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Kokouksen laillisuus ja päätösvallaisuus

Lapin yliopiston johtosäännön 59 §:n mukaan kutsu hallintoelimen kokoukseen on lähetettävä viimeistään kolme arkipäivää ennen kokousta, jollei hallintoelin ole toisin päättänyt. Kokouskutsussa on mainittava käsiteltävät asiat. Hallintoelin on päätösvallainen, kun puheenjohtaja mukaan luettuna vähintään puolet jäsenistä on läsnä.

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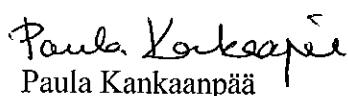
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Todettiin kokous lailliseksi ja päätösvallaiseksi


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Ilmoitusasiat

Yliopiston ja Arktisen keskuksen välisissä tulosneuvotteluissa on sovittu mm. seuraavaa:

1. Tiedekesknäytelyyn sijoitettujen tiedetoimittajan, teknisen muotoilijan ja työ mestarin tehtäviin sijoitettujen henkilöiden kanssa tehdään työsopimukset 1.1.2012 lukien toistaiseksi
2. Arktisen keskuksen hallintosihteerin tehtävät hoidetaan 1.1.2012 lukien kokoaikaisena. Osa-aikainen hallintosihteeri Kari Haverinen jää pois ja Riitta Aikio tulee tilalle yliopiston sisäisenä siirtona
3. Arktiseen keskukseen siirretään hallinnon tueksi yliopiston sisäisenä siirtona kokopäivätoimin tehtävä.
4. Laskennallisella mallilla jaettava määräraha vuodelle 2012. LIITE

Arktisen keskuksen johtokunnan puheenjohtajan ja Arktisen keskuksen johtajan vahvistamana on Arktinen keskus sitoutunut seuraavien hankkeiden toteutukseen:

Vastuullinen johtaja: Stefan Walter

Hanke: Socio-economic impacts of climate change in the Barents region:
understanding changes in society's energy uses

Rahoituslähde: Nesslingin säätiö

Rahoitus: 26 200 €

Vastuullinen johtaja: Bruce Forbes

Hanke: Resilience in Social-Ecological Systems of Northwest Eurasia (RISES)

Rahoituslähde: Suomen Akatemia

Haettu rahoitus: 1 001 148 € (omarahoitus 20 %)

Vastuullinen johtaja: Minna Turunen

Hanke: Vulnerability of Rangeland Ecosystems to Ice Encasement in the Subarctic

Rahoituslähde: Suomen Akatemia

Haettu rahoitus: 758 681€ (omarahoitus 20 %)

Vastuullinen johtaja: Kamrul Hossain

Hanke: International Law and the Arctic

Rahoituslähde: Suomen Akatemia

Haettu rahoitus: 407 275 €

Vastuullinen johtaja: Monica Tennberg

Hanke: Socio-Economic Process in the North

Rahoituslähde: Suomen Akatemia/FIDIPRO

Haettu rahoitus: 1 153 529 € (omarahoitus 20 %)

Vastuullinen johtaja: Jukka Jokimäki

Hanke: Lapin lintukohteet (Laplinko)

Rahoituslähde: EAKR, Toimintalinja 2; Lapin ELY-keskus

Haettu rahoitus: 250 000 € (omarahoitus 20 %)

Vastuullinen johtaja: Bruce Forbes

Hanke: Climate Predictions and Resilience in Social-Ecological Systems of Northern Eurasia (C-PRISES)

Rahoituslähde: FP7-ENV

Haettu rahoitus: 3 415 688 € (omarahoitus 25 %, kokonaisrahoitus 11 179 498 €)

Vastuullinen johtaja: Susanna Pääkkölä

Hanke: Lämmönsäätyelyvasteet ja turvallisuus poromatkailuyrittäjien tuottamissa ohjelmapalveluissa

Rahoituslähde: MMM, MaKeRa

Haettu rahoitus: 10 500 €

Vastuullinen johtaja: Anna-Liisa Ylisirniö

Hanke: Plant Biodiversity Network of Botanical Gardens and Arboreta in the Barents Region (BIOBAR)

Rahoituslähde: Kolarctic ENPI CBS

Haettu rahoitus: 35 000 €

Vastuullinen johtaja: Jukka Jokimäki

Hanke: Northern Barents Landscape Management Platform (NorthLamp)

Rahoituslähde: Kolarctic ENPI

Haettu rahoitus: 140 000 €

Vastuullinen johtaja: Markku Heikkilä

Hanke: Sisällön päivittäminen ulkoasiainministeriön Alueellisen yhteistyön yksikön ”Arktinen osaaminen Suomessa” –esitteeseen

