

# WP 1 – Coordination and management

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## Aims of the WP1

The main objectives of this Work Package are to facilitate and ensure:

- the smooth operation of the consortium
- the integration of various work packages to achieve synergy
- the successful and timely completion of the agreed tasks to yield the specified deliverables and reach the agreed milestones on time
- the achievement of innovation and state-of-the-art activities in coordinating and delivering outreach

## Partners involved in WP1



**LUND**  
UNIVERSITY

*general administration*



The  
University  
Of  
Sheffield.

*mentoring*



*project management tool*

# Partners involved in the WP



## Daily Management Group

is composed by responsible for:

- Project Management
- Scientific Coordination
- Station Manager's Forum
- Transnational Access

# Partners involved in the WP

## General Assembly







## Achievements so far – Deliverables and Milestones

So far in the project **5 milestones** have been reached

M1.1 - INTERACT Web portal

M1.2 - Tutorials and Webex schedule available on the portal

M1.3 - Formation of the daily management group

M1.4 - Formation of International Advisory Board

M1.5 - Formation of Trans-national access evaluation board and  
virtual access board (the selection panel)

and **6 deliverables** have been approved.

D1.1 - Minutes from Kick-off meeting

D1.2 - Minutes from 1st Annual meeting

D1.6 - Transformed web portal

D1.11 - 1° Newsletter

D1.12 - 2° Newsletter

D1.13 - 3° Newsletter



# Achievements so far – Project Meetings

## General Assembly

Kick off meeting, Reykjavik 2017  
Annual Meeting, Svalbard 2017  
Annual Meeting, Salekhard 2018



## Daily Management Group

Lund, 2016  
Reykjavik, 2016  
Online meeting, 2017  
Örenäs, 2017  
Online meeting, 2018  
Borgo San Marco, 2018



