Thematic Network on Collaborative Online International Learning and Biodiversity Education across the Arctic Circle (COIL@UArctic),

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Activities 2023

Outreach:

- Introducing UArctic network and our new Thematic network for YUFE (Young Universities for the Future of Europe) partners in an BioYUFE working group meeting in Rijeka, Croatia
- Participation in The Rovaniemi Arctic Spirit Conference
- Development of COIL@UArctic Toolkit, Training, and Resources https://www.uarctic.org/news/2023/8/coil-uarctic-thematic-network-is-looking-for-existing-coil-projects-organised-by-uarctic-members/

  https://www.uarctic.org/news/2023/12/coil-uarctic-thematic-network-update/

- UArctic video interview with TN leads https://vimeo.com/874699441

Conducted and planned activities 2024:

- New open access web-resource on Collaborative Online International Learning: https://www.uarctic.org/news/2024/2/new-open-access-web-resource-on-collaborative-online-international-learning/
- Attending Sustainability Days at University of Eastern Finland, Kuopio and Joensuu Campus, Display booth of biodiversity education including COIL@UArctic. https://www.uarctic.org/news/2024/3/sustainability-days-at-the-university-of-eastern-finland-uef/
- Webinar: Introduction to COIL@UArctic event https://www.uarctic.org/news/2024/3/coil-uarctic-event-collaborative-online-international-learning-in-the-arctic-recording-available/
- Collaborative Online International Learning Workshop https://www.uarctic.org/news/2024/3/collaborative-online-international-learning-workshop/
- COIL@UArctic goes to the Arctic Congress Bodø 2024 https://www.uarctic.org/news/2024/3/coil-uarctic-at-the-arctic-congress-bodo-2024/
- Conference abstract to the Nordic Symposium of Tourism and Hospitality
- Bi-monthly workshop programme on Collaborative Online International Learning in the Arctic

- COIL@UArctic will host a “World Café” in the next EAIE (European Association for International Education) Conference in Toulouse, France, September 17-20, 2024, with title: COIL and sustainability education in the Arctic region: Developing the COIL@UArctic network. https://www.eaie.org/events/toulouse/programme/session-types.html
- Planning further COIL@UArctic webinars and updates to the website resources during the folllowing twelve month period. The intention is to continue building and growing the network membership and COIL project activity.