

# Arctic Leadership Initiative Student Cohort

Deadline for application: January 6, 2025

Notification by January 20, 2025

## Opportunity Overview:

The Arctic Leadership Initiative is searching for undergraduate and graduate students to participate in an Arctic Leadership Initiative student cohort. This Spring, the student cohort will meet monthly with postdocs and early career faculty in the initiative to develop networking skills. The cohort will also attend a leadership retreat and Arctic Encounter Symposium in Anchorage from April 1-4, 2025 where they will meet with Arctic leaders from around the world. Applicants must be able to attend lectures provided as a part of the Arctic Leadership course (PS 493 or PS 693) and attend monthly cohort discussions in the lead up to the April retreat and Arctic Encounter Symposium. A tuition waiver is available for those wishing to take the class for credit.



## Eligibility:

- Must be willing to attend full-day retreat in Anchorage April 1, 2025 and Arctic Encounter Symposium in Anchorage April, 2-4, 2025. (Travel expenses and registration will be paid.)
- Must be enrolled in and taking at least one course in any major or program at any University of Alaska campus in Spring 2025; priority given to graduate students and undergraduates of junior or senior status.
- Must be 18 or older.

## Benefits:

- Enhance leadership skills and build a network of career collaborators.
- Tuition waiver available for Arctic Leadership course. (PS 493 or PS 693)
- Airfare, lodging, registration and per diem paid to Anchorage for cohort retreat and Arctic Encounter Symposium (April 1-4).
- Networking opportunities with Alaska and Arctic leaders.
- \$1,000 award (transferred to your student account).

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