

## College Chemistry Canada Conference 2026

### ABOUT NUNAVUT

#### Inuit

Inuit are genetically-distinct Indigenous peoples. Inuit are not part of the First Nations. Inuit had a separate northern migration route across from Asia to Alaska, Canada, and Greenland. There are 70,000 Inuit in Canada of whom 31,000 are living in Nunavut. Inuktitut is the common Inuit language, of which there are many distinct variants.

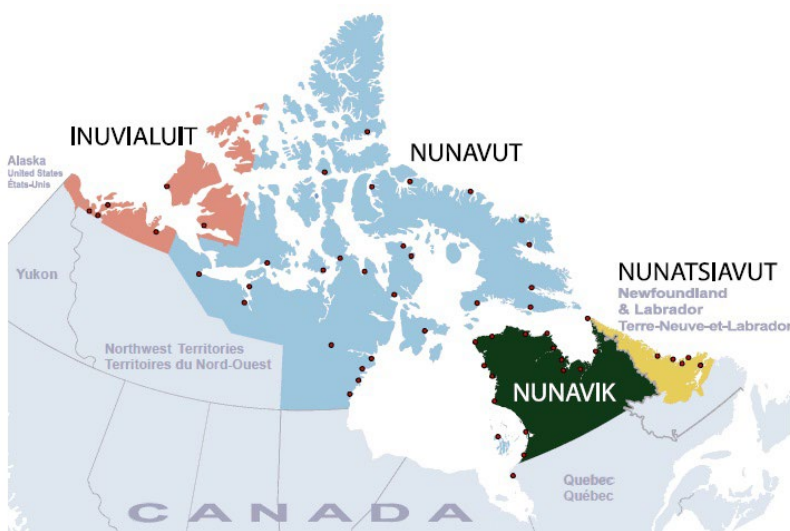
Over 35% of Canada is Inuit land, which borders over 50% of Canada's coastline. Qamani'tuaq (Baker Lake) is the geographic centre of Canada.

#### Nunavut

Nunavut is a self-governing Territory of Canada, Iqaluit being the capital city, with its own Government and Legislative Assembly.

Nunavut is the central unit of the *Inuit Nunangat* (the Inuit homelands). The other units are autonomous parts of contiguous Provinces: Nunatsiavut (Newfoundland & Labrador); Nunavik (Quebec); and Inuvialuit (Northwest Territories/Yukon).

Nunavut has a (small) land border with Greenland ([https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Hans\\_Island](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Hans_Island)).



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Learn more about the surviving and thriving Inuit way of life during the **2026 C3 CONFERENCE TOUR** to the **Nunatta Sunakkutaangit Museum** and to the **Unikkaarvik Visitor Centre**. See the [Explore Iqaluit!](#) Webpage for more information.