

Welcome to a Polar Week Live Event!

Connecting to the Poles!

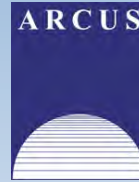
with researchers

Allen Pope

and Anne-Mathilde Thierry

Tuesday, 18 September 2012

5am Alaska Daylight Time [6am PDT, 7am MDT, 8am CDT, 9am EDT, 13:00 GMT]



What is Polar Week?



16-22 September 2012

A GLOBAL celebration of the polar regions, each equinox, every year!

Partnering with the Arctic Research Consortium of the United States (ARCUS) and Polar Educators International (PEI)

Join in the fun of science and learn more about all the activities at:

<http://www.apecs.is/outreach/polar-week/polar-week-september-2012>

Blackboard collaborate

Slides will be shown here

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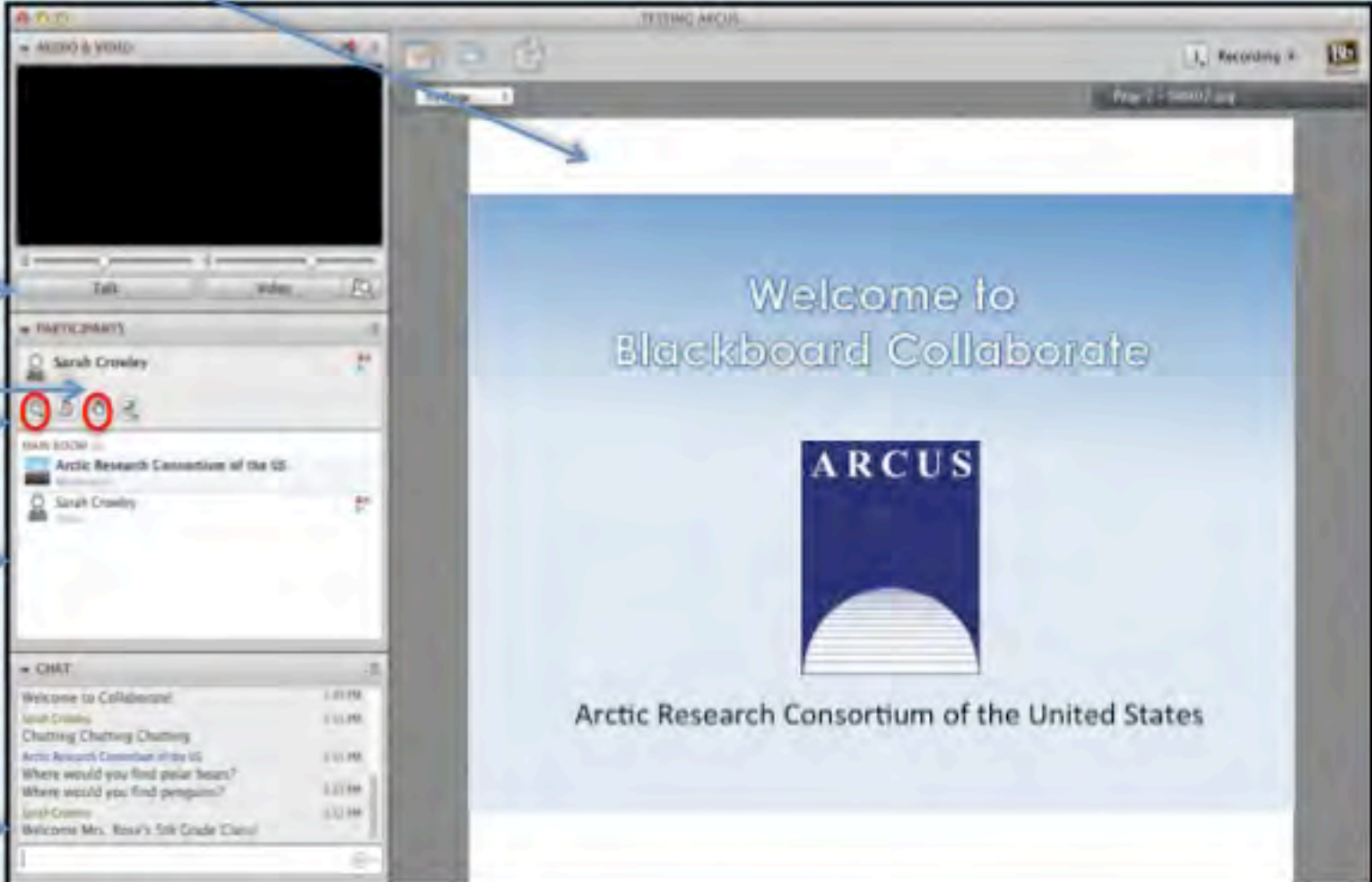
Click to Talk,
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Raise your hand to ask a question