Rahoituslähde: Ulkoasianministeriö

Haettu rahoitus: 4 000 €

Vastuullinen johtaja: Kamrul Hossain

Hanke: Human Rights in the Arctic (HURIARCTIC)

Rahoituslähde: European Research Council / EU

Haettu rahoitus: 1 200 000 €

EU:n arktinen informatiokeskus,

EUAIC EUAIC:n valmistelu etenee vähitellen myötätulessa. Lapin liitto myönsi lokakuussa hankkeen valmistelua varten 50 000 euron määrärahan. Sillä on palkattu Outi Mähönen (70 %, 6 kk) ja Kaml Jakodzinski (3 kk) valmistelemaan hankehakemusta EUAIC tiimin (Kankaanpää, Heikkilä, Gunslay) tukena. Lisäksi tiimiin kuuluu harjoittelija Andrea Scassola (3 kk).

EU parlamentti teki esityksen EU:n budjettiin valmistelevasta hankkeesta “Strategic Impact Assessment of the Arctic Development” kesällä 2011. Hankkeen tarkoituksesta on valmistella EUAIC -verkoston toimintaa ja toteuttaa sen yksi ”tuote”. Hanke hyväksyttiin usean käsittelyvaiheen jälkeen EU komission ensivuoden budjettiin joulukuun 1. Budjettiissa on nyt valmistelevaa hanketta varten 1 milj. € ensivuodelle ja varauksina on saman verran vuodessa ajalla 2013 ja -14. Komissio päättää jatkotoimista ja todennäköisesti hanke etenee normaalina kilpailun kautta. EUAIC –verkosto on ryhtynyt valmistelemaan hakemusta. Verkoston kokous pidetään Brysselissä tammikuun 11-12. Samassa yhteydessä verkosto järjestää iltatapaamisen esittyäytymistä varten komission ja parlamentin edustajille Suomen Brysselin edustustossa 11.1.

EUAIC oli esillä mainintana Arktisen neuvoston virkamieskokouksessa Luulajassa 8-9.11. Kankaanpää esitti aloitteen Pohjoismaiden Saamelaisparlamenttien konferencessä 10.11. sekä Puolan järjestämässä EU jäsen maiden suurlähettiläiden arktisessa keskustelussa Varsovassa 30.11. Se on saanut laajasti myönteistä palautetta. Lisäksi ulkoministeriö on neuvotellut asiasta edelleen sekä komission että EEAS:n kanssa.

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3.

Esitys työsopimusten tekemiseksi kolmelle henkilölle hankkeeseen ”Oral History of Empires by Elders in the Arctic (ORHELIA)”

Arktisessa keskuksessa on käynnistynyt hanke ”Oral History of Empires by Elders in the Arctic (ORHELIA)”. Hanke on Suomen Akatemian rahoittama ja vastuullisena johtajana hankkeessa toimii erikoistutkija Florian Stammmer.

Hankkeen kuvaus sekä sen parissa työskentelevien tehtävät hankkeessa (LIITE).

Yliopiston hallintojohtosäädön 48 §:n mukaan *”Tehtävä voidaan täyttää auki julistamatta, jos henkilö otetaan hoitamaan avointa tehtävää tai toimimaan sijaisena palvelussuhteessa, joka kestää alle vuoden tai kysymys on täydentäväällä rahoituksella toteutettavasta työstä, jossa henkilöt tai heidän erityisosaamisensa on määritelty rahoitushakemukseissa”*. Hankkeen rahoitushakemus on laadittu ajatellen nyt esitettävien henkilöiden hankkeen tehtäviin soveltumista ja heidän erityisosastaan.

Kolmelle hankkeeseen osallistuvista tutkijoista on tarkoitus tehdä työsopimus pidemmäksi kuin vuoden ajaksi:

Dr Stephan Dudeck
• nationality: German

- PHD defended: 2011
- Tasks to be performed: Independent anthropological project-related research, including long term fieldwork in Russia. Interviewing, participating in reindeer herders' lives, a lot of travel, literature research, archival research, work in museums, working with public relations of Sami and other indigenous people's organisations, single- and co-authored independent academic writing.
- Time: To be hired preliminary from September 15 - end of 2011 full time, then contract to be extended part time until end of the project. More specifically: equivalent of 6 months in 2012, equivalent of 5 months in 2013 and 2014, equivalent of 3 months in 2015.

