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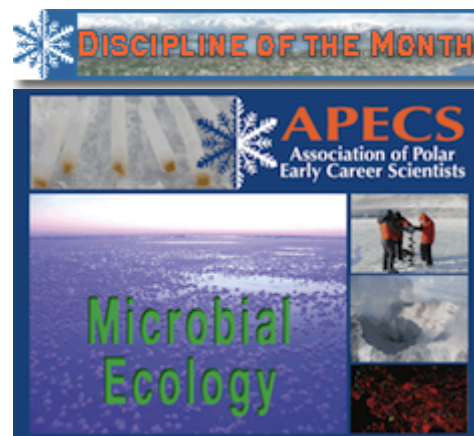


# Shaping the Future of Polar Research

## November 2011

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## THIS MONTH'S FEATURES

### [APECS Conference Tips webpage available](#)

Are you already planning to attend your next conference? We all know that one of the most important parts of establishing a successful science career (or any career for that matter) is the network of colleagues you create. Conferences are a great way to meet people, share your ideas, develop new projects, learn new techniques, find your next employer or employee, and sometimes even have a little fun...

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### [The APECS Permafrost Webinar and Virtual Poster Session – 7th of November, 19...](#)

This month, we would like to announce the APECS Permafrost Webinar combined with the APECS Virtual Poster Session (VPS). The APECS Permafrost Webinar will take place on Monday, the 7th of November, at 19:00 GMT (visit <http://www.timeanddate.com/worldclock/converter.html> to convert to your time zone). The webinar will feature two keynote speakers...

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### [APECS Contractor Position Available: Web Specialist](#)

Established in August 2006 by young researchers at the early planning stages of the fourth International Polar Year, the Association of Polar Early Career Scientists

## FROM THE PRESIDENT

### [Early Career Researchers, APECS, and Russia](#)

November is a very exciting month for the APECS President. Travelling over the central part of Russia, Yulia Zaika will organize numerous activities to help Russian polar researchers create new opportunities...

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### [\*\*APECS QR: All the info you need right on your phone\*\*](#)

In our efforts to try to keep up with all of your members and the evolving technology landscape, we are pleased to share with you the new 2-dimensional APECS QR code. Feel free to share this with your friends, print and hang it on your office door, or even use it in your presentations or research posters to help people find out about our great organization...

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### [\*\*Polar Science and ICSU's Grand Challenges\*\*](#)

Given the unique setting and rapid changes seen in the polar environment, the [International Council for Science \(ICSU\)](#) recognizes that now it is more important than ever to re-assert the Universality of Science...

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### [\*\*Arctic Microbiology - Microbial Ecology at the University of Tromsø\*\*](#)



I love the 'little stuff' so this month I am very excited to learn all about what our members are working on to help understand the microbe world of the polar regions. I am sure after you start reading all the about this amazing topic of research, you might get the 'polar bug' to study microbiology yourself... and I know the perfect place for you to consider... The Arctic Microbiology / Microbial Ecology Program at the University of Tromsø...

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### [\*\*APECS ExCom has Completed 2011-2012 Priorities Document\*\*](#)

On the 3rd of November, the Executive Committee approved the main APECS document for this term – the 2011-2012 Priorities Document. Together with the Director, Council, and Committee Co-Chairs...

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### [\*\*APECS Conference Travel Funds Contest Winners\*\*](#)

As an international organization, many of APECS' most important initiatives are web-based. The content on our web...

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### [\*\*Meet the 2011-2012 MIC Co-Chairs!!\*\*](#)



### [\*\*APECS Mentor Panel at AGU 2011 Fall Meeting\*\*](#)

### [\*\*Responsible Data Use and Managing Your Own Data webinar\*\*](#)

### [\*\*Introduction to Changing Permafrost in the Arctic Landscape Course\*\*](#)

### [\*\*UKPN Workshop: High latitude biology, ecosystems and the future\*\*](#)

The new Member and Involvement Committee are Lisa-Marie Leclerc (Canada/Norway), Nikolas Sellheim (Germany/Finland) and Rebeca Zapata Guardiola (Spain). All the bios of the new Member and Involvement Committee are available [here](#).

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### [\*\*APECS participation in the XVIII Brazilian Symposium on Antarctic Research...\*\*](#)

During the XVIII Simpósio Brasileiro sobre Pesquisa Antártica (SBPA), which took place from 21th to 23th September 2011...

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### [\*\*SCAR OSM 2nd circular and APECS career development workshop\*\*](#)

Dear APECS members, The Scientific Committee on Arctic Research (SCAR) Open Science Conference "Antarctic Science and Policy Advice in a Changing World" will take place in Portland, OR, between 16-17 July 2012 (<http://scar2012.geol.pdx.edu/>)...

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### [\*\*APECS IPY Publications Reported\*\*](#)

The [International Polar Year Publications Database \(IPYPD\)](#) is the program of the IPY Data and Information Service that prepares and disseminates metadata (references, abstracts and indexing terms) describing...

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### [\*\*Acidification in Aquatic Environments Workshop Report\*\*](#)

In the frame of the Acidification in aquatic environments Workshop led in Tromsø from 27 to 29 September 2011; 24 PhD students (representing 12 countries) have been awarded to meet and discuss on their acidification project with the lecturers and other...

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### [\*\*The "Who's Who in Polar Science" Database is Complete!\*\*](#)

After months of hard work and many hours spent at our computers, the APECS Who's Who in Polar Science working group is proud to announce that the Who's Who database is complete! ...

### [\*\*Jokkmokk Winter Conference 2012\*\*](#)

### [\*\*IPY Montreal 2012 Career Development Workshop\*\*](#)

### [\*\*APECS at AGU\*\*](#)

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## NEW VIRTUAL POSTERS

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