Share with emoticons

List of all participants

Chat with one person or the entire group



The screenshot shows the Blackboard Collaborate interface. The main area displays a presentation slide with the text "Welcome to Blackboard Collaborate" and the ARCUS logo (Arctic Research Consortium of the United States). The left sidebar contains several panels: a "TALK" panel with a microphone icon, a "PARTICIPANTS" panel listing "Sarah Crowley" with a hand icon, a "CHAT ROOM" panel with a list of messages, and a "CHAT" panel with a text input field. Arrows from the text labels on the left point to these specific interface elements.

Please Note:

- Participants using the telephone can mute/unmute by **pressing *6** on the phone.
- Today's event will be recorded and archived.

Questions

During the Presentation:

- Type your question in the text chat box

At the End of the Presentation:

- Raise your hand with the “hand button”.
- PolarTREC staff will call on you.
- Speak loud and clear and directly into the phone to ask your question.

Click on the Talk button to speak.

Unclick when you are done.

Participant Introductions

Type in the chat box:

- ✓ Name
- ✓ School / Institution
- ✓ The number of students and adults participating with you in the same location

Connecting to the Poles with...



Allen Pope



**Anne-Mathilde
Thierry**

Connecting to the Poles with...



Allen Pope

Through a love of the outdoors, Allen came to develop a fascination with glaciers and all things polar. As an undergrad studying chemistry and earth sciences. Allen's graduate work includes using satellite imagery to monitor changes to glaciers in the Arctic.

He feels lucky that his research has taken him to far-flung places like Svalbard, Iceland, northern Sweden, Alaska, and Antarctica's Dry Valleys.