## Achievements so far – External meetings and workshops

INTERACT has been presented at least  
**two meetings/conferences per month**





# Achievements so far – External meetings and workshops

**UARCTIC  
CONGRESS  
2018**

SEPTEMBER 03 – 07, 2018  
OULU & HELSINKI, FINLAND



**ARCTIC CIRCLE**



**ISAR**  
International Symposium on  
Arctic Research

**GEO-XIII PLENARY**

St. Petersburg, Russian Federation  
7–10 November 2016



**COP23 | FIJI**  
UN CLIMATE CHANGE CONFERENCE  
**BONN 2017**



**Arctic  
Change** 2017

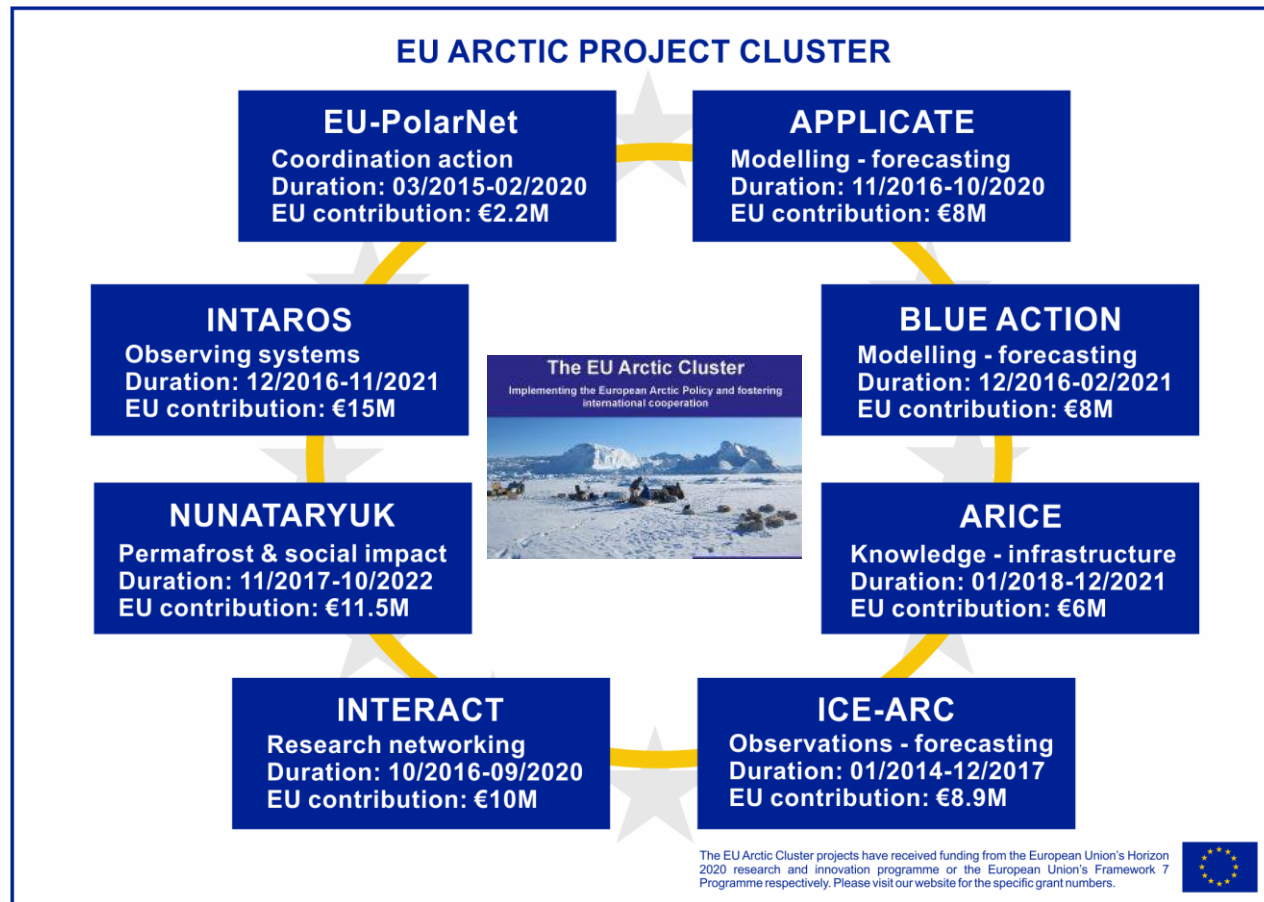
**EGU** General  
Assembly  
#EGU17



**INSIGHT FOR A  
CHANGING WORLD  
GEO WEEK 2017**  
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WASHINGTON, D.C., USA

**INTER⇌ACT**

# Achievements so far – EU collaboration



# Achievements so far – International collaboration



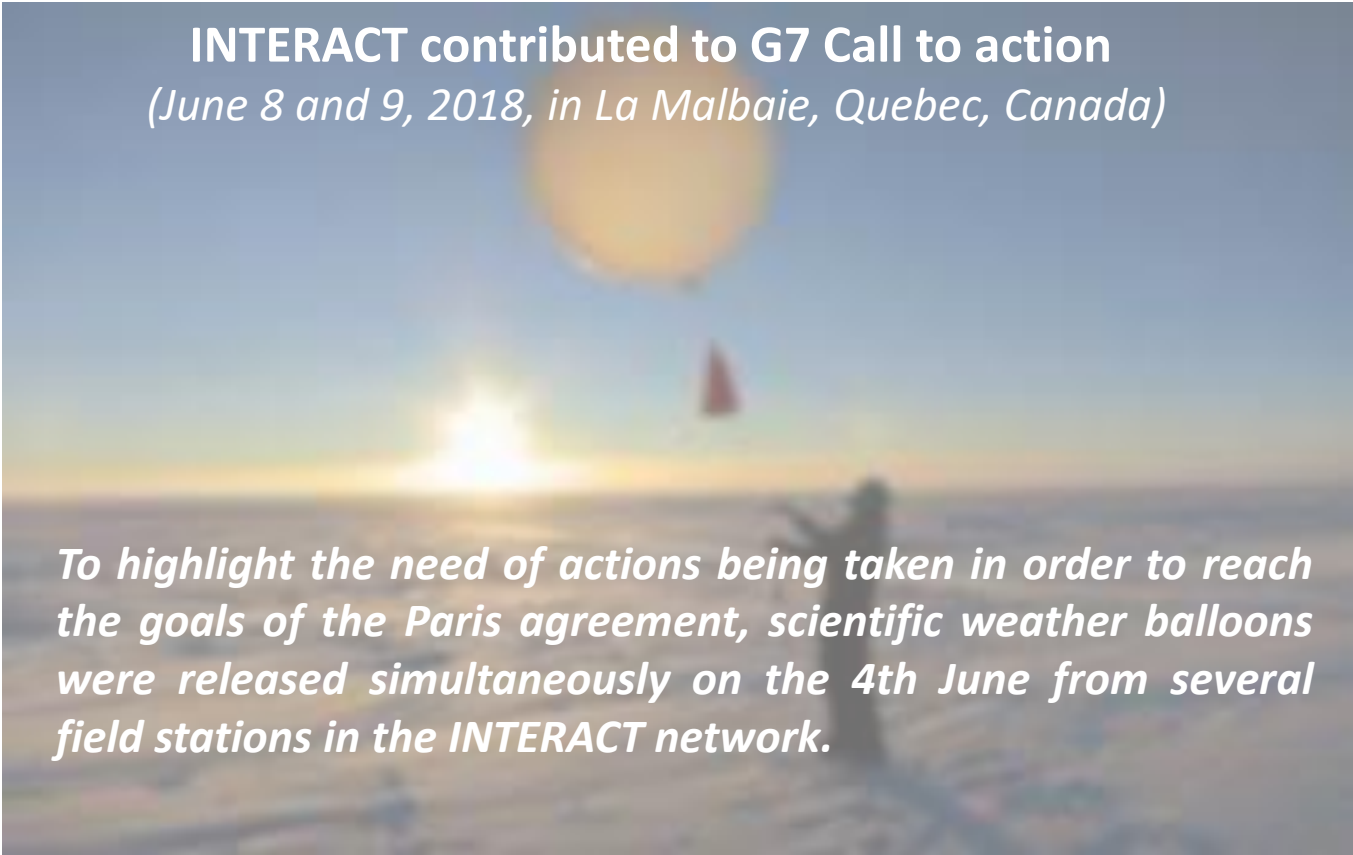
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## Achievements so far – International collaboration

