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## Tromsø



#### The Arctic capital

## 76 650

inhabitants





#### > 140 nationalities

> 12 000 students

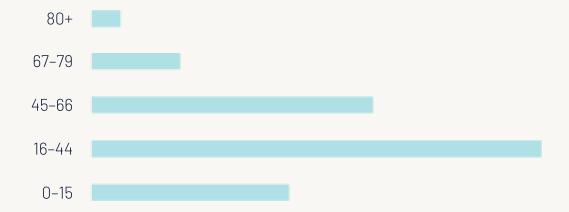
### Young





### Vibrant

# Young population





## Gateway to the Arctic

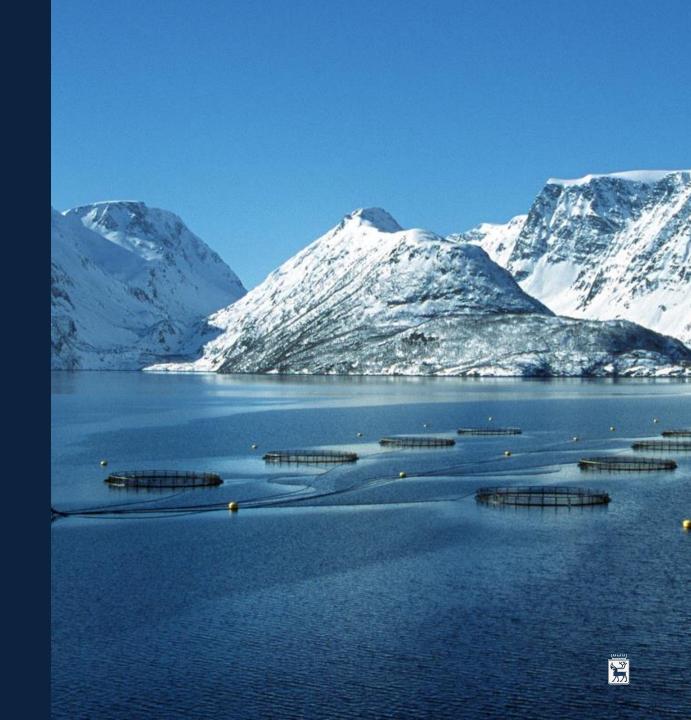




#### Past and present

### Varied business life

- Seafood fisheries and aquaculture
- Travel industry
- Construction
- Service industry
- Research and development
- Energy



## Host city for Arctic organizations

- Arctic Council and Indigenous Peoples' Secretariat
- Arctic Economic Council
- Arctic Mayors' Forum
- University of Tromsø The Arctic University of Northern Norway
- The University Hospital of Northern Norway
- Norwegian Seafood Council
- Norwegian Fishermans Sales Organisation
- The Fram Center
- Nofima The Norwegian Institute of Food, Fisheries and Aquaculture
- Arctic Frontiers



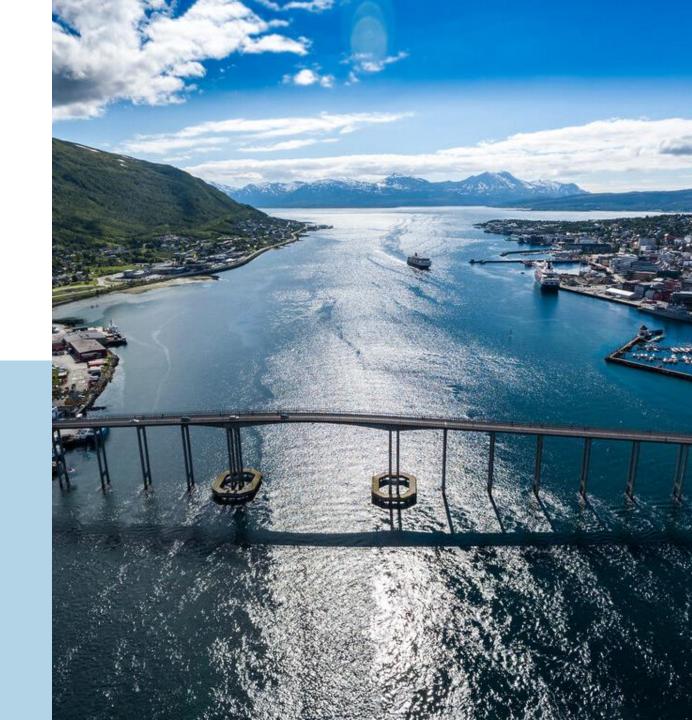
# Safety and preparedness

- Geopolitical situation in Europe
- Vulnerable supply lines
- Technological development and digitization make us more vulnerable
- Climate change



### Climate

- Reduce emission
- Circular economy
- Natural diversity
- Climate adapation



### Demographic changes

- Labor shortage
- An aging population
- More migration due to climate change
- Increased social differences



# Welcome to the Arctic capital!

## Entrepreneurial service





#### • Different models have been applied

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### A few examples





- Connect the dots
- Áigi of Norway



### A few more...





- Nice to meet uuu cafe
- Wabi Sabi jewellery



### The future?









• A one-stop-shop for aspiring entrepreneurs?



#### Troms og Finnmark fylkeskommune

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### A split approach





- Low threshold service for simpler projects.
- Dedicated service for innovation projects with high growth possibilities.



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