

Muskox movement ecology: Past, present and future

Summary:

Animal movements tie together ecosystem processes, and information about animal movements is thus fundamental to our understanding of general ecosystem functioning. As one of few large-bodied herbivores, the muskox (*Ovibos moschatus*) is a central species in the Arctic tundra ecosystem. During this seminar, I will reflect on previous research concerning muskox movement ecology, followed by an introduction to the current research program taking place at Zackenberg Research Station (east Greenland), and finally I will discuss some future research directions.

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Welcome to a late lunch seminar!

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