**INTERACT contributed to G7 Call to action**  
*(June 8 and 9, 2018, in La Malbaie, Quebec, Canada)*

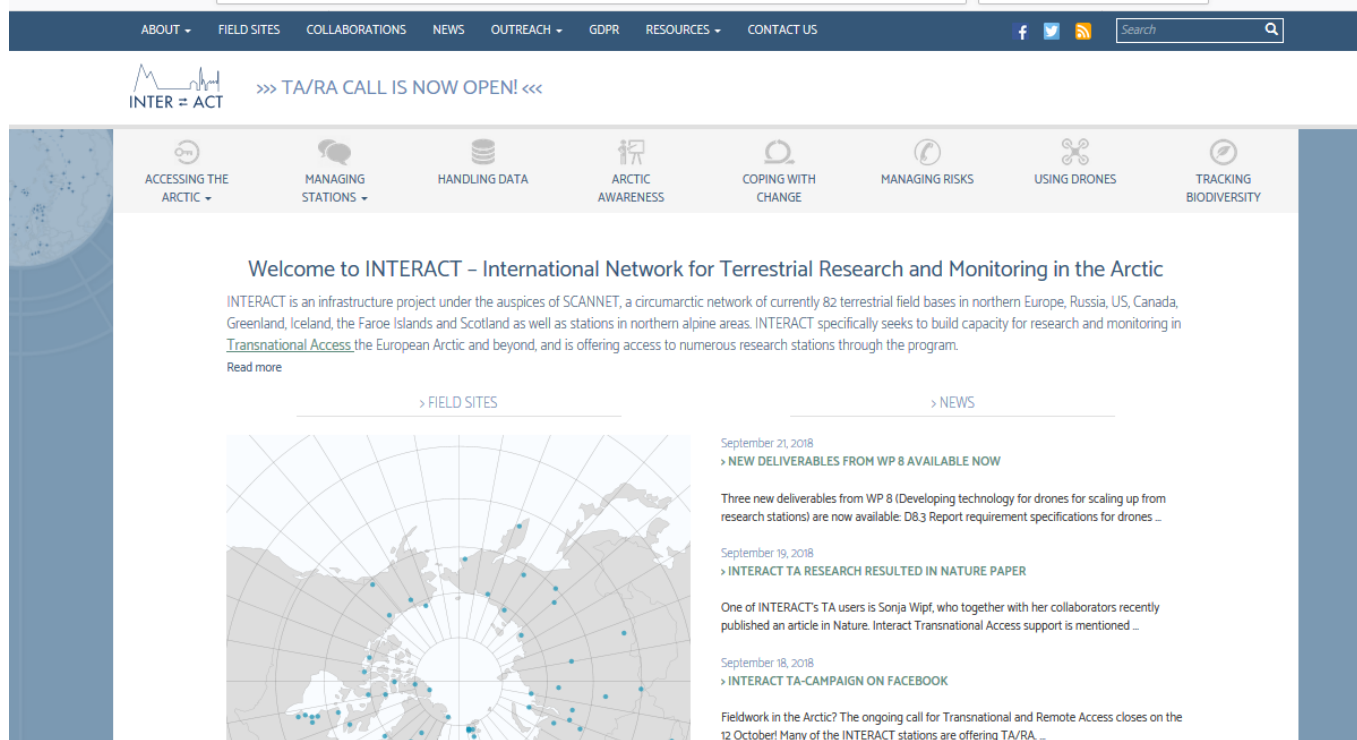


*To highlight the need of actions being taken in order to reach the goals of the Paris agreement, scientific weather balloons were released simultaneously on the 4th June from several field stations in the INTERACT network.*



