as the Legal Element of the Blue Economy**, 2024, co-authored with Marcus J. Schweinberg, *The Journal of Environment & Development*, 1-18

**About leadership... and kindness**, 2024, in Evgenii Aleksandrov, Anders Christoffer Edström & Valeriia Melnyk (eds.) *Transforming Institutions and Societies: Collection of Essays in Honour of Professor Frode Mellemvik*, 120-123, Nordmrådsenteret

**The European Union's 'never again' Arctic narrative**, 2024, co-authored with Gabriella Griecus, *Journal of Contemporary European Studies*, Vol. 32, Iss. 1, 52-65

**The European Union's polar ambitions: regional geo-policies yet limited geo-strategic vision**, 2023, co-authored with Adam Stępień, *Journal of European Integration*, Vol. 45, Iss. 8, 1181-1197

**Определение «голубой экономики» в контексте арктического рыболовства и аквакультуры: международный опыт (Defining the Blue Economy in an Arctic Fisheries and Aquaculture Context: Insights from International Experience)**, 2022, co-authored with Apostolos Tsiouvalas, *EKO*, Vol. 10, 27-55

**Forced to Look East? Russia, China, India, and the Future of Arctic Governance**, 2022, co-authored with Nima Khorrami, *Georgetown Journal of International Affairs*, 16 September 2022

**European Policies in the Arctic: National Strategies or a Common Vision?** 2022, in Anastasia Likhacheva (ed.) *Arctic Fever: Political, Economic and Environmental Aspects*, co-authored with Emilie Canova, Camille Escudés-Joffres and Florian Vidal, 305-322, Palgrave Macmillan

**Looking for Common Ground: Marine Living Resource Development in Alaska and Northern Norway in the Context of the Blue Economy**, 2022, co-authored with Apostolos Tsiouvalas & Gergana Stoeva, *Sustainability*, Vol. 14, Iss. 4115, 1-23

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**What about the Arctic? The European Union's Geopolitical Quest for Northern Space**, 2021, co-authored with Andreas Østhagen, *Geopolitics*, Vol. 26, Iss. 4, 1150-1174

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**How much is the fish? When foreign policy meets fishing interests in the EU's Arctic endeavour**, 2020, co-authored with Andreas Østhagen, *International Relations*, Vol. 35, Iss 2, 256-276

**Die Europäische Union und die Arktis: Zurück in die Zukunft**, 2021, in Joachim Weber (ed) *Konfliktraum Arktis: Die Großmächte und der Hohe Norden*, 128-140

**Economic sanctions disruption on international trade patterns and global trade dynamics: Analyzing the effects of the European Union's Sanctions on Russia**, (2020), co-authored with June Borge Doornich, *Journal of East-West Business*, Vol. 26, Iss. 4, 344-364

**The EU in Antarctica: An Emerging Area of Interest, or Playing to the (Environmental) Gallery?** 2020, co-authored with Andreas Østhagen, *European Foreign Affairs Review*, Vol. 25, Iss. 2, 239-260

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**Continuity with Great Confidence: The European Union's 2021 Arctic Policy Update**, 2021, co-authored with Adam Stępień, A Report for The Arctic Institute

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**A Quantum of Possibilities: The Strategic Spectrum of the EU's Arctic Policy**, 2020, CEPS, 17 December 2020

**The Great Illusion Revisited: The Future of the European Union's Arctic Engagement**, 2020, Konrad Adenauer Stiftung, 26 October 2020

**Discussing the Blue Arctic Economy: A Case Study of Fisheries in Alaska and North Norway**, 2020, co-authored with Andreas Østhagen & Charles Colgan, PCR Working Paper #12, Kobe University

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**The European Parliament heading towards icy Arctic waters - again**, 2017, ArCticles #9, Arctic Centre, University of Lapland, co-authored with Adam Stępień

**The EU's new Arctic Communication: not-so-integrated, not-so-disappointing?** 2016, ArCticles #1, Arctic Centre, University of Lapland, co-authored with Adam Stępień

**The Maritime Dimension of CSDP: Geostrategic Maritime Challenges and their Implications for the European Union**, Study for the European Parliament's Subcommittee on Security and Defence (SEDE), EP/EXPO/B/SEDE/FWC/2009-01/Lot6/21, January 2013, co-authored with Timo Behr et al. (Responsible for section 4.3 and 9)

**The EU as a Shipping Actor in the Arctic**, SWP (Stiftung für Wissenschaft und Politik, Berlin) Working Paper FG2, 2012/Nr.4, December 2012, co-authored with Bettina Rudloff

**China in the 'Great White North'**, Long Post European Geostrategy (edited by James Rogers and Luis Simón), 17 August 2012, co-authored with Malte Humpert

