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