# Achievements so far - Outreach

<https://eu-interact.org/>



The screenshot shows the homepage of the eu-interact.org website. At the top is a dark blue navigation bar with links: ABOUT, FIELD SITES, COLLABORATIONS, NEWS, OUTREACH, GDPR, RESOURCES, and CONTACT US. Social media icons for Facebook, Twitter, and RSS are on the right, along with a search bar. Below the navigation bar is a banner with the INTER = ACT logo and the text '>>> TA/RA CALL IS NOW OPEN! <<<'. A horizontal menu below the banner contains icons and labels for: ACCESSING THE ARCTIC, MANAGING STATIONS, HANDLING DATA, ARCTIC AWARENESS, COPING WITH CHANGE, MANAGING RISKS, USING DRONES, and TRACKING BIODIVERSITY. The main content area features a welcome message: 'Welcome to INTERACT – International Network for Terrestrial Research and Monitoring in the Arctic'. It describes INTERACT as an infrastructure project under SCANNET, a circumpolar network of 82 terrestrial field bases. It mentions that INTERACT seeks to build capacity for research and monitoring in Transnational Access, offering access to numerous research stations. Below this, there are two columns of news. The left column is titled '> FIELD SITES' and features a map of the Arctic region with blue dots indicating field sites. The right column is titled '> NEWS' and contains three news items: 1. 'NEW DELIVERABLES FROM WP 8 AVAILABLE NOW' dated September 21, 2018, mentioning three new deliverables from WP 8 (Developing technology for drones for scaling up from research stations) are now available: DB3 Report requirement specifications for drones. 2. 'INTERACT TA RESEARCH RESULTED IN NATURE PAPER' dated September 19, 2018, mentioning one of INTERACT's TA users is Sonja Wipf, who together with her collaborators recently published an article in Nature. 3. 'INTERACT TA-CAMPAIGN ON FACEBOOK' dated September 18, 2018, mentioning fieldwork in the Arctic and the ongoing call for Transnational and Remote Access closes on the 12 October.

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Welcome to INTERACT – International Network for Terrestrial Research and Monitoring in the Arctic

INTERACT is an infrastructure project under the auspices of SCANNET, a circumpolar network of currently 82 terrestrial field bases in northern Europe, Russia, US, Canada, Greenland, Iceland, the Faroe Islands and Scotland as well as stations in northern alpine areas. INTERACT specifically seeks to build capacity for research and monitoring in [Transnational Access](#) the European Arctic and beyond, and is offering access to numerous research stations through the program.

[Read more](#)

> FIELD SITES

> NEWS

September 21, 2018  
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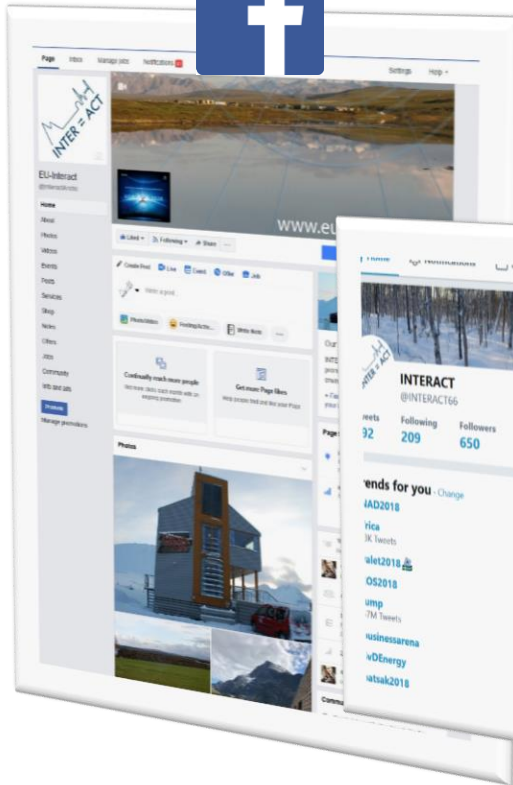
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> INTERACT TA RESEARCH RESULTED IN NATURE PAPER

