





Kari Laine, PhD

Professor Kari Laine is the director of the Thule Institute and the Vice President of Research in the University of the Arctic. He has a PhD in Botany and Plant Ecology, and has previously worked as a scientific director in the focus area of **Environmental Science and Technology.** 

## 16:00-18:00

The University of the Arctic (UArctic) is a cooperative network concerned with education and research regarding the North. The network is comprised of over 170 members including universities, colleges, research institutes and other organizations. The aim of the seminar is to provide information about UArctic, the ways in which universities on Hokkaido can participate in its activities and the possibilities UArctic's network in general can offer.

May 28<sup>th</sup> (Thu), 16:00-18:00 TIME:

PLACE: Hokkaido University, Hyakunen Kinen Kaikan

LANGUAGE: English (with Japanese interpretation)

PROGRAM: 16:00-17:00 Kari Laine's presentation

> 17:00-18:00 Free discussion

REGISTRATION: The event is free, but interested parties are asked to

register their participation by email to the address

below. (Japanese ok)

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