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Abstract - text box

Arctic Development is a transnational project which requires a collective effort from all disciplines and geographies. As a citizen of Nepal, the country of all-season-snow Himalayas and Mt. Everest, I explore the urgent necessity of collaboration between the (South) Asian nations (Nepal, India, Pakistan, China, Bhutan, Sri Lanka, Bangladesh, Afghanistan and Maldives) to act for the Arctic Environment for the protection of the cooling Himalayan Region. Even though, the nations have different national interests in terms of political ideology, the geopolitical location of all the nations is unchangeable and fixed. That being said, Arctic Region is the harbinger of cooling air and water for the earth in all ages. Therefore, I strongly propose for an Arctic-South Asia Collaboration for a sustainable Arctic Global Project.