



- 7.17 The Department of Foreign Affairs and International Trade should allocate more funds to international Arctic inter-university cooperation i.e. Academic Relations and Canadian Studies Abroad. (Quebec)
- 7.18 For Canada to become a leader of the north, we need to revitalize support to northern research and facilitate Canadian participation in northern knowledge networks through the University of the Arctic. (Edmonton)
- 7.19 Canada must recognize and support the human and knowledge resources of the circumpolar north and bring these to bear on problems particular to the circumpolar area. (Edmonton)
- 7.20 Canada should promote "Traditional Knowledge" and its implementation on a circumpolar scale. (Yellowknife)

7.21 Participants agreed that traditional knowledge exists throughout the north and continues to be integral to life. That in order to capture it, funding and cooperation are needed to help document it, and to ensure that it continues to be relevant and understood. Participants also insisted that it is the property of the Aboriginal groups who created it, and that concerns about intellectual property exist. (Iqaluit)