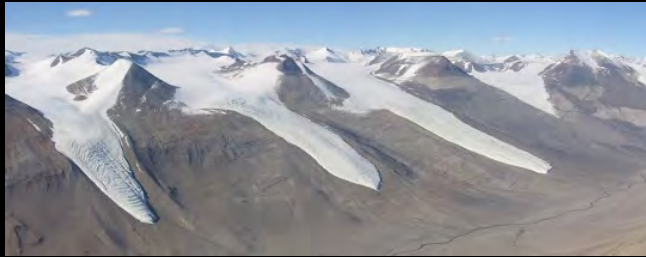
Measuring Glaciers Around the World

Allen Pope



Alaska





Antarctica



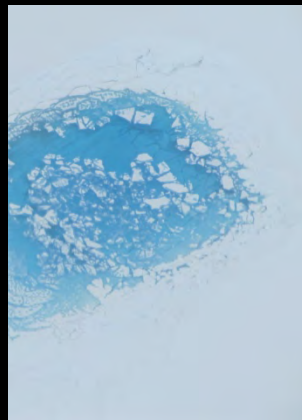


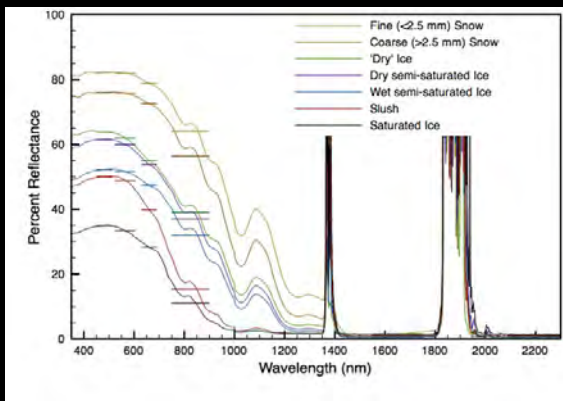
Sweden





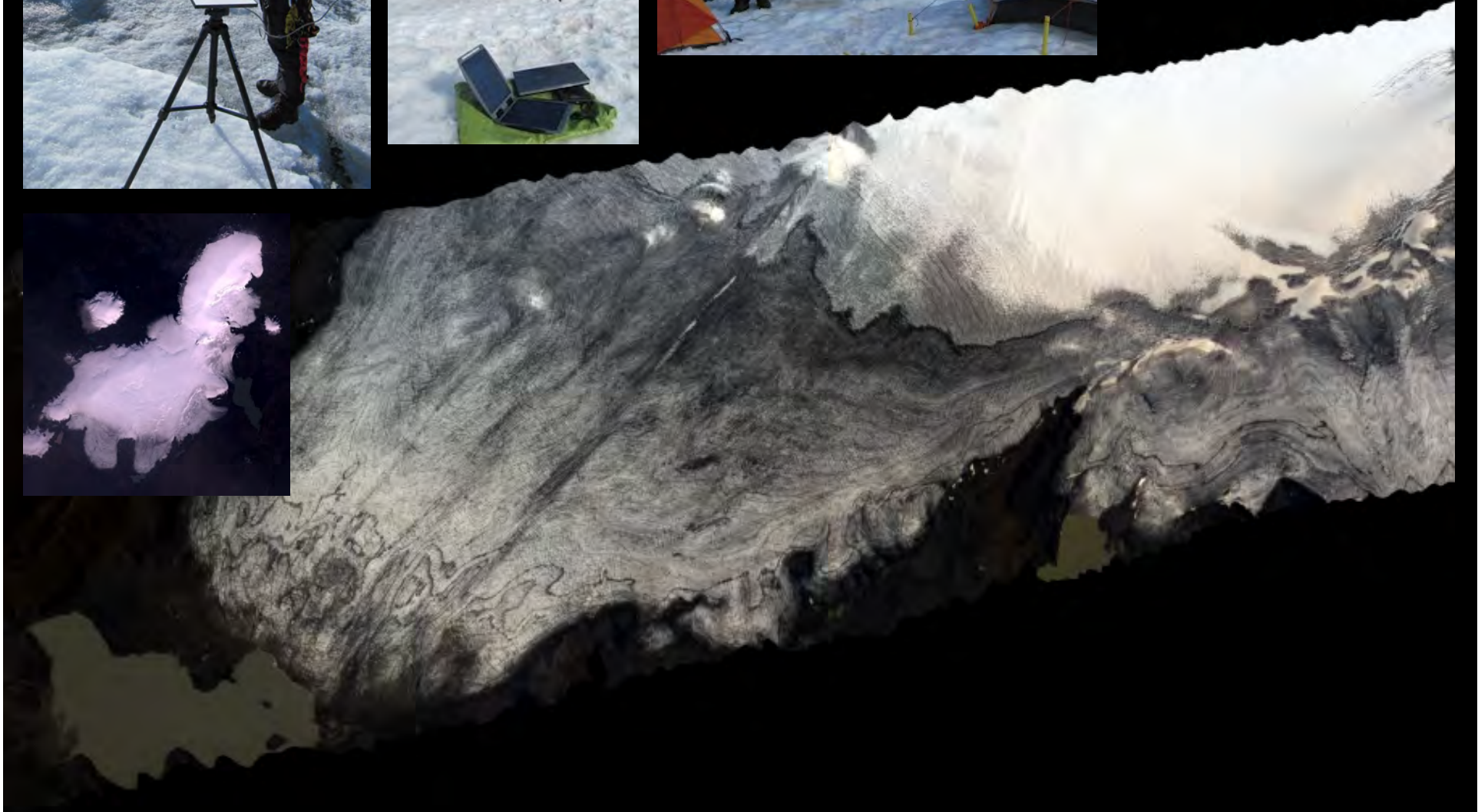
What Colo(u)r are Glaciers?
...and why you should care.





Svalbard





And a hike last weekend



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Connecting to the Poles with...



**Anne-Mathilde
Thierry**

Anne-Mathilde's research deals with the relationships between hormones, environmental conditions, and reproduction in Adélie penguins.

Anne-Mathilde grew up in the rural French countryside of Normandy, enjoying the outdoors, and dreaming of ice and penguins in her room that her dad called an igloo.



I had a dream “Work in Antarctica”



1. BRING A USEFUL TRADE
2. BE A TEAM PLAYER
3. EXPERIENCE NOT REQUIRED
4. BE FLEXIBLE
5. HAVE PATIENCE

<http://www.wired.co.uk/magazine/archive/2011/11/how-to/get-a-job-in-antarctica>





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Thank You!

An archive of the event will be available shortly.
<http://www.polartrec.com/polar-connect/archive>