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The EU must re-think its Arctic relationship with Russia, EurActiv, 28 March 2022, co-authored with Andreas Østhagen

What lessons can Alaska learn – and share – on Arctic fisheries? Anchorage Daily News, 14 March 2022, co-authored with Apostolos Tsiouvalas, Gergana Stoeva and Ian Laing

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More EU in the Arctic and More Arctic in the EU? New Security Beat, 7 February 2022, co-authored with Romain Chuffart

Expert-Takes: The stakes for Europe at COP26, Wilson Center, 12 November 2021

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The geopolitical consequences of the EU's green ambitions, The Hill, 22 December 2021, co-authored with Romain Chuffart

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Die unentdeckten Ressourcen der Arktispolitik der Europäischen Union (German), Konrad Adenauer Stiftung, 26 November 2020, co-authored with Rasmus Gjedssø Bertelsen, Mariia Kobzeva and Elana Wilson Rowe

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The Oslo Arctic Dream. About Energy, 12 December 2018, co-authored with Karen Marie Oseland

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Crabtacular! Snow crabs on their march from Svalbard to Brussels, High North News, 3 April 2018, co-authored with Andreas Østhagen

An Unusual Arctic Guest: Saudi's King visiting Russia, High North News, 17 October 2017, co-authored with Stefan Steinicke

A New Arctic Era, About Energy, 23 October 2017, co-authored with Marco Siddi

An economy waiting to be relaunched, About Energy, 4 October 2017, co-authored with Ryan Uljua

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Science literacy in the north: Do we forget about our youth? High North News, 8 June 2017

The European Parliament heading towards icy waters - again, High North News, 27 March 2017, co-authored with Adam Stępień

Can the EU boost Nordic cooperation? High North News, 3 March 2017

Moscow's Arctic revenge. About Energy, 1 August 2018, co-authored with Karen Marie Oseland

The Arctic's Economic Future is Digital, High North News, 1 February 2017, co-authored with Stefan Steinicke

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The European Parliament does not drop the Arctic, High North News, 2 November 2016

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EU seal ban reveals the Union's double standards, High North News, 16 August 2016  
EU seal ban has had a lot of negative consequences for Greenland, High North News, 15 August 2016, co-authored with Andreas Østhagen  
A two-class Arctic society? High North News, 12 August 2016, co-authored with Andreas Østhagen  
Russia: Economic cooperation in the Arctic region needs to be strengthened, High North News, 8 August 2016  
The Arctic needs a knowledge database on Northern operators, High North News, 23 June 2016, co-authored with Andreas Østhagen  
The EU pledges to actively follow-up on its Arctic commitment, High North News, 21 June 2016, co-authored with Adam Stępień  
Our children is the most important resource, High North News, 8 June 2016, co-authored with Andreas Østhagen  
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Oops, they did it again: The European Union's 2021 Arctic Policy Update, 28 October 2021, co-authored with Adam Stępień  
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### **DISSERTATION**

