



## Sustaining, knowing, and 'living' the Blue? Coastal communities as places to belong across generations

**Time:** June 15<sup>th</sup> – June 16<sup>th</sup> 2022  
**Place:** Hotel Britannia, Trondheim, Norway

Early Bird Registration 2000 NOK March 25. Conference fee includes lunch both days.

For updates and further information, please visit the conference website:  
[ntnu.edu/coastchild/coastchild](http://ntnu.edu/coastchild/coastchild)

### 15<sup>th</sup> June

09.00 – 09.30	Welcome and opening
09.30 – 09.50	Theatre performance/music
09.50 - 10.35	Valuing and living the blue? Coastal Societies, Childhoods and Generations in transition; Joint presentation from the international host research group, <a href="#">see web-page<sup>1</sup></a>
10.35 – 11.00	Coffee
11.05 – 11.50	Equity, well-being, and belonging: Accounting for place and practice in Alaska fisheries management and policy <a href="#">Dr Rachel Donkersloot<sup>2</sup></a>
11.55 – 12.55	Parallel sessions
12.55 – 13.55	Lunch
14.00 – 14.45	The Gift of Community: Perspectives on livelihoods, values and knowledge in small-scale fisheries <a href="#">Professor Svein Jentoft<sup>3</sup></a>
14.50 – 16.20	Parallel sessions
16.20 – 16.40	Coffee
16.45 – 17.45	Parallel sessions
19.00	Reception
19.30	Dinner

## 16<sup>th</sup> June

09.00 – 09.15	Welcome and Introduction
09.15 – 10.00	Rural educational complexities and youth identities in small Coastal Places <a href="#">Professor Michael Corbett<sup>4</sup></a>
10.05 – 11.35	Parallel session
11.35 – 11.55	Coffee
12.00 – 13.00	Parallel session
13.00 – 14.00	Lunch
14.05 – 14.35	Sustaining, living and knowing the blue. Perspectives from Youth.
14.40 – 15.40	Book Launch- Comments by Professor Svein Jentoft and Professor Stuart Aitken
15.45 – 16.05	Coffee
16.10 – 17.10	Panel discussion; Sustaining, knowing and living the blue? Participants; Representatives from coastal museums, teachers, fish farming industries, youth
17.10 – 17.30	Sustaining, living and knowing the blue: Concluding reflections <a href="#">Professor Stuart Aitken<sup>5</sup></a>

<sup>1</sup>Joint host research group: Professor Sharon Bessell, Dr Aoife Crummy, Professor Dympna Devine, Professor Firouz Gaini, Professor Anne Trine Kjørholt, Professor Sapyros Spyrou, Associate Professor Eleni Theodorou

<sup>2</sup>Dr. Rachel Donkersloot is an anthropologist with broad policy and research expertise in rural fishing communities across the North Pacific and North Atlantic. She works at the College of Fisheries and Ocean Sciences at the University of Alaska Fairbanks Her work concentrates on issues of fishing community sustainability, equity, rural well-being, Alaska Native livelihoods, marine resource governance, and contemporary youth in the Global North, and incorporates and respects diverse forms of data and knowledge that can improve management and decision-making processes.

<sup>3</sup>Professor Svein Jentoft is a sociologist and a Professor Emeritus at the Norwegian College of Fishery Science, Faculty of Bioscience, Fisheries and Economics, UiT- the Arctic University of Norway. He is current Editor in Chief for Maritime Studies and a co-editor of the Mare book series on Springer. Throughout his career his work has focused on social and political issues related to fisheries and marine affairs, specialising in small-scale fisheries management, law, corporate and interactive governance, environmental resource management and co-management, through socially and culturally informed solutions.

<sup>4</sup>Michael Corbett is a Professor of Education in Acadia University in Wolfville, Nova Scotia, Canada. His original and critical research focuses on the dynamic and ambivalent relationship between life in rural coastal communities and the structures and processes of schooling. He has worked with rural communities and schools in Australia and Canada as well as doing international comparative work in Norway and Finland.

<sup>5</sup>Stuart Aitken is a geographer and distinguished professor at College of Arts and Letters, at San Diego State University. He is one of the forerunners in the interdisciplinary field of Childhood Research, and has published widely. His expertise covers global childhoods, child rights, youth activism, families and communities, geography of film and spatial philosophies.