

Arctic Alaska Vegetation

*Field Excursion to the
Brooks Range and Beyond
June 14-30, 2018*

BIOL 495/695 – 3 credits
Summer Sessions
University of Alaska Fairbanks



Begin your adventure!

The Arctic is undergoing the most rapid climate and environmental change on Earth and vegetation is a key to understanding the changes.

Travel with scientists with many decades of Arctic research experience.

Learn about the vegetation, geology, permafrost, landforms, soils and wildlife of boreal, alpine and Arctic environments.

Gain a deep understanding of the changes occurring in this remote area and the consequences to ecosystems and people who live here.

Travel for 13 days from Fairbanks to Prudhoe Bay, camping along the Dalton Highway. Spend 4 days on the campus of University of Alaska Fairbanks with lectures and local field trips.

Experience the Yukon River, the Brooks Range, the renowned Arctic research station at Toolik Lake, the Prudhoe Bay Oilfield and the diversity of ecosystems along the world's greatest Arctic Highway adventure.

Application Process and Eligibility

- Pre-reqs: 6 credits of fundamentals in biology or related science disciplines and permission of instructor
- International students must apply by March 15, learn more at www.uaf.edu/summer/arcticveg
- A non-refundable deposit of \$500 is due by April 15

To learn more or register: www.uaf.edu/summer/sessions

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