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ᐱᓕᕆᐊᖑᔪᑉ ᐊᑎᖓ: The “Peat Expansion in Arctic Tundra (Baffin Island) - Pattern, Process and the Implication for
the Carbon Cycle” project

ᓇᖕᒥᓂᖃᖅᑐᑉ ᐊᑎᖓ: Bowdoin College

ᐱᓕᕆᐊᖑᔪᖅ: Research ᐊᕕᒃᓯᒪᓂᖓ: Qikiqtani (South Baffin) Region

ᐊᕙᑎᓕᕆᔨᒃᑯᑦ ᖃᕆᑕᐅᔭᖓᓐᓂ: www.nirb.ca Application No.: 125456

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ᐱᓕᕆᐊᖑᓂᐊᖅᑐᖅ:

ᐱᓕᕆᐊᖑᓂᐊᖅᑐᖅ “Peat Expansion in Arctic Tundra (Baffin Island) - Pattern, Process and the Implication for the Carbon Cycle” ᐊᕕᒃᓯᒪᓂᖓᓂ ᓄᓇᓕᐅᑉ ᓇᓂᔭᐅᔪᖕᓇᖅᑐᖅ ᐅᕙᓐᓂ Qikiqtani (South Baffin) ᐅᖓᓯᖕᓂᖃᕐᖢᓂ 400 ᑭᓚᒦᑐᔅ ᓄᓇᓕᖕᒥᑦ Iqaluit. ᓇᖕᒥᓂᖃᖅᑐᖅ ᐱᓕᕆᐊᖃᐳᐊᖅᐳᖅ ᐅᑯᓂᖓ a study focusing on the response of Arctic ecosystems to climate warming, including effects on carbon uptake by wetland vegetation and soils or peat ‘patches’. ᐱᓕᕆᐊᖑᓂᐊᖅᑐᖅ ᐊᑯᓂᐅᑎᒋᓂᐊᖅᐳᖅ ᐅᕙᖓᑦ July 2019. ᐱᓕᕆᐊᖑᓂᐊᖅᑐᖅ ᓇᓗᓇᐃᖅᑕᐅᓯᒪᔪᖅ ᓄᓇᕘᒥ ᐊᕙᑎᓕᕆᔨᑯᓐᓂᑦ ᐅᑯᓂᖓ ᐱᓕᕆᐊᖃᕐᓂᐊᕐᓗᓂ:
▪ Use of helicopter for aerial reconnaissance of each
research area to determine preferred sampling
location;
▪ Use of two (2) hand-held soil corers to obtain at least
ten (10) soil samples (10 cm x 150 cm each) per
location

▪ Collection of vegetation samples for export to the
United States of America (USA
▪ Installation of one (1) 200 cm x 100 cm meteorological
station at each location for a period of 2 to 3 days

ᐊᕙᑎᓕᕆᔨᒃᑯᑦ ᖃᕆᑕᐅᔭᒃᑯᑦ ᖃᐅᔨᒪᔪᑎᖓᑦ ᑕᑯᔪᖕᓇᕐᓂᐊᖅᐸᓯ ᑎᑎᖃᖃᕐᖢᓂ NIRB File No.: 19YN016 ᐱᓕᕆᐊᖑᓂᐊᖅᑐᑦ ᐃᓗᓕᖏᓐᓂᒃ, ᓄᓇᖑᐊᕐᓂᒃ, ᐃᓄᖕᓂᓪᓗ ᐅᖃᕐᕕᒃᓴᒥᒃ ᑎᑎᕋᕐᕕᒃᓴᖃᕐᖢᓂ.
ᐅᖃᐅᓯᒃᓴᓂᒃ ᑐᒃᓯᕋᐅᑦ
ᐃᓚᐅᖃᑕᐅᖁᔭᐅᒐᓗᐊᖅᐳᑎᑦ ᐅᖃᐅᓯᒃᓴᖃᕐᓗᑎᑦ ᐊᕙᑎᓕᕆᔨᒃᑯᓐᓄᑦ ᐱᓕᕆᐊᖑᓂᐊᖅᑐᒧᑦ ᖃᓄᖅ ᐃᓱᒪᖕᒪᖔᖅᐲᑦ ᐅᑯᓂᖓ:

▪ ᐃᓄᖕᓄᑦ ᐃᓱᒫᓗᒋᔭᒃᓴᓂᒃ ᐱᑕᖃᕐᒪᖔᑦ, ᐱᑕᖃᕐᓂᖅᐸᓪᓗ ᓱᓇᐅᖕᒪᖔᑖ;
▪ ᓄᓇᒧᑦ ᐊᕙᑎᑉᑎᖕᓄᓪᓗ ᐃᓅᓯᕐᒧᑦ ᐱᕙᓪᓕᐊᓂᕐᒧᓪᓗ ᐊᒃᑐᐃᓇᔭᕐᓂᖅᐸᑦ, ᓱᓇᐅᖕᒪᖔᑖᓘ;
▪ ᓂᕐᔪᑎᓂᒃ ᐱᓱᒡᕕᖏᓐᓂᒡᓗ ᐊᖑᓇᓱᖕᓂᕐᒥᒡᓗ ᐊᒃᑐᐃᓇᔭᕐᒪᖔᑦ, ᐊᒃᑐᐃᓇᔭᕐᓂᖅᐸᑦ, ᓱᓇᐅᖕᒪᖔᑖ;
▪ ᐊᒃᑐᐃᓇᔭᕐᓂᖏᑦ ᓱᓇᐅᓇᔭᕐᒪᖔᑖ ᖃᓄᕐᓗ ᒥᐊᓂᕆᔭᐅᔪᖕᓇᕐᒪᖔᑦ ᐊᒃᑐᐃᑕᐃᓕᓗᓐᓂ ᐊᒻᒪ ᖃᓄᖅ ᐱᓕᕆᐊᖑᔪᖕᓇᕐᒪᖔᑖ.

ᑎᒥᐅᔪᑦ ᐃᓚᐅᖃᑕᐅᖁᔭᐅᕗᑦ ᐊᒃᑐᐃᑕᐃᓕᔪᑎᒃᓴᓂᒃ ᖃᐅᔨᒪᓐᓂᖅᐸᑕ ᓇᓗᓇᐃᖅᓯᖁᔭᐅᑉᓗᑎᒃ, ᐊᑐᕐᓂᖃᖅᑐᓪᓗ ᐅᖃᐅᓯᕆᓗᒋᑦ ᐱᓕᕆᐊᖑᓂᐊᖅᑐᒥᑦ ᓄᓇᕘᒥ ᐊᕙᑎᓕᕆᔨᒃᑯᓐᓄᑦ.

ᑐᓴᖅᑎᑕᐅᓇᔭᖅᑐᑦ

ᓄᓇᕗᒻᒥ ᐊᕙᑎᓕᕆᔨᒃᑯᑦ ᑲᑎᒪᔨᖏᑦ ᒫᓐᓇᕋᑖᖅ ᓴᖅᑭᑎᑦᑎᓯᒪᔪᑦ ᓄᑖᙳᕆᐊᖅᑐᒥ ᖃᕋᓴᐅᔭᑎᒍᑦ ᐃᓄᓕᒫᓄᑦ ᐊᑎᓕᐅᖅᑕᐅᕕᖕᒥᑦ,
ᐊᒻᒪᓗ ᐃᓚᐅᖃᑕᐅᔪᑦ ᐊᑐᐃᓐᓇᖃᕈᓐᓇᖅᓯᕗᑦ ᐱᓕᕆᐊᒃᓴᐅᔪᓂ ᐅᖃᐅᓯᒃᓴᓂ ᐊᒻᒪᓗᑦᑕᐅᖅ ᑐᓂᓯᓗᑎᒃ ᐅᖃᐅᓯᒃᓴᒥᓂᑦ ᑕᐃᑯᖓᓪᓚᕆᒃ

ᓄᓇᕗᒻᒥ ᐊᕙᑎᓕᕆᔨᒃᑯᑦ ᑲᑎᒪᔨᖏᓐᓄᑦ ᐅᕘᓇ http://www.nirb.ca. ᐅᖃᐅᓯᒃᓴᓕᐅᕈᓐᓇᖅᐳᓯ ᑕᐃᑯᖓᓪᓚᕆᒃ ᓄᓇᕗᒻᒥ ᐊᕙᑎᓕᕆᔨᒃᑯᑦ ᑲᑎᒪᔨᖏᓐᓄᑦ ᖃᕋᓴᐅᔭᑎᑦ ᑎᑎᕋᕐᕕᒃᓴᐅᔪᒧᑦ ᐅᕗᖓ info@nirb.ca. ᐅᕝᕙᓘᓐᓃᑦ ᓱᒃᑲᔪᒃᑯᑦ ᐅᕗᖓ (867) 983-2594−ᒧᑦ.

ᐊᐱᖁᓯᒃᓴᖃᕐᓂᕈᕕᑦ ᑐᑭᓯᑲᓂᕈᐊᕐᓂᕈᕕᓪᓗ ᐱᓕᕆᐊᖑᓂᐊᖅᑐᒥᒃ ᐅᕙᓘᕙ ᐊᕙᑎᓕᕆᔨᒃᑯᑦ ᖃᐅᔨᓴᕐᓂᖓᓐᓂᒃ, ᑐᓴᖅᑎᑦᓯᓂᐊᖅᐳᑎᑦ ᐆᒥᖓ Erin Reimer, Technical Advisor I ᐅᖃᓘᑖᑦ ᐊᑭᖃᖏᑐᖅ 1-866-233-3033 ᖃᕆᑕᐅᔭᒃᑯᓗ ᑐᕉᕋᑎᖓᑦ ereimer@nirb.ca.