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## 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.



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## 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. Priority is given to individuals in Arctic and Northern institutions.

**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 staff 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. In order to receive a grant, staff and faculty must receive approval from their supervisor and home institution.

### Timeline for Funding

Timeline and funding amounts/availability differ per [country](#). Note: you can go on an exchange with or without applying for funding. Funding criteria and exchange criteria differ. Please contact your [institution's coordinator](#) for how you can apply.

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](#).

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## Contact Information

Contact [north2north@uarctic.org](mailto:north2north@uarctic.org) if you have further questions.