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APECS Polar Week

This Month's Features

APECS Polar Week needs your help!

Join us for Polar Week: 18-24 March



Do you love sharing your science with students and teachers? Do you want to learn how to better communicate with the media and policy makers? Do you want to help spread the word about polar research wide and far? ...

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Applications Open - SCAR Portland Opportunities

SCAR Associated with the SCAR Open Science Conference in Portland in July 2012, there will be a number of exciting opportunities for APECS members including a Career Development Workshops and the chance to officially represent APECS ...

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Watch The Amazing IPY Montreal FrostBytes

Hundreds of polar researchers will gather in Montreal, Canada the end of April to share

From the President

A Snowy Hello APECS Members,

Finally winter has come here to the Kola Peninsula in the Russian Arctic with several snowy and frosty weeks! While I am deep in snow, APECS is deep with a lot of exciting activities, resources and events as always. Thanks to our partnership...

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About The Executive Committee

Featured Sponsor

Study of Environmental Arctic Change



their amazing recent discoveries working in the world's coldest and often most remote portions of the planet. To help share their work with you, the researchers have created "FrostBytes" ...

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Career Development Webinars are Back for Spring 2012

The APECS and the NSF Arctic System Science Thermokarst Project invite you to participate in the Spring 2012 Career Development Webinar Series! There are several great presentations lined up for this spring, which will take participants from preparing for graduate school to publishing journal articles and everything in between. Detailed descriptions of the presentations and the biographies of the presenters are available...

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RAC Updates

The Discipline of the Month this February was 'Terrestrial Ecology'. Thanks to Maja and some other great helpers it was very successful. For the coming months the following topics are already planned: March: Russian Arctic April: Contaminants in the Arctic System June: Social Science If you're interested...

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'Coole Klassen' - A German project



As on January 21st Inga May was invited by the German project 'Coole Klassen' (cool classes) to speak about her research and tell them about the outreach and education possibilities with APECS in the fram of the yearly Coole Klassen Meeting held at AWI Potsdam...

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ExCom Update - February 2012





Tromsø Art Gallery and PolArt

tromso_kunsaforenng Last month we had a great APECS Speed Dating, well a speed networking, event as part of the Arctic Frontiers Conference. The event was held at the Tromsø Art Gallery, which is an amazing place to loose yourself in some contemporary art. This gallery also hosts the PolArt program. We thank the wonderful staff at the Tromsø Art Gallery for all their help in making this event a great success.

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2012 Webinar Series: How to Talk to the Media

APECS Polar Week

2012 Webinar Series: Journal Article Publishing

IPY Montreal 2012 Career Development Workshop

APECS Brazil Workshop II

As young researchers, we are constantly thinking about the next step in our careers, and the recent ExCom meeting focused on the future of APECS on many timescales. In the near future, we are making sure that everything is running smoothly in the planning of upcoming APECS events ...

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Building National Committees

National Committees are a chance to build a strong national network of polar research and education. The individual needs and interests of the respective country drive the aims of each national committee. Although national committees ...

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Polar Graduate Programmes database is growing

Are you interested in learning more about the Arctic, Antarctic or the cryosphere in general? Thinking of going to graduate school or gaining extra credibility through a certificate programme...

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APECS founding members join Advisory Committee

We are pleased to announce that three of the founding members of APECS, Hugues Lantuit, Jose Xavier, and Daniela Liggett, have joined the APECS Advisory Committee. They were essential to the formation and the development of APECS from the beginning and until now, and we are very happy that they agreed to continue to help and advise APECS...

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Travel Funding for Ice Sheet Mass Balance Workshop



ISMASS 2012 Workshop, Portland, Oregon, 14 July 2012 The Scientific Committee on Antarctic Research (SCAR), the International Arctic Science Committee (IASC) and the World Climate Reseach Programme ...

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APECS Panel "International Collaborations in "Cool" Sciences"

IPY Polar Field School

SCAR OSC Career Development Workshop

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Looking for Career Advice? Check out these featured webinars.

Rich Boone - Road Map to Becoming a Graduate Student

Mathieu Ardyna and Maxime Geoffroy - Making Science Animations

Karen Edwards - Airing Your Dirty Laundry-Research Communication Milestones

Click Here For More Webinars!



Engineer within the fields of optics, electronics, physics, electrical engineering

Ph.D. position available in bedload sediment transport

APECS MIGHT be Funny?

Once again the Arctic Frontiers Conference recognized the contributions made by polar early career researchers with outstanding poster awards. This year the awards were presented at the science banquet, but this year it wasn't just your regular "and the winner is" ...

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Remembering Dr. David Gilichinsky

It is with sad hearts that we announce that Dr. David Gilichinsky, longtime Head of Geocryology Lab, Institute for Physicochemical and Biological Problems in Soil Science at the Russian Academy of Sciences, passed away Saturday, ...

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Apply for the IPY Field School 2012



Applications to the fourth IPY Field School are now accepted. The course will run between 25 June – 13 July and only 25 highly qualified ...

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APECS affiliated to LOICZ / Call for new costal research working group

We are happy to announce that APECS is now affiliated to LOICZ (Land-Ocean Interactions in the Coastal Zone). LOICZ is working to support sustainability and adaptation to global change in the coastal zone ...

