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APECS is an initiative of young and innovative polar researchers which started in the context of the 4<sup>th</sup> International Polar Year (IPY 2007-2008). In order to promote cooperation studies and development of Antarctic and Arctic sciences as a whole, APECS has motivated the formation of the next generation of polar researchers. APECS-Brazil follows objectives of the the same international organization particular alongside other purposes.



# Association of Polar Early Career Scientists (APECS) in **Brazil: growing up and go ahead!**

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of	APECS-Brazil (2010). Its inten
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d	new potential APECS participa
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of	as an international event focu
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ar	activities as Virtual Poster Ses
	(VPS) and increase the numbe
	membership registered.

## **II APECS-Brasil Workshop South America-Antarctic Research Integration Phothography contest: Looking towards the frozen continent** May, 2012 – FURG, Rio Grande, RS, Brazil http://apecs-brasil-iiworkshop.blogspot.com.br

### Shaping the Future of Polar Research

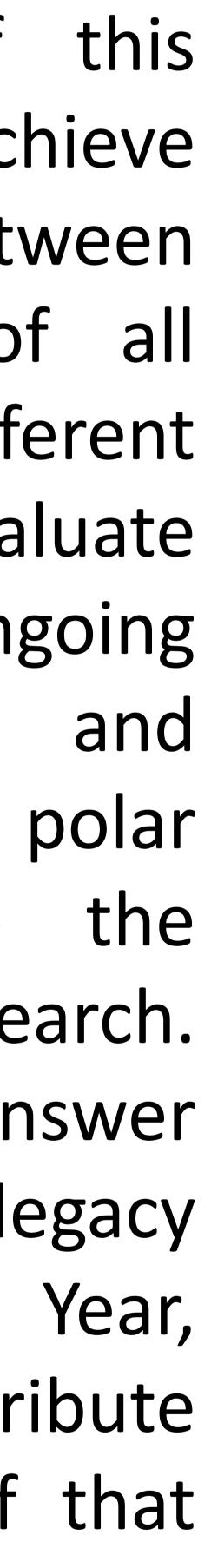
With the promotion of this Brazil activities we hope to achieve shop very strong integration between nded the early career scientists of all scientific areas from different ment countries in order to evaluate and the consequences of the ongoing ants. environmental, social nized geopolitical changes in the polar using regions, and to define the rican tion". priorities of polar research. APECS was founded as an answer are PECS to that necessity and as a legacy of the International Polar Year, ssion and Brazil is willing to contribute er of strongly to the growth of that Institution.

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