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### MODERATION & HOSTING

Arctic Frontiers 2024 "Actions & Reactions", 29 January - 1 February, Tromsø  
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Arctic Frontiers 2024, *A Global Arctic: Navigating New Reality - The European Union*, 30 January 2024  
Princeton University, Liechtenstein Institute on Self-Determination, *Arctic Policy Project - Arctic Security*, Princeton (online), 4 December 2023  
European Parliament Committee on Foreign Affairs, *Presentation of Study 'Antarctica: What role for the European Union?'*, Brussels, 28 November 2023, with Klaus Dodds  
2023 World Ocean Week, *Discussing the Arctic's Value - The Blue Economy and International Cooperation in the Arctic*, Xiamen, 9 November 2023  
Region Europe - Università di Torino, *The European Union and the Arctic: Creating a Regional Identity?* Turin, 6 November 2023  
REPAIR, Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam, *The EU's Arctic Policy - From a Stakeholder Perspective*, Amsterdam, 3 November 2023  
East China Normal University, *Discussing the Arctic's Value: A Blue Economic Future for a Peripheral Region*, Shanghai, 29 September 2023  
High North Dialogue, *The High North seen from a Southern Perspective - The case of the European Union*, Bodø, 18 April 2023  
Università di Trento, *The European Union and the (Geo)Politics of the Arctic*, Trento, 7 March 2023  
Norwegian Embassy Singapore, *Discussing the Arctic's Value: A Blue Economic Future and the Role of Asia*, Singapore, 17 February 2023  
EU Policy Outreach Partnership Canada, EU Arctic Policy Training, *Canadian Diplomats and Civil Service Training - EU Arctic Policy*, Ottawa (online, 9 February 2023)  
Strategieseminar - Admiralstabsausbildung Deutsche Marine (Germany Navy), *Arktische Geopolitik im 21. Jahrhundert (Arctic Geopolitics in the 21st Century)*, Hamburg (online), 8 November 2022  
Region Europe - Università di Torino, *The European Union and the Arctic: Creating a Regional Identity?* Turin, 24 October 2022  
Arctic Circle Assembly, *Diverse Blue Economies in the Arctic: How to define and discuss*, Reykjavik, 14 October 2022 (moderator)  
Arctic Circle Assembly, *Thinking Strategically about the Arctic: The European Union's Arctic Policy*, Reykjavik, 13 October 2022  
Svalbard Geopolitics Workshop - Longyearbyen, *The European Union and Svalbard*, Longyearbyen, 11 October 2022  
International Foundation for the Law of the Sea, *Passage through Straits in the Arctic: The Geopolitics of Arctic Maritime Transportation*, Hamburg, 24 September 2022  
Geneva Centre for Security Policy, *The European Union and the Arctic*, Geneva, 15 June 2022  
German Federal Academy for Security Policy, *The European Union and the Arctic*, Berlin, 2 June 2022  
Norwegian Institute of International Affairs, *Discussing the Arctic's Value: A Blue Economic Future for the Arctic*, Webinar, 15 March 2022  
The Defence Café, *Eyes on the Arctic - What's happening up North?*, Podcast, 20 December 2021  
Groupe d'Études Géopolitiques, *The Union's new Arctic Policy: Towards an increasingly geopolitical approach*, Webinar, 25 November 2021  
Konrad Adenauer Stiftung, *The hotly contested Arctic: Why we need more EU in the Arctic*, Webinar, 25 November 2021  
College of Europe, Bruges, *The European Union and Polar Politics*, Bruges, 15 October 2021  
The Arctic Dialogue 2021, *Arctic Shipping from an EU-ropcean Perspective*, Webinar, 13 October 2021  
University of Latvia, Riga, *The European Union and the Arctic*, Webinar, 18 May 2021  
Center for Advanced Security, Strategic and Integration Studies (CASSIS) Bonn, *Europa und die geopolitische Dynamik in der Arktis. Was will, was kann, was soll die EU im Hohen Norden tun?* Webinar, 25 February 2021  
Groupe d'Études Géopolitiques, *Europe and the Arctic*, Webinar, 18 February 2021  
Loughborough University & Konrad Adeneuer Stiftung, *The Role of the Arctic in recent and future Security challenges in the Wider North*, Webinar, 22 February 2021



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### PRESENTATION & MEDIA APPEARANCE (cont.)

Youth Atlantic Treaty Association Norway, *Partners or Rivals: Norway and the European Union in the High North*, Webinar, 26 January 2021, with Andreas Østhagen

Youth Atlantic Treaty Association Norway, *Arctic Security from a European Union Perspective*, Oslo, 24 October 2020

Konrad Adenauer Stiftung Stockholm, *The EU in the Arctic - What Remains?* Webinar, 14 September 2020

Foreign Policy Community of Indonesia, *Arctic Geopolitics and Russia's Arctic Strategy*, Webinar, 12 September 2020

17th International Law Seminar, Kobe University, *Discussing and Governing the Arctic Blue Economy*, Kobe, 5 March 2020

15th Annual Scientific Meeting (ASM2019), *Discussing the Arctic's Value: A Blue Economic Future for a Peripheral Region*, (Plenary Speaker), Halifax, 4 December 2019

40th Alaska Resources Conference, *AlaskaNor: Comparing the Ocean Economics of Alaska and North Norway*, Anchorage, 21 November 2019

Institute of European Studies, UC Berkeley, *The Spell of the Arctic: The EU as a Geopolitical Actor?* Berkeley, 15 November 2019

Moscow State Institute of International Relations (MGIMO University), *Finding the Blue in Alaska and North Norway*, Moscow, 15 October 2019

Arctic Circle Assembly, *The EU in the Arctic - Talking Blue Business*, Reykjavik, 10-12 October, 2019

Centre for European Policy Studies, *Breaking the Ice: Toward a New Arctic Policy for the EU*, Brussels, 16 September 2019

US Arctic Research Commission & Wilson Center, *The Generational Contract: Emerging Leaders at The Arctic Institute*, (Discussant), Washington, DC, 18 July 2019

Kühne Logistics University, *The EU in the Arctic - Shipping What?* Hamburg, 19 June 2019

Finnish Institute of International Affairs, *The EU in the Arctic - What Remains?* Helsinki, 6 June 2019

Swedish Defence University, *Step by Step: The European Union, an Arctic Actor?* Stockholm, 23 May 2019

European Political Strategy Centre, European Commission, *An Ambitious EU Arctic Policy: Where Next?* Brussels, 30 January 2019

