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ARCTIC GEOPOLITICS: REALITY CHECK
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1 September 2026. For most of recorded history, nobody serious attacked from the north: a frozen ocean stood in the way. That shield is now melting on a timetable set by physics, not by ministries, and what opens behind it is the shortest trade route between Asia and Europe alongside a new axis of attack toward coastlines no planner ever had to defend. Cargo and warships are arriving in the same season.

Arctic Geopolitics: Reality Check, the new book by Frank, follows the melt from the laboratory to the fleet. Across ten parts it tracks Russia rearming its Arctic bastion, NATO relearning cold-water war, China marching north without firing a shot, submarines hunting under the ice again, cables cut beneath the waves, and the money still deciding whether to follow the flags. It covers the corridors, the sensors, the ports, the reactors and the exercises, from the Kola Peninsula to the Bering Strait.

Written for general readers and professionals alike, the book is drawn entirely from open sources: official documents, institutional publications and contemporaneous reporting, presented in a documentary style with no hype, no romance and no ideology. 355 pages and 90 illustrations, mapped, drawn and narrated for anyone willing to look north.

Availability: paperback only, Amazon from 1st September 2026.

About the author: Frank is the author of fifteen previous books spanning geopolitics, science and technology, and fiction, from his first works on European monetary union in the 1990s to a recent sequence covering artificial intelligence, hydrogen, fusion, the cryosphere and the oceans, including *Astropolitics 2.0*, *Cryosphere 4.0* and *Quantum Matrix*. His two novels have been published in English, French, Greek and Korean editions.

Arctic Geopolitics: Reality Check is his sixteenth book.

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