Dr Nina Messhtyb

- nationality: Russian
- PHD defended: 2007
- Tasks to be performed: Anthropological project-related independent research, including long term fieldwork in Russia. Interviewing, participating in reindeer herders' lives, a lot of travel, literature research, archival research, work in museums, working with public relations of Nenets and other indigenous people's organisations, co-authored and independent academic writing.
- Time: To be hired preliminary from September 15 - end of 2011 full time, then contract to be extended part time. More specifically: equivalent of 6 months in 2012, equivalent of 5 months in 2013 and 2014.

Dr Nuccio Mazzullo

- nationality: Italian
- PHD defended: 2005
- Tasks to be performed: Anthropological project-related independent research, including long term fieldwork in Finnish Lapland. Interviewing, participating in Skolt Sami life, a lot of travel, literature research, archival research, work in museums, working with public relations of Sami and other indigenous people's organisations, co-authored and independent academic writing.
- Time: To be hired preliminary from August 2012 part time (5 months) until the end of the project. In the last project year, 2 months due to salary cuts by the Academy.

Liitteenä tehtävään esitettävien ansioluettelot

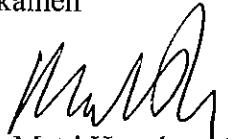
Esitettävistä henkilöistä Nina Messhtyille ja Stephan Dudeckille on jo Arktisen keskuksen johtajan esityksestä tehty työsopimukset ajoiksi 3.10.11-13.4.12 ja 17.10.11-30.4.12 hankkeen käynnistämiseksi. Suunnitelmat hankkeen jatkototeutuksesta ovat vielä kesken, mutta tässä vaiheessa olisi tarkoituksen mukaista tehdä esitykset henkilöistä, jotta heidän jatkotyöskentely olisi varmistettu hankkeessa.

Esitys

Päättäneen esittää yliopiston vararehtorille, että Nina Messhtybin, Stephan Dudeckin ja Nuccio Mazzullon kanssa tehtäisiin työsopimukset ORHELIA-hankkeeseen enintään hankkeen keston ajaksi hankkeelle myönnetyn rahoituksen puiteissa.

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Esityksen mukainen



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4.

Arktisen keskuksen hallintopäällikön nimeäminen

Arktisen keskuksen toiminnan kannalta hallintopäällikön tehtävä on välittämätön. Yliopiston vararehtori on päättöksellään 3.11.2010 nimennyt erikoistutkija Osmo Rätin oman toimensa ohella Arktisen keskuksen hallintopäälliköksi ajaksi 1.1.-31.12.2011. Johtokunta teki esityksen asiasta kokouksessaan 7.9.2010.

Osmo Rätti on hoitanut tehtävää jo 20.3.2010 lukien oman toimensa ohella ja hän on suostunut tehtävässä jatkamaan.

Esitys

Päättäneen esittää yliopiston vararehtorille että erikoistutkija Osmo Rätti oman toimensa ohella nimettiäisiin Arktisen keskuksen hallintopäälliköksi ajaksi 1.1.-31.12.2012 ja että hänelle suoritettaisiin tehtävästä hallintotehtäväpalkkio sitä koskevien ohjeiden mukaisesti.

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5.

Esitys työsopimuksen tekemiseksi Antti Uula Sammeli Aikiolle hankkeeseen “How to Preserve the Tundra in Warming Climate (Tundra)”

Arktisessa keskuksessa on käynnistynyt hankke “How to Preserve the Tundra in Warming Climate (Tundra)”. Tätä pohjoismaista Nordic Centre of Excellence – hanketta rahoittaa NordForsk ja sitä koordinoi Turun yliopisto. Lapin yliopiston Arktinen keskus on yksi hankkeen kahdeksasta pohjoismaisesta partnerista ja sen vastuullisena johtajana toimii tutkimusprofessori Bruce Forbes. Tundra-hanke on viisivuotinen, 1.1.2011-31.12.2015.

Hankkeen kuvaus:

NCoE Tundra is a new Nordic Centre of Excellence, funded by NordForsk, in the scheme of Top-level Research Initiative (TRI). Our scope is to study the interaction between the ecological phenomenon of top down impacts in food webs and climate vegetation interactions and to integrate this perspective with the man-managed reindeer husbandry and the Sámi culture dependent on it. The Centre is a joint co-operation between eight research parties in three Nordic countries (Finland, Norway and Sweden). The project consists of eight Work Packages, each of them dealing with their own specific issues.

