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Panel on the Future of Arctic Ocean Governance

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The Regulation of the Northern Sea Route

16 November 2020 (Mon) 17:00-19:00 JST/ 8:00-10:00 GMT

Zoom Meeting (registration through the PLS website required)

Speakers:

Alexander Sergunin (St. Petersburg State University)

Jan Jakub Solski (UiT – the Arctic University of Norway)

Discussant:

Yurika Ishii (National Defense Academy of Japan)



Alexander Sergunin, Ph.D.



Alexander Sergunin is Professor of International Relations, St. Petersburg State University and Moscow State Institute of International Relations, Russia. He holds Ph.D. (history) from the Moscow State University (1985) and Habilitation (political science) from the St. Petersburg State University (1994). His fields of research and teaching include Arctic politics and governance, Russia's Arctic sustainable development, Russian foreign policy thinking and making.

Jan Jakub Solski, Ph.D.



Jan Jakub Solski, LL.M., Ph.D., is a Postdoc Research Fellow at the Norwegian Centre for the Law of the Sea (NCLOS), UiT – the Arctic University of Norway. He is a Polish national, who holds multiple academic degrees in Russian and English Philology, Law, and the Law of the Sea from Polish and Norwegian universities. In 2019, he defended a Ph.D. thesis on “Russian coastal state jurisdiction over commercial vessels navigating the Northern Sea Route (NSR)” at the Faculty of Law, UiT. His current research interests concern the development of Arctic shipping regulations; law and practice of emerging users of the NSR; Russia's influence on international legal and political processes.

Yurika Ishii, Ph.D.

Yurika Ishii (Ph.D, the University of Tokyo) is in charge with public international law and law of the sea courses at National Defense Academy of Japan. Her areas of interest include public international law, law of international organizations, law of the sea and maritime security.

Discussion-oriented seminar on the Regulation of the Northern Sea Route

Presentations

Alexander Sergunin, “The Politics of Russian Arctic shipping: the interplay of security/geopolitical and legal factors”

Jan Jakub Solski, “The Northern Sea Route in the 2010s: trends in development and implementation of Russian law”

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