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Arctic Youth and Sustainable Futures

- Follow up to Arctic Human Development Report II
- P.I. Joan Nymand Larson, Stefansson Arctic Institute, Akureyri, Iceland (I am North American lead)
- Intent: fill the gap, identified in AHDR II, in knowledge on the lives, ambitions, needs, and challenges of youth – indigenous and nonindigenous – across the circumpolar Arctic
- Funded by Nordic Council of Ministers (applying for NSF support for FY18)
- Project includes:
 - Synthesis of literature (deep dive into Russian language publications)
 - Key data indicators
 - Youth engagement both in the research process and as subjects.