Hankkeelle on varattu rahoitus tutkijan palkkaamiseksi. Tutkijan tehtäviin kuuluu tutkimus koskien poronhoidon ekologiaa ja sosioekonomiaa. Tehtävä on ollut julkisesti haettavana, hakuilmoitus on julkaistu Lapin Kansassa, Inarilaisessa ja Enontekiön Sanomissa. Haku päättyi 15.4.2011, tehtävää haki 13 henkilöä.

Tutkimusprofessori Forbes esittää, että tehtävään valitettiin Antti Uula Sammeli Aikio. Aikiolla on vielä maisterintutkinto suorittamatta, mutta se on valmistumassa lähitulevaisuudessa.

Liitteenä Antti Aikion ansioluettelo ja Forbesin laatima muistio hakijoista

Esitys

Päättäneen esittää yliopiston vararehtoriille, että Antti Aikion kanssa tehtäisiin työsopimus tutkijan tehtävään Tundra-hankkeeseen enintään hankkeen keston ajaksi hankkeelle myönnetyn rahoituksen puitteissa sen jälkeen kun hän on saanut tutkintotodistuksen

Päätös

Esityksen mukainen. Lisäksi päätettiin, että työsopimusesityksen tekemisen ehtona on että Antti Aikio saa tutkintotodistuksen viimeistään 30.4.2012.



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6.

Arktisen keskuksen taloustilanne

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Keskusteltaneen kokouksessa annettavan selonteen perusteella Arktisen keskuksen taloustilanteesta

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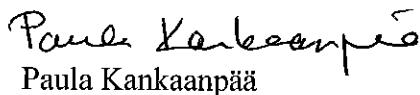
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7.

Muut asiat

Lapin yliopiston johtosäännön 59 §:n mukaan kokouskutsussa on mainittava käsiteltävät asiat. Hallintoelin voi kuitenkin läsnä olevien jäsenten yksimielisellä päätöksellä ottaa käsiteltäväkseen asian, jota ei ole mainittu kokouskutsussa.

Päätös 1

Päätettiin yksimielisesti ottaa käsiteltäväksi esittelijän tuomana Arktis – tohtoriohjelman johtokunnan esitys työsopimuksen tekemiseksi Adam Stepienille tutkijaksi ajaksi 1.1.2012-31.12.2013. Liitteenä johtokunnan esitys ja Adam Stepienin tutkimussuunnitelma ja CV

Päätös 2

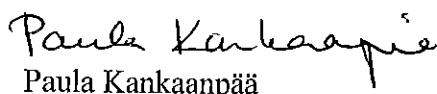
Päätettiin, että yliopiston vararehtoriille tehdään esitys työsopimuksen tekemiseksi Adam Stepienille tutkijaksi ajaksi 1.1.2012-31.12.2013 Arktis –tohtoriohjelmaan.

Puheenjohtaja



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AGENDA (e-mail meeting)

1. Current situation; PhD students, completed defences

- Opening and procedure for one 2-year post 2012-2013.

Adam Stepien will be nominated for the next two years' period since half of the present board members supported it. Half of the present members did not comment, which is also read as a support.

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Biannual Report
on ARKTIS Doctoral Programme PhD student performance 2010-2011

RESEARCH PROJECT

Topic: Development and indigeneity juncture between the Arctic and the Global South

The report-proper constitutes of pages 2-4, abstract and listing of activities being treated as appendixes.

Abstract of the PhD plan

The research project is to juxtapose the concepts of development and indigeneity as they are used in the Arctic and within the context of development aid in the Global South. The main research question is thus how the concepts of indigeneity and development are interconnected within those two geographical spaces, how they are utilized in the prevalent discourses and what are the consequences for our understanding of what development/indigenousness juncture means particularly in the Arctic. The research will focus on Nordic and EU policies.

The de-constructivist critical analysis of discourses referring to both development aid and the Arctic will be conducted in light of three universalizing frameworks, a background against which various analysed practices occur: global liberal governance or more precisely, the will to govern and adjust non-Western societies to globally dominant (primarily economic) models, rationalities and systems; assumedly universal human rights; pan-indigenous identity and movement. The existence of these frameworks serves also as a justification for conducting research in two seemingly distant spaces. It is the Western power/knowledge networks that perceive and govern both the Arctic and the development aid, and the focus will be put on discourses apparent in Western capitals. As development assistance discussion is more advanced, the research results would be of particular interest to Arctic studies.

Article dissertation (comprised of four articles and a synthesis) will cover juxtaposition of these two analyzed spaces where development and indigeneity concepts are located and will incorporate such issues as empowerment, participation, ideology of indigenism, social security, development and underdevelopment and resistance. Through the articles these concepts will be examined basing on practices of actors and in the synthesis a more general theoretical and conceptual framework will be applied.