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APECS Report From EC-PORS Meeting

The World Meteorological Organization's (WMO) Executive Council Panel of Experts on Polar Observations, Research and Services (EC-PORS) third session was held in Sodankylä, Finland...

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Applications Open - SCAR Portland Opportunities

modeling

Short-duration M.Sc. opportunity in environmental sciences/chemistry (May 2012-August 2013)

Graduate student opportunities in Canada's most northerly national park

Antarctic Atmospheric Scientist

Statistician

Antarctic Field Assistants

Ph.D. in Atmospheric Modelling of Wildfire Emissions

PhD in Land Surface Modelling

PhD and MRES positions in Environmental Science

PhD student position in Global Environmental Measurements and Modelling

4 Research Associate positions

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Arkhangelsk governor on media Top-10

Cold air chills heart's oxygen supply, making snow shoveling dangerous for some people

Overfishing threatens the survival of seabirds

Fossil penguin may have been tallest ever

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3rd APECS PT workshop

The APECS Portugal is organising the third APECS workshop in Portugal, on the 21th of May in Lisbon, just before the IV Portuguese Polar Science Conference. The aim of this workshop is to strengthening the network ...

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IPY Polar Field School

Polar Marine Ecology Summer Course

General Principles and Approaches for Modeling Hydrology in Different Geographical Regions

Course on Wood Anatomy in Arctic and Alpine Environments

Find Out About More Field Schools Here



YES Network February 2012 Newsletter

Photo Competition: Our Antarctica – Images from the Great White South

Diana Wall to receive SCAR President's Medal

Launch of the Southern Ocean Observing System

The SCAR Medals - Recognising Excellence in

Antarctic research base goes up in flames

Salty soil can suck water out of atmosphere: Could it happen on Mars?

Big NZ fossil penguin reconstructed

VIDEO: Arctic ice link to tough winters

Reindeer herding instead of military service

"A crêpe is not a spike – it will not cut your stomach".

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This is a list of a few of our newest APECS members. Click on their names and login to the APECS website to connect with them! Or, find more connection by searching the APECS member database.

Laura Poidevin
Australia, Masters Student

Gabriela Roldan
New Zealand, Masters Student

Christoph Hentschel
Germany, Masters Student

Carla Di Fonzo
Argentina, Doctoral Student

Courtney Hammond

Science and Outstanding Service

Travel Funds Available to SCAR Open Science Conference

AGU Career Center webinar

IASC Newsletter: From Knowledge to Action, IPY Montreal

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Bivalve shell mineralogy as a tool for environmental monitoring in the Arctic

Past Virtual Poster Session Recordings

Climate Change at the Poles

Examining reproductive behaviour and range use in Arctic grizzly bears

Educating new generation of polar researchers: IPY and beyond

Concentration and bioavailability of carbon-based compounds exported from the Mackenzie Delta, western Canadian Arctic, during annual high-water periods.

Temperature-altered predator-prey dynamics in freshwater ponds in Arctic Greenland

Ultraviolet radiation and copepod pigments

Read More Posters Here

United States, Other

James Stone
Australia, Undergraduate

Anastasiya Tarasenko
Russia, Undergraduate

Stine Bylin Bundgaard
Denmark, Doctoral Student

Johnny Sanders
United States, Postdoctoral Researcher

Adelaide Jones
Australia, Undergraduate

Edward Rice
United States, Doctoral Student

Wiebke Frey
Germany, Postdoctoral Researcher

Zoya Martin
Canada, Other

Chris Cahill
Canada, Masters Student

Aaron Rosenberg
United States, Masters Student

Benjamin Kissinger
United States, Masters Student

Adelaide Goodeve
United Kingdom, Undergraduate

Eike Stübner
Norway, Doctoral Student

Koos Fransen
Belgium, Masters Student

Elizabeth Miller
Canada, Masters Student

Meri Ruppel
Finland, Doctoral Student

Maya King
United Kingdom, Doctoral Student

Mamatha Lala
India, Other

Katharina Gottschalk
Germany, Other

Reny Tyson
United States, Doctoral Student

Helen Mackay
United Kingdom, Doctoral Student

Gabriela Laura Campana
Argentina, Doctoral Student

Keir Nichols
United Kingdom, Undergraduate

Marcela Monica Libertelli
Argentina, Doctoral Student

Chitra Baniya
Nepal, Teacher

Ditte Mogensen
Finland, Doctoral Student

Ksenia Atlaskina
Finland, Doctoral Student

moleseng claude
South Africa, Masters Student

KP Mishra
India, Faculty

Abhijeet Parmar
India, Masters Student

karim Honein
Japan, Doctoral Student

Diana King
Australia, Doctoral Student

Linn Kristin Novis
Norway, Masters Student

Armin Kousha
Iran, Other

Hege Indresand
United States, Postdoctoral Researcher

Kira Jääskeläinen
Finland, Other

Madeleine Ammar
Germany, Undergraduate

Ananda Majumdar
Canada, Undergraduate

Roberta Adams

United States, Research Scientist

Todd Kristensen
Canada, Doctoral Student

Nicole Trefault
Chile, Research Scientist

Malgorzata Smieszek
Poland, Doctoral Student

Mary Choy
Canada, Masters Student

Matheus Kuchenbecker
Brazil, Doctoral Student

Katherina Hell
Italy, Doctoral Student

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