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Summary

Representatives of various disciplines, northern studies, some of who are also active in a variety of NGOs, both local, national and international, gathered to discuss the relationship between the North and Canada, among other things. The role of the First Nations did not go unmentioned, given a conflict in scheduling. In this respect, topics explored included the role of the North in Canadian foreign policy, the permeability of local and international issues, the impact of globalization on the unique character of the northern communities, and the impact of globalization on women's issues, circumpolar issues, and the impact of globalization on the environment.

Policy Recommendations:

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