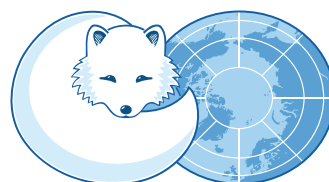
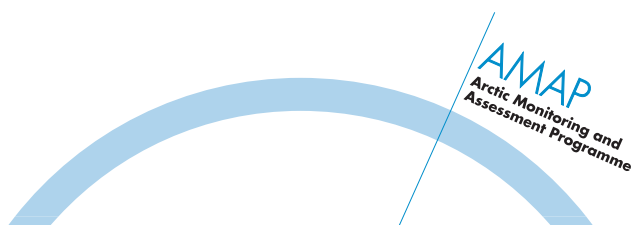


Programme

# AMAP 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary seminar

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# Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> November 2016

Venue: Scandic Marina Congress Center  
Katajanokanlaituri 6, 00160 Helsinki  
Conference room Fennia II, 2nd floor

## Opening session

Chair: Martin Forsius, AMAP Chair, Finnish Environment Institute

14:00

Local and global challenges for the Arctic environment  
Hannele Pokka, Permanent Secretary, Ministry of the Environment of Finland  
Exploring common solutions: The Chairmanship of Finland in the Arctic Council 2017-19  
René Söderman, Senior Adviser, Arctic Cooperation, Ministry for Foreign Affairs of Finland

## Session 2: Arctic cooperation and AMAP

Chair: Martin Forsius

14:25

Arctic Environmental Protection Strategy (AEPS) and AMAP as the Arctic Messenger  
David P. Stone, Former AMAP Chair, Canada

14:50

Arctic indigenous peoples involvement in AMAP  
Jannie Staffansson, Saami Council

## Panel discussion: AMAP and international collaboration

Moderator: Russel Shearer, Former AMAP Chair, Canada

15.00 - 15.45

United Nations Environment Programme (UNEP)  
Gunnar Futsæter, Programme Officer, UNEP Chemicals Branch, Geneva  
Convention on Long-Range Transboundary Air Pollution (CLRTAP)  
Anna Engleryd, CLRTAP Chair  
World Meteorological Organization (WMO)  
Rodica Nitu, Project Manager, Global Cryosphere Watch, Observing and Information Systems Department  
Nordic Environment Finance Corporation (NEFCO)  
Magnus Rystedt, Managing Director

15:45

Coffee break

## Session 3: Past and Present Scientific Achievements and Future directions for AMAP

Chair: Mikala Klint, AMAP Co-Head of Delegation, Kingdom of Denmark, Ministry of Environment and Food, Denmark

16:15

Climate change  
Morten Skovgård Olsen, Ministry of Climate and Energy, Denmark

16:30

Pollution  
Cynthia A. de Wit, Stockholm University, Sweden

16:45

Radioactivity  
Per Strand, Norwegian Radiation Protection Agency and Yuri Tsaturov, Federal Service for Hydrometeorology and Environment Monitoring, Russia

17:00

Human health  
Arja Rautio, University of Oulu, Finland and Jon Øyvind Odland, Institute of Community Medicine, Norway

17:15

AMAP and the future of the Arctic  
Lars-Otto Reiersen, AMAP Executive Secretary, Norway

17:30

Summing up and Closing