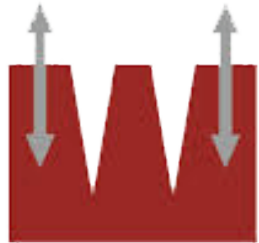


Russian-German Bilateral Activities and Projects

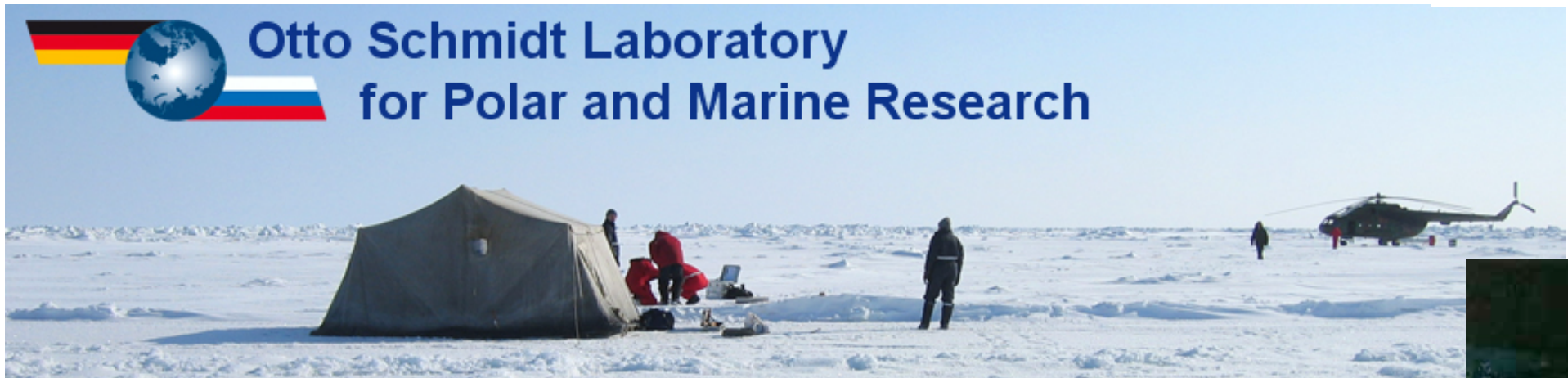
Two Examples



Otto Schmidt Laboratory St. Petersburg



CarboPerm



- Named after the Russian polar researcher **Otto Yulievich Schmidt** (Отто Юльевич Шмидт) 1891-1956
- **Opened in 2000** at the State Research Center of the Russian Federation the Arctic and Antarctic Research Institute (AARI) in St. Petersburg/Russia
- Coordination and development of **research projects** carried out within the framework of the Bilateral Agreement on Cooperation in Polar and Marine Research between the Russian Federation and Germany
- Support young scientists through the **OSL Fellowship Program** "Climate Change in the Arctic"





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- Interdisciplinary Russian-German project on the formation, turnover and release of carbon in Siberian permafrost landscapes
- Goal: Increased understanding of how permafrost-affected landscapes will respond to global warming
- Coordination will be at the Universität Hamburg (scientific), the Alfred Wegener Institute, Helmholtz Centre for Polar and Marine Research, Potsdam (logistic) and the Arctic and Antarctic Research Institute in Petersburg