REPORT: PhD research progress 2010-2011

At the moment I have published my first article, gathered significant amount of data for the second and third papers, and collected majority of necessary study credits for the PhD studies, including significant number of attended conferences and courses given within the Arctic Studies Programme. Currently, I plan on graduating in 2014. This date may be postponed due to funding situation. Notwithstanding the funding, I mean to remain Arktis status student and participate in the following years in Arktis activities, such as Arktis Annual Seminar.

Theoretical studies

Since 2010, when I commenced my PhD research, I have familiarized myself with main discourses both in regard to general development aid and, specifically, with the place of indigenous peoples and group issues within development assistance. The area studied is fairly broad and demanding, and will require constant learning process throughout the PhD research.

I believe that I have at the moment accustomed myself (at least on a general level) with the main theories and conceptualizations, which I will utilize in the following years. This year I had been shifting towards more biopolitical and critical approach, introducing critical discourse analysis into my research, but at the moment I think I will try to find a balance between this new, and in my opinion useful perspective and based on constructivist discussions examining the bridging of meaning, co-constitution of Nordic identity by indigenous experience, and the travelling of ideas and norms between policy fields, as well as dynamics between domestic and foreign spheres of policy-making. Due to the redesigning of my PhD plan, I expect the

In 2011, due to new course my research had taken, I have studied Foucauldian and biopolitical concepts and the critique of the neoliberal development and *liberal urge to govern the other* (Mark Duffield, Arturo Escobar and others), which I deem to be absolutely necessary for the conceptualizations I plan to include in the synthesis of my dissertation, as work on indigeneity and development cannot avoid referring to currently prevalent discourses.

However, I still need to acquire more in-depth understanding of development doctrines as well as – due to redesigning of my theoretical framework within last weeks – with general constructivist theories and concepts, as so far I have rather concentrated on mid-range theories.

Data collection

The collection of data included mainly gathering and examining of documents produced by the Danish and Norwegian development aid agencies and Northern indigenous organizations, reports, communications as well as literature dealing directly with Nordic and the EU development aid as well as the policies on indigenous peoples. There are, however, a number of gaps in my knowledge on the processes and roles of various actors, and that is why I plan next year to visit Danish development aid agency archives (I'm visiting NORAD archives this year) as well as the European Commission (either in the form of a study visit or a short internship placement).

I conducted a number of interviews with Norwegian and Danish policy-makers, scholars, activists and development aid workers; Saami and Inuit, as well as a couple of indigenous activists from Global South. Apart from providing me with invaluable insider information, the interviews also opened new areas for research and consideration. The information and insights from the interviews have already several times influenced the course of my research and the direction of my reasoning. Especially participation in both Forum Conferences on the development cooperation with indigenous peoples in Tromso (see below), and both Polar Law seminars (primarily the one which took place in Nuuk in September 2011) was a great opportunity to contact and interview major actors involved in the researched field of indigenous development aid, especially, otherwise difficult to contact Greenlandic

officials. This is true also for several seminars dedicated to Saami issues. I am planning on attending other meetings in the nearest future (e.g. in December 2011) where I will have opportunity to conduct further interviews.

Presenting my research

I have participated in a number of seminars and conferences, including ARKTIS annual seminars, Polar Law Symposiums, Annual (as well as regular) PhD seminars of the Faculty of Social Sciences. These were of vital importance for the development of my concepts and progressing in constructing my theoretical framework. I had an opportunity to present my research and I have received comments and advice that many times, just as in the case of interviews, changed the course of my reasoning and inquiries. In the next two years, I intend, however, to decrease my attendance in various events and concentrate on developing the papers.

Findings

I have so far analyzed the influence of indigenous peoples and indigenous encounter of the Nordic states in the North on the Nordic development aid for indigenous peoples. Second, I am quite advanced in the research on indigenous-to-indigenous development assistance, i.e. projects implemented by Northern indigenous organizations themselves. Third, I have also commenced research on the policies of the European Union on the indigenous peoples, both in the Global South and in the realm of the Arctic. Currently I also look more at the framework of indigenous rights and global indigenous movement and ideology, as background phenomena for analyzed issues.

