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SESSION TITLE	CONVENORS
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<p>SUMMARY</p> <p>The goal of this session will be to focus on the modern distribution and ecology of benthic Foraminifera within fjordic environments, highlighting their potential as natural laboratories for the study of Foraminifera. We welcome papers that address aspects of modern biology and ecology, in addition to those which seek to highlight the extraordinary potential of fjordic sediment sequences in providing very detailed paleoceanographic information (using Foraminifera-based proxies) ranging from millennial to sub-decadal timescales. We want to promote a wider community interest in a range of fjord environments, from the deglaciated fjord systems of the middle latitudes to the glacial environments of modern high latitude fjords.</p>	