**ARCTIC STATE INSTITUTE OF CULTURE AND ARTS**

**Information letter**

**Dear colleagues!**

On December 10-11, 2020, the Arctic State Institute of Culture and Arts (Yakutsk) will host the International Scientific Online Conference "Arctic Circumpolar Civilization: Human Capital". The conference is dedicated to the 20th anniversary of the scientific, educational and creative activity of the institute. The Institute forms a cadre of culture and art workers for Sakha (Yakutia), for the republics Altai, Tyva, Khakassia, Evenkiysky and Taimyrsky Dolgano-Nenetsky districts of Krasnoyarsk Krai, Kamchatka Krai, Chukotka Autonomous Okrug, Amur and Irkutsk Oblasts, fulfilling the high mission of preserving and enhancing the spiritual and artistic heritage of peoples of the North of Russia. The anniversary conference is designed to assess the contribution of the Institute to the development of geocultural and humanitarian research in the Arctic, as well as to discuss the potential of the institute’s influence on the socio-economic, cultural and political processes taking place in a society.

The sessions of the conference:

* Values ​​of the Arctic circumpolar civilization;
* Human capital in education and culture of the peoples of the Arctic;
* Folk art culture of the peoples of the Arctic as a fundamental mission of the institute;
* Cultural practices in the development of the Arctic heritage: educational, research, innovative approaches;
* Integrated geocultural research of the Arctic;
* Information and library technologies as part of the creative economy of the region;
* Contemporary professional art in the Arctic: main trends;
* Creative industries and visual plastic arts of the Arctic.

Working languages of the conference: Russian, Sakha (Yakut), English.

Form of participation in the conference: oral (on-line), poster presentation.

The conference proceedings will be published and registered in the national bibliographic database of scientific citation RSCI (Russian Science Citation Index - http://elibrary.ru).

Participation is free of charge. To participate in the conference, please, apply online by December 1, 2020 by filling out the form <https://cutt.ly/ugFeYuv>

Organizing committee

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