I have identified a number of *entry points* where the encounter of indigenous peoples in the North influenced the Nordic assistance policy-making, including a more direct impact of Saami and Inuit themselves. I have examined how norms directing the shaping of Nordic development cooperation with indigenous peoples originated or were co-constituted by the ideas and experiences coming from Greenland and Sapmi. I have also explored (and I am currently trying to theorize on the matter) how identity of the Nordic states as states in particularly attached to ideas of indigeneity, influenced the way these states behaved in their actions in the field completely different from where the place of origin of such ideas, i.e. the Arctic. I believe that it is possible to elaborate, at least in general, the mechanisms which led to development of certain ideas.

The indigenous-to-indigenous assistance proved to be a very interesting set of examples showing how participation of indigenous peoples in the development assistance frameworks may be problematic, revealing many tensions between development and indigeneity, as well as importance of indigenous rights and the indigenism as ideology in the relationship between Northern indigenous and the development in the Global South. The problematique of "knowledge transfer" and sharing of experience as well as the emergence of new power relations is of particular relevance for the general findings of the dissertation.

The European Union's policy on indigenous peoples in the Arctic is a quite recent phenomenon and I can see evidence for the influence of earlier conceptualizations evolved within the framework of EU development aid on how peoples in the Arctic were approached. There are, however, a number of differences, which should provide interesting insight in how Arctic and Global South (in indigenous context) are perceived differently in the eyes of EU policymakers. Indigenous Arctic appears to be a space in-between development and underdevelopment and escaping concepts and rationalizations to which policy-makers got accustomed to while dealing with the development aid issues. Again, the role of the system of indigenous rights within human rights framework appears to be of major significance.

Drafting of articles

Currently, I have one article written and published, second one in fairly advanced stage of drafting and the research for the third one commenced.

I am planning at the moment to decelerate the process of drafting further papers and concentrate on making each paper fully consistent with the PhD research design, as I believe that my first paper was published slightly too early in the process of drafting my PhD and I will have to, while writing the dissertation synthesis, put additional effort in coherently integrating all articles. Therefore, in 2012 and beginning of 2013, I plan to draft two articles simultaneously. Altogether, four articles are to be written:

Paper 1: Arctic Indigenous Peoples influencing Danish and Norwegian Development Cooperation with Indigenous Peoples in the Global South. Ideas and actors.

The paper has been published in the peer-reviewed *Polar Law Yearbook 3* (2011). Certain concepts used in the article are to be further developed in the dissertation synthesis.

Paper 2: Indigenous to indigenous development aid. Between capacity, legitimacy and responsibility. The case of Saami aid for Africa.

The article is currently being developed and will partly build upon the working papers drafted for ARKTIS annual seminar in April 2011, Faculty of Social Sciences annual seminar in June 2011 as well as presentations given at the International Congress of Arctic Social Sciences in Akureyri in June 2011 and the Polar Law Symposium in Nuuk in September 2011. The article is to be completed in the beginning 2013.

Paper 3: European Union constructing its Arctic indigenous policy

The sources and bases of the EU policy on indigenous issues need to be deconstructed, including the role of various actors in the process, the rationalisations, conceptualisations and ideological, practical and strategic approaches behind given policy choices. The analysis of EU documents and archives supported with semi-structured interviews will constitute the core of the research, which will be to great degree supplemented with the review of existing literature, particularly on the EU development assistance. The research will be based on the studies already produced within other research projects examining EU policies and in which I took part (see below). The article is to be completed in mid-2013.

Paper 4: Rights-based approach in the North and in the South.

The precise topic of the last article is still to be decided depending on the final findings of article dedicated to the EU policies so that the papers are not repetitive. The fourth article is to be more theoretical and discuss issues that haven't been addressed in other articles. The article is to be written in the beginning of 2014.

Other research activities

As a member of Northern Institute for Environmental and Minority Law team, I took part in several research projects running next to my main PhD research, but providing me, apart from developing my expert skills, with vital information and expertise on indigenous issues and discourses, both in the Arctic and the Global South. Major part of the knowledge gained will be incorporated in the further stages of my research. This is of particular value for the analysis of EU policies on indigenous peoples.

In addition, I have given two courses within the framework of the Arctic Studies Programme. In Spring 2011, I gave a course on Indigenous Peoples in International Politics. In Autumn 2011, together with two other researchers and acting as a principal tutor, I prepared and gave a course on Arctic Politics and Law. Furthermore, I have also took part in organization of various seminars and other events.

