



June 9, 2020

Subject: Notice of Postponement of UArctic Congress 2020, Reykjavik

To whom it may concern:

Due to ongoing uncertainty of the COVID-19 pandemic and its implications on travel and organizing large events we have made the difficult decision to postpone the UArctic Congress, originally scheduled to take place in Reykjavik Oct 6-8, 2020, until May 2021.

This decision was made with respect to the guidance of the Icelandic government and local authorities, in the interests of the safety and well-being of our community. Given the circumstances that resulted in the need to postpone this meeting, we would encourage all vendors to offer refunds or other respective compensation for any travel or accommodation costs to UArctic Congress 2020 participants.

On behalf of the UArctic Congress 2020 International Steering Committee

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