Introduction to UArctic

University of the Arctic (UArctic) is a network of universities, colleges, research institutes, and other organizations concerned with education and research in and about the North.

Staff Mobility Details

The north2north program supports outbound mobility for academic and administrative staff members who are employed by or affiliated with a north2north University of the Arctic (UArctic) institution.

A north2north mobility exchange should contribute to strengthening knowledge exchange and relationships between north2north institutions in a circumpolar context.

Supported activities include: teaching, researching/presenting on topics related to the Arctic, knowledge sharing, and learning about best practices that will support their work in the North, and developing relationships for future student exchange opportunities.

The duration of the mobility exchange is flexible with an ideal length of five to ten working days. Additional funding is not available for longer exchanges. Applicants are responsible for connecting to partner institutions and ensuring that they have approval from their home and host institutions.

Timeline

- Early January: The regional coordinator will upload the application link to the website and inform north2north coordinators of where to find the link.
- Mid-February: Deadline for staff/faculty to contact north2north institutional contact to inform them of their interest in applying for a north2north grant and submit an application.
- Early March: Deadline for national coordinator to allocate grants to potential participants. The application will be assessed based on the priority list and eligibility requirements. In order to receive a scholarship, staff must receive approval from their supervisor and home institution.
- By mid-March: The national coordinator will inform north2north institutional contacts and/or applicants if they are approved for a grant.

Different national funding programs finance the north2north mobility. Detailed information about the north2north grants can be found on the following page: UArctic – University of the Arctic – Funding Possibilities by Country.

The north2north institutional coordinator is responsible for the selection of applicants for north2north grants and tuition waivers by the deadline.

Contact Information

Contact north2north@uarctic.org if you have further questions.