**Call for Applications for the NVP International Summer School in Svalbard 2023**

**The Norwegian Scientific Academy for Polar Research (NVP), in cooperation with The University Centre in Svalbard (UNIS), is pleased to announce that the Call for Application is open! The NVP International Summer School is held from 28 May to 6 June 2023 in Svalbard.**

The Polar Academy contribute to education of new Arctic scientists through the annual summer school. The Arctic is attracting increasing attention from most corners of the World. There has probably never been a time in history where the need for knowledge about complex challenges in the High North has been greater. The future opportunities, challenges, and problems of the Arctic will be in the hands of today’s young scholars and decision-makers.

The summer schools apply the concept of “Three Poles” as a framework that links the Arctic, the Antarctic, and the Himalayan regions as an umbrella framework. The 2023 summer school will focus particularly on linkages between the Arctic and the Himalayas. The curriculum is highly interdisciplinary, and a major objective of the summer school is to train young scholars to be thinking across disciplinary boundaries and discuss applied and complex issues. The first three days will be spent in Longyearbyen, and the following six days at the field station Isfjord Radio.

The students of different disciplinary backgrounds will publish the results of their work at the summer school in a joint peer reviewed article published in an international journal of high academic standard.

The summer school’s target group is PhD students and Postdocs. Applications are sent to the Norwegian Scientific Academy for Polar Research (NVP) via our online application form: <https://bit.ly/3VRoEmj>. Application deadline is 1 March. Selected candidates will be contacted by 1 April.

The ‘Global Arctic’ trilogy will be rounded off in 2024 with broadening the perspective to include the Antarctic. Judging by the motivation of the 2022 students, their skills, and abilities to work together as a team – the Polar regions of tomorrow are in good hands!

For more details, please visit the Polar Academy’s website: <https://polar-academy.com/summer-schools/the-global-arctic-2023/>