APPENDIX: DETAILED LISTING OF ACTIVITIES AND PUBLICATIONS WITHIN THE PhD STUDIES**Courses taken:**

- Perspectives to Global Social Development (20.01-31.03.2010, 5 ECTS)
- Human Rights and Development (15.03-19.05.2010, 5 ECTS)
- BANG scientific excursion (11-18.06.2010, 8 ECTS)
- PhD course "People in the changing world", Thule Institute (10.2010, 8 ECTS)
- Research ethics (01.2011, 3 ECTS)
- Academic writing in English (03.2011, 3 ECTS)
- Introduction to Semiotics (10.2011, 3 ECTS)
- Finnish language courses

The credits collected will include also: presentations in conferences and seminars, including faculty seminar, teaching in Arctic Studies Programme (both in Spring and Autumn 2011), earlier courses (prior to 2010) on Ethnopolitics, Qualitative methods, or Migrant and Refugees and Migration Policy.

I am still to take general exam in development doctrines and politics as well in constructivism. This was to be taken in Autumn 2011, but will be postponed till early Spring 2012 due to other engagements in October and November 2011.

Publications:***Publications and working papers directly relevant for the PhD project:***

- "Arctic Indigenous Peoples influencing Danish and Norwegian Development Cooperation with Indigenous Peoples in the Global South. Ideas and actors." *Polar Law Yearbook* 3 (2011). (written in 2010 and beginning 2011);
- Arktis Doctoral Programme seminar papers in 2010 and 2011, especially the paper written in 2011 is of relevance as big part of it will become element of one of the dissertation articles;
- Papers written for Annual PhD seminar at the Faculty of Social Sciences, University of Lapland, again, especially the one written in 2011 (developed further for ICASS VII conference and Polar Law Symposium) is of major relevance for the progress of my PhD research and drafting of the second PhD article.

Publications and papers relevant as background for PhD research or related studies:

- 2011: "Rola ludów rdzennych w budowaniu Arktyki jako regionu politycznego" ["The role of indigenous peoples in building the Arctic as a political region"], *Współpraca i rywalizacja międzynarodowa w Arktyce*, 2011 (in review).
- 2011: Koivurova, T. and A. Stepien, "How International Law Has Influenced the National Policy and Law Related to Indigenous Peoples in the Arctic?" *Waikato Law Review* 19 (2011): 123-143.
- 2011: "Pan-Saami integration in Nordic States and Russia", *Journal of the University of Warsaw Institute of Sociology*, Special issue on the stateless ethnic groups "Politics of Culture" (in print).
- 2011: Koivurova, T., ... and A. Stepien, "The present and future competence of the European Union in the Arctic," *Polar Record*, Cambridge University Press 2011, DOI: 10.1017/S0032247411000295. (part on EU policies relevant for Arctic indigenous peoples)
- 2010: Koivurova T., ... and A. Stepien, *EU competencies affecting the Arctic*, EP/EXPO/B/AFET/FWC/2009-01/LOT2/04, Directorate-General for External Policies of the Union, see
<http://www.europarl.europa.eu/activities/committees/studies/download.do?language=sv&file=33381>. (inter alia, chapter on indigenous peoples in EU policies)

- 2010: Ecologic Institute and others, *Arctic Footprint and Policy Assessment Report*, see http://arctic-footprint.eu/sites/default/files/AFPA_Final_Report.pdf (one of multiple authors, chapter on Arctic indigenous and local communities).
- 2009: Koivurova, T., H. Tervo and A. Stepień, "Polar Indigenous Peoples Are Threatened by Climate Change," in *The North and South Poles*, Opposing Viewpoints series, Greenhaven Press, Gale, pp. 101-106 .
- 2009: "Egység és szakadás között. Pánszámi együttm?ködés az északi országokban és Oroszországban" ["Between unity and division: Pan-Saami cooperation in Nordic States and Russia"], Pro Minoritate, Autumn 2009: 74-95.
- 2009: Background paper "General information paper on the guidelines and requirements for CEE states for incorporation of human rights into development policies" for Minority Rights Group Europe.

Chosen research activities:

1. Events significant for the research. I participated both in 2010 and 2011 in the Forum Conference on the Development Cooperation with Indigenous Peoples, organized in Tromsø, 25-26 October 2010, 12-13 October 2011. The conference is a meeting place for Norwegian aid workers and professionals dealing with indigenous issues, Saami politicians and activists interested in . I took part in sessions and proceedings of the conference, where I acquired.
2. Interviews conducted. I have altogether conducted over 20 interviews with Norwegian and Danish aid workers and officials, Saami and Greenlandic politicians and officials.
3. Document research. I have reviewed a significant number of documents referring to shaping of Norwegian and Danish development aid, indigenous-to-indigenous development assistance (with focus on Saami and Inuit organizations) as well as the shaping of the EU development aid policy. On 14-16 December 2011, I will travel to Oslo in order to retrieve further, otherwise unavailable, documents from Norwegian Aid Agency archives.