Arctic Future Symposium, *How Well are the Arctic Institutions Serving the Needs of the Arctic and its People*, (Moderator), 28 November 2018, with David Balton

Polar Law Symposium, *Step by Step: The European Union, an Arctic Actor?* Tromsø, 3 October 2018

Institute of European Studies, UC Berkeley, *The Spell of the Arctic: The EU as a Geopolitical Actor?* Berkeley, 21 September 2018

European Parliament, Directorate General for External Policies, *Partners or Rivals: Norway and the European Union*, Brussels, 19 February 2018, with Andreas Østhagen

COMOS/CETEUS & ARENA, *The European Union and its Northern Neighbourhood: What to do in and with the Arctic*, Oslo, 19 May 2017

Danish Institute for International Studies, *The European Union and its Arctic Endeavour: A Mission out of Focus?* Copenhagen, 20 January 2016

Korea Maritime Institute, *The Arctic Institute: A Think-Tank for the 21st Century*, Pusan, 7 July 2015

Centre for Arctic Policy Studies, University of Iceland, *Step by Step: The European Union and its Arctic Path*, Reykjavik, 2 June 2014

Geneva Centre for Security Policy, *The Geopolitics of the Arctic Region*, Geneva, 5 May 2014

International Studies Association - 55th Annual Conference, *The European Union and its Arctic Endeavour*, Toronto, 27 March 2014

Arctic Circle Assembly, *Iceland between the European Union and China*, Reykjavik, 13 October 2013

ACCESS Summer School, *The Geopolitics of the Arctic Region*, Bremen, 24 September 2013

8th Pan-European Conference on International Relations (EISA), *The European Union and its Arctic Endeavour*, Warsaw, 21 September 2013

EXACT Final Conference, *The European Union and its Arctic Endeavour*, (and additional Poster), Brussels, 12 July 2013

EUSA 13th Biennial Conference, *The European Union and its Arctic Endeavour*, Baltimore, 10 May 2013

Arctic Frontiers Conference, *Arctic Emergency Response Management: Driver for Cooperation*, Tromsø, 25 January 2013, with Stefan Steinicke

Arctic Frontiers Conference, *From 'Great Wall' to 'Great White North': Explaining China's Politics in the Arctic*, (Poster), Tromsø, January 2013, with Malte Humpert

Arctic Frontiers Conference, *Strategic Planning in the EU Arctic Policy: The Case of Arctic Shipping and Energy Resources*, (Poster), Tromsø, January 2013, with Malgorzata Smieszek

Arctic NGO Forum, *EU Arctic Policy and oil and gas* (discussant), Haparanda, 12 November 2012

Calotte Academy, *The Future of Arctic Shipping along the Transpolar Sea Route*, Rovaniemi, 4 June 2012

3rd Annual Geopolitics in the High North, *The Future of Arctic Shipping along the Transpolar Sea Route*, Berlin, 25 May 2012

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### MEDIA CITATIONS (selection of)

High North News, 22 September 2022: EU styrker tilstedeværelsen på Grønland

Science Business, 14 October 2021: EU injects Green Deal objectives into Arctic research strategy

High North News, 24 January 2020: The High North as seen from an old courtyard in Oslo

High North News, 25 February 2019: EU President expedites EU's Arctic policy

The Arctic Journal, 30 January 2017: Keeping up with the Commission

To Vima (Greece), 19 January 2014: Cold War in the Arctic

The New York Times, 1 October 2013: Iceland Aims to Seize Opportunities in Oil

The Independent, 11 September 2013: The shipping forecast - it'll be colder but much, much quicker (...)

China Digital Times, 11 September 2013: The Myth of Arctic Shipping

Al Jazeera, 15 May 2013: China angles for Arctic power as ice melts. China aims to expand its influence in the resource rich area

The Economist, Printed Edition 1 September 2012: Snow dragons. As the Arctic melts, Asia shudders at the risks but slavers at the opportunities but slavers at the opportunities

### TEACHING

Oslo New University College, *The European Union and the Arctic*, Guest lecture in The Geopolitics of the Arctic, since summer term 2019

Nord University, Business School, *Energy, Climate Change and the Environment: European Perspectives and Policies*, Guest Lecture in

Geopolitics and Energy Course, summer term 2018 - ongoing

Global Arctic Massive Open Online Course, École polytechnique fédérale de Lausanne, *The European Union and the Arctic*, January 2018

University of Cologne, Faculty of Management, Economics and Social Sciences, *The Political System of the EU: Governance and Institutions - The European Union's External Relations*, winter term 2013

University of Cologne, Faculty of Management, Economics and Social Sciences, *Introduction into European Politics*, summer term 2013

University of Cologne, Faculty of Management, Economics and Social Sciences, *The European Union as a Global Actor*, winter term 2012