

# Arctic Science Funders Forum

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## Organisation

- Established after Arctic Science Ministerial 2 (ASM2) – Berlin 2018
- 26 member countries, and EU, and six indigenous peoples' organisations (ASM)

### Working Procedures adopted in October 2021

- IASC has an advisory and/or consultative role and providing logistical support
- Chair and vice-chair appointed by the upcoming and previous host countries of ASM



## Arctic Science Funders Forum (ASFF)

- A multilateral discussion platform for funders to initiate and investigate new and enhanced collaborative scientific activities in the Arctic
- A soft coordination body
- Develop bi- and multilateral research funding programmes
- Consider “big ideas”
- Communicate priorities, activities and opportunities





## **Session: Arctic Science Funders Forum – connecting funders and scientists on Arctic research planning and international collaboration 24 March 2024 | 16:00 - 18:00 (UK)**

- ASFF connection to ICARP IV
- Involvement in and expectations to ASFF
- Group discussions
  - What should the priorities for Arctic funders be towards the next IPY?
  - What role should funders have in IPY and ICARP IV?

