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Arctic Peoples' Conference
A Celebration of
40 years of Indigenous cooperation

Thursday November 21 at Landstingssalen, Christiansborg, Copenhagen.
Security check in at "Besøgsindgang"

12.00 Sandwiches served in front of the conference hall

Opening

13:00 Welcome – Aqqaluk Lyngø, ICC Chair
13:10 Welcome – Mogens Lykketoft, President of the Danish Parliament
13:20 Welcome – Aleqa Hammond, Premier of Greenland
13:30 Opening ceremony – Ida Heinrich and the Aavaat Choir

The first Arctic Peoples' Conference in 1973

13:40 Why, 1973? – Dr Robert Petersen, Professor emeritus
13:40 Parallel slideshow – Jens Brøsted

Achievements and present state of the indigenous organisations

13:50 The Saami Council – Aile Javo, President
14:10 RAIPON – Gregory Ledkov, President
14:30 Inuit Circumpolar Council – Aqqaluk Lyngø
14:50 Panel discussion and questions

Coffee break

15:30 Coffee and tea served outside the conference hall

Industrialisation on indigenous lands

16:00 Mining and people – Minik Rosing, Professor
16:20 Questions
16:40 Industrialisation and the Sámi, Olav Mathis Eira, Saami Council
17:00 Questions
17:20 Development for and with Inuit – Okalik Egeesiak, President of the Qikiqtani Inuit Association
17:40 Questions

Closing

18:00 Closing of the first day and practical information on evening reception

Evening

19:30-21:00 Reception (Canapés served) at Nordatlantens Brygge, Strandgade 91

Friday November 22, 10:00 at Landstingssalen, Christiansborg, Copenhagen
Security check in at "Besøgsindgang"

09:00 Coffee and tea served in front of the conference hall

Opening

10:00 Welcome – Aqqaluk Lyngé, ICC Chair

Presentations on the Arctic Cooperation

10:10 Danish Arctic Policy – Erik V. Lorenzen, Arctic Ambassador

10:30 Democracy in the Arctic - Sara Olsvig, MP, Chair of the Arctic Parliamentarians

10:50 Norwegian Arctic Policy – Ingvar Havnen, Norwegian Ambassador

11:10 U.S Arctic Policy – Julia Gourley, U.S. Senior Arctic Official.

11:30 Panel discussion and questions

Lunch break

12:30 Sandwiches served outside the conference hall

Presentations on visions of the Arctic

13:30 From Igaliko to Washington – Per Stig Møller, former Minister of F.A.

13:50 Korea and the Arctic – Kim Byung-ho, Ambassador, Embassy of the Republic of Korea

14:10 Magnús Jóhannesson, Director of the Arctic Council Secretariat, Tromsø

14:30 EU and the Arctic – Steffen Weber, Secretary General, EU-ARCTIC Forum

14:50 Panel discussion and questions

Coffee break

15:00 Coffee and tea served outside the conference hall

Presentations on specific indigenous issues

15:20 Mining conflict in Kallo/Gallok –Lars Anders Baer

15:40 Language and the customary rights, C. Chr. Olsen, Vice Chair ICC

16:00 Partnering with oil companies – Tara Sweeney, ASRC, Alaska

16:20 Indigenous rights and laws in Greenland – Thomas Trier Hansen

16:40 Panel discussion and questions

17:00 Concluding Remarks

Closing

17:30 Closing of the second day and practical information on the evening programme

We thank Member of the Danish Parliament, Ms. Sara Olsvig for hosting this event.

Evening

19:00 Closing reception and cultural programme – Nordatlantens Brygge, Strandgade 91

23:00 Good night

Entertainment: Aavaat Choir, Ida Heinrich, Karina Møller, Aviaja Lumholt and Malu Rohmann