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Arctic Avenue
A spearhead research project between UH and SU

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Dear members of Arctic Avenue,

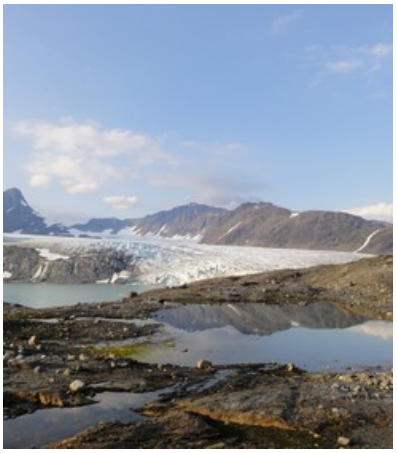


We would like to take the opportunity to thank you all for an exciting first year of Arctic Avenue activities, and wish you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year! We hope you have time to fully enjoy the festivities and the holidays, to return back to work full of enthusiasm!

We would also like to remind you about the upcoming Arctic Avenue call with a deadline on the 20th of February. Also, please go ahead and book your travels to Kilpisjärvi for the second annual meeting, as the suggested (and ideal) travel options may be fully booked soon!

More information on both the spring call and the 2nd annual meeting (and travel options!) can be found at the Arctic Avenue web site and below.

Best wishes,
Nina, Atte, Annika and Kaarina



Spring Call 2020

Application deadline for the Arctic Avenue Spring Call 2020 is **February 20**. Specific information for the call and application form is downloadable HERE».

Please send the application to the Arctic Avenue Steering Committee by email to annika.granebeck@su.se and kaarina.weckstrom@helsinki.fi. State *Application for Arctic Avenue funding* in the subject heading.

Calls are also planned for autumn 2020 and spring 2021. Welcome with your application!

Welcome to the Second Annual Meeting, August 10-12 2020

The Arctic Avenue second annual meeting will be held at the **Kilpisjärvi Research**

Station on the 10th-12th of August 2020. The full 3-day programme will consist of talks (with a focus on Arctic Avenue projects), visits to field study sites and excursions in the Kilpisjärvi area. Please visit the web page of the research station for more information on the venue and on the beautiful landscapes and interesting flora and fauna of the region. We hope to see many of you there!

Travel to Kilpisjärvi
We recommend the following option and times, as we will arrange for a pick up from these specific airports/train stations. As August is prime hiking season, we expect seats to fill up quickly - so please book as soon as possible!

From Stockholm
Trains Stockholm - Kiruna: Saturday, 8th of August 21:08, arrives Sunday 9th of August 14:34 (1 change, 17.5 hours), return Thursday 13th of August 13:48 – 06:45 (1 change, 16:57 h)
Flights Stockholm - Kiruna: Sunday, 9th of August 15:15 - 16:45 with SAS, return Thursday, 13th of August 13:40 - 15:10 with SAS

From Helsinki
Flights Helsinki - Tromsø: Sunday, 9th of August 15.40-16.35 with Finnair, return Thursday, 13th of August 11.30-14.25 with Finnair
Trains Helsinki – Kolari: Schedules for 2020 not available yet

Please save the date and book your travels, more information will come.



Arctic Avenue is a spearhead research project between the University of Helsinki and Stockholm University. This update provides you with a selection of our current activities and latest news. If you have suggestions that you would like to include in coming updates, you are welcome to send these to annika.granebeck@su.se.

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