Data gathering plan for 2012:

Apart from drafting articles and proceeding with analysis I will proceed with gathering further data for studied cases:

- Research visit or short internship placement in the European Commission in order to retrieve documentation, especially internal communications and conduct interviews;
- Attendance at the session of the Expert Mechanism for the Rights of Indigenous Peoples in Geneva, June-July 2012, in order to conduct interviews with greater number (currently only few interviews conducted);
- Visit in the archives of Danish Development Aid Agency in order to retrieve various documents. Possibly as a part of study visit in International Work Group on Indigenous Affairs in Copenhagen. A series of additional interviews will be also conducted during this visit.

Scientific events, where I presented my PhD research:

- Arktis Graduate School Annual Seminar. 4-5 May 2010, "Politics of Development in the Arctic."
- Faculty of Social Sciences PhD seminar. 3-4 June 2010, University of Lapland. The seminar sums up the progress of FSS PhD students.
- Third Polar Law Symposium, University of Akureyri, Iceland, 9-11 September 2010. The Polar Law Symposium is a part of Polar Law conglomerate, with Polar Law Master/LLM Programme and Polar Law Yearbook.
- 7th International Kastelli Symposium "People in Changing World" organized on 18-19 November in Oulu, Finland. Participation as a part of a PhD training course taking place before the conference. Presentation given on student's PhD research on normative

- Seminar "Securing the Indigenous". 3 February 2011, Arktikumtalo, Presentation on early ideas connected with indigenous to indigenous development cooperation.
- Arktis Doctoral School 3-4 April 2011. First findings from the research on the issue of "indigenous to indigenous development cooperation" were presented discussing the role of "new indigenous knowledge" in development aid and certain challenges connected with participation of indigenous peoples in such undertaking. The comments and advice received contributed to the drafting process of the second article of the PhD dissertation.
- Calotte Academy 2011, 26.05-03.06.2011, Rovaniemi-Inari-Kirkenes-Apatity, Presentation on Nordic development aid for indigenous peoples in the context of idea of Nordic peace and challenges of transferring experience from North to the Global South.
- Faculty of Social Sciences Annual Seminar. May/June 2011. The seminar working paper cover progress of student's research, presenting the concepts for the second article (Indigenous to indigenous development aid) and first findings.
- Arktis Doctoral Programme and Aalto Design Graduate School joint summer school. Pyha, June 2011. I presented and discussed basic concepts to be used in my PhD as well as expanded my understanding of background for research methods and design of a PhD research.
- The Seventh International Congress of Arctic Social Sciences (ICASS VII). Akureyri, Iceland, June 22-26. Presentation on "Arctic indigenous peoples as development aid donors. Responsibility, legitimacy and capacity within the indigenous-to-indigenous cooperation"
- Polar Law Symposium 2011, 8-10 September 2011 (Nuuk, Greenland). Adam Stepien gave a presentation on "Indigenous to indigenous development cooperation: between responsibility and capacity. The case of Saami aid for Africa", which together with the paper presented for ICASS VII is to be developed into the second article of the PhD dissertation.

Conferences and seminars in which I had an opportunity to present my research were

Other events in which I participated:

- Conference "Crisis, Conflict, Development. Multifaceted Perspectives to Security", Helsinki, 11-12 February 2010. Presentation on human rights, vulnerable groups and aid conditionality within new EU Member States' development cooperation policies. The conference and the work on my own presentation (which was a result of my work in 2009), gave me a broader perspective on development aid and the present state of development studies.
- Conference "Politics of Culture. Perspectives in stateless nationalities and ethnic groups", 9-10 April 2010, Warsaw, Poland. I presented my previous research on Pan-Saami cooperation, which will result in an article published in the journal of the Institute of Sociology, Warsaw University.
- Conference "Conflict and cooperation in the Arctic" at the University of Lublin (UMCS), Poland, 27 October 2010. The presentation on the role of indigenous peoples in Arctic governance will result in an article published in one of the University of Lublin journals.

Planned conference/seminar presentations for 2012:

1. ARKTIS Doctoral School, Annual research seminar. April/May 2012.
2. BISA 2012 Conference (submitted, not confirmed), June 2012, Edinburgh, UK, Panel: *Subjects and Practices of Resistance in Global Politics*; Paper: *The In-between Subjects of Indigenous-To-Indigenous Development Cooperation: Northern Indigenous Groups, Indigenous Solidarity and the Neoliberal Aid Framework* (submitted as a part of a panel application).