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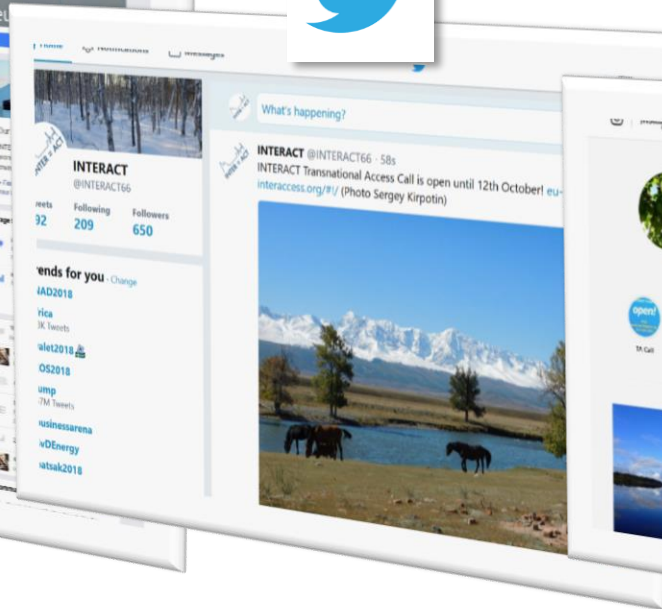
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> INTERACT TA-CAMPAIGN ON FACEBOOK

Fieldwork in the Arctic? The ongoing call for Transnational and Remote Access closes on the 12 October! Many of the INTERACT stations are offering TA/RA. ...

# Achievements so far - Outreach



INTERACT in the Social Media



# Achievements so far - Outreach





## Planned and Used Resources

	<b>BUDGET</b>	<b>Actual costs</b>	
<b>Personnel</b>	3.766.838,00	1.123.309,20	29,8%
<b>Other direct cost</b>	2.903.770,00	622.063,59	21,4%
<b>ACCESS</b>	1.661.740,00	270.817,00	16,3%
<b>TOTAL</b>	10.000.000,00	2.452.533,04	<b>24,5%</b>





## Added value

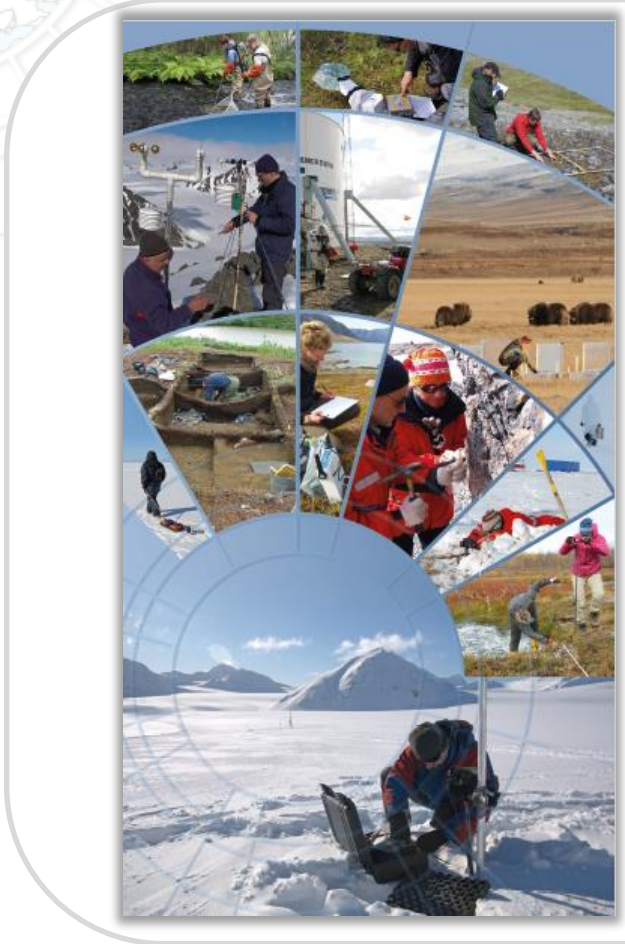
- Self funded joint research activity; a collaboration between INTERACT and IK Foundation.
- Five new stations: 77 stations have now grown into 82
- Expanding the network of INTERACT with relevant regional and global organisations
- Specific events organized at major conferences such as the INTERACT Base Camp at the Arctic Circle in Reykjavik in October 2017.
- INTERACT has played a major role in uniting Russian institutions, decision makers and indigenous peoples within a new Siberian Environmental Change Network.

## Deviations from workplan

### Deliverable D1.7 First Advisory Board Report

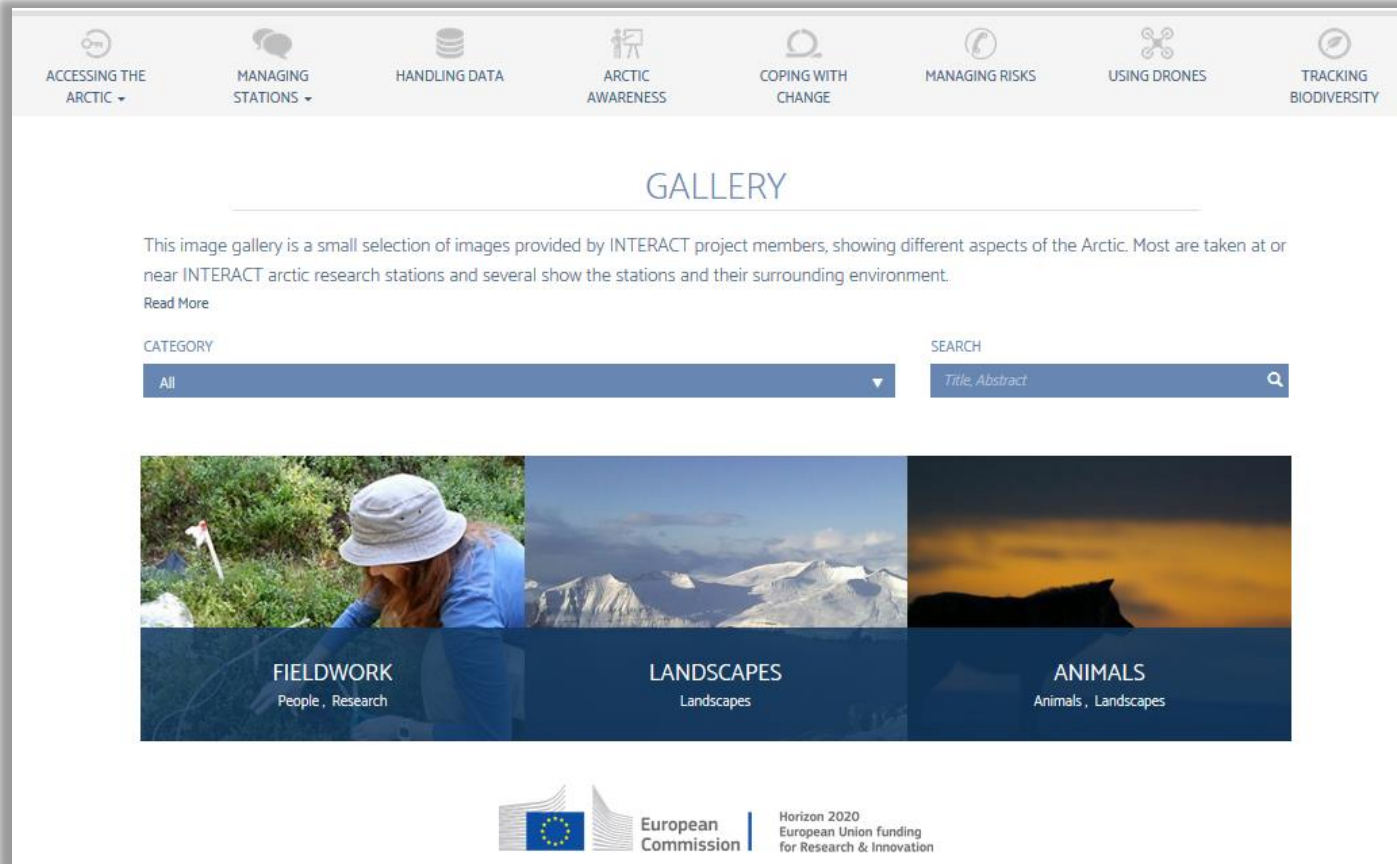
*Redefined the role of the International Advisory Board to use their expertise on the long term sustainability of INTERACT rather than to advice on the day-to-day running of the project.*





*Secure sustainable  
networking!*

# Thanks for your attention



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