

## Governance of Arctic Shipping: Recent Developments & Prospects

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15 November 2018, Thursday

3pm-4.30pm

NUS Bukit Timah Campus, 469 Bukit Timah Road, Block B, Level 5 Seminar Room 5-5, Singapore 259756 This seminar features three visiting experts: Captain Ashley Roach, Professor Aldo Chircop and Professor Henrik Ringbom.

Captain Ashley Roach will provide a brief overview of the trends in Arctic shipping and in the regulation of shipping in the Arctic. This will include the relevance of the 1982 Law of the Sea Convention, IMO Conventions (including the Polar Code), the Arctic Council and national legislation of the Arctic States. He will also briefly summarise the main points in the Arctic Policy released by China in 2018.

Professor Aldo Chircop will focus primarily on the how Canada has implemented the Polar Code and on concerns in Canada relating to HFOs and non-SOLAS vessels in Canadian waters.

Professor Henrik Ringbom will focus on legal questions linked to marine pollution response in the Arctic, including the sharing of duties, costs and liabilities for joint response operations under the 2013 MOSPA Agreement.



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