



# Canada and the Arctic: *Challenges and Opportunities*

The Great Hall, University College, University of Manitoba  
January 29-31, 2014

### WEDNESDAY JANUARY 29TH

1:00pm: Conference Introduction

Dr. Andrea Charron

Deputy Director, Centre for Defence and Security Studies

Dr. David T. Barnard

President and Vice-Chancellor, University of Manitoba

1:20pm The Paul Buteux Lecture

Mr. Bernard Funston

Former Chariman of the Board, Canadian Polar Commission

2:45pm Panel One - The People & Culture of the North

Moderator: Dr. Chris Trott, University of Manitoba

Dr. Tracey Galloway, University of Manitoba

Dr. Timothy Pasch, University of North Dakota

Dr. Darlene Coward Wight, Winnipeg Art Gallery

### FRIDAY JANUARY 31ST

9:30am: Panel Five - Safety & Security

Moderator: Dr. James Fergusson, University of Manitoba

Colonel Joël Roy, Canadian Forces

Mr. Yves Jacques, Canadian Coast Guard

Dr. Rob Huebert, University of Calgary

11:30am: Panel Six - Canada's Arctic Future

Moderator: Dr. Jeff Taylor, University of Manitoba

Dr. Whitney Lackenbauer, University of St. Jerome's

Dr. Suzanne Lalonde, Université de Montréal

Dr. Andrea Charron, University of Manitoba

### THURSDAY JANUARY 30TH

10:00am: Panel Two - Science & Climate Change

Moderator: Dr. Brent Else, University of Manitoba

Ms. Emily Choy, University of Manitoba

Dr. C.J. Mundy, University of Manitoba

Dr. Gary Stern, University of Manitoba

Dr. Gordon Giesbrecht, University of Manitoba

1:00pm: Panel Three - Resources & Economic Development

Moderator: Dr. Adolf Ng, University of Manitoba

Ms. Michele Taylor, Transport Canada

Ms. Rebecca Pikor, University of Manitoba

Dr. Jackie Dawson, University of Ottawa

Mr. Ross Coen - University of Alaska

2:45pm: Panel Four - Governance

Moderator: Dr. Andrea Charron, University of Manitoba

Consul General Hjálmar Waag Hannesson, Consulate General of Iceland

Mr. Manfred Auster, Delegation of the European Union to Canada

Dr. Peter Kulchyski, University of Manitoba

Dr. John English, University of Toronto

Admission is free, all welcome to attend

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