







AIM OF THE INSTITUTE

The "Malaurie Institute of Arctic Research – Monaco-UVSQ" (MIARC) is dedicated to research and training in the Arctic Humanities and the study of Professor Jean Malaurie's circumpolar work and research in the Arctic Humanities.

Its activities are inspired by and valorize the Arctic collections of Jean Malaurie, France's most distinguished Arctic specialist, donated by him in 2021 to the Oceanographic Institute/Foundation Prince Albert I of Monaco and Jean Malaurie's extensive circumpolar scientific oeuvre and writings, as well as the egalitarian spirit of Terre Humaine, the prestigious book series of narrative ethnography and testimonies founded by Malaurie at Plon Publishers in 1955.



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PUBLICATIONS

INTER-NORD

MIARC publishes online the transdisciplinary review *Inter-Nord* created by Jean Malaurie.

BOOK SERIES "ARCTIC HUMANITIES"

MIARC's director is chief editor of the book series "Arctic Humanities" published by Brill (Leiden-Boston).

MASTER IN ARCTIC STUDIES

MIARC is one of the participating research centres of the Interdisciplinary Master 2 in Arctic Studies (Humanities and environmental science) directed by Jan Borm (MIARC/UVSQ) and Julien Jumelet (LATMOS/UVSQ) at the Université Paris-Saclay. More than 100 students have graduated from this programme since its creation in 2010.

FUNDING AND STRUCTURE

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Professor Jean Malaurie is MIARC's Honorary President. The Institute is directed by Professor Jan Borm. An international team of researchers issued from various disciplines develop the pluridisciplinary activities of the Institute.

COOPERATION AND EVENTS

MIARC actively cooperates notably with:

- the University of the Arctic (UARCTIC), in particular within the framework of the UARCTIC Chair in ARCTIC HUMANITIES held by Professor Borm for a five-year term (2022-27).
- the German Polar Institute Alfred Wegener (AWI) with whom Professor Borm has been organizing the "Gateway to the Arctic" annual workshops for early stage researchers, funded by the Franco-German University in Saarbrücken since 2011.
- the University of Lapland at Rovaniemi (ULAP), Finland.
- the University of Quebec in Montreal (UQAM), Canada.
- the University of Greenland.
- the University of Iceland.
- the University of the Faroe Islands.

and many other institutions/organisations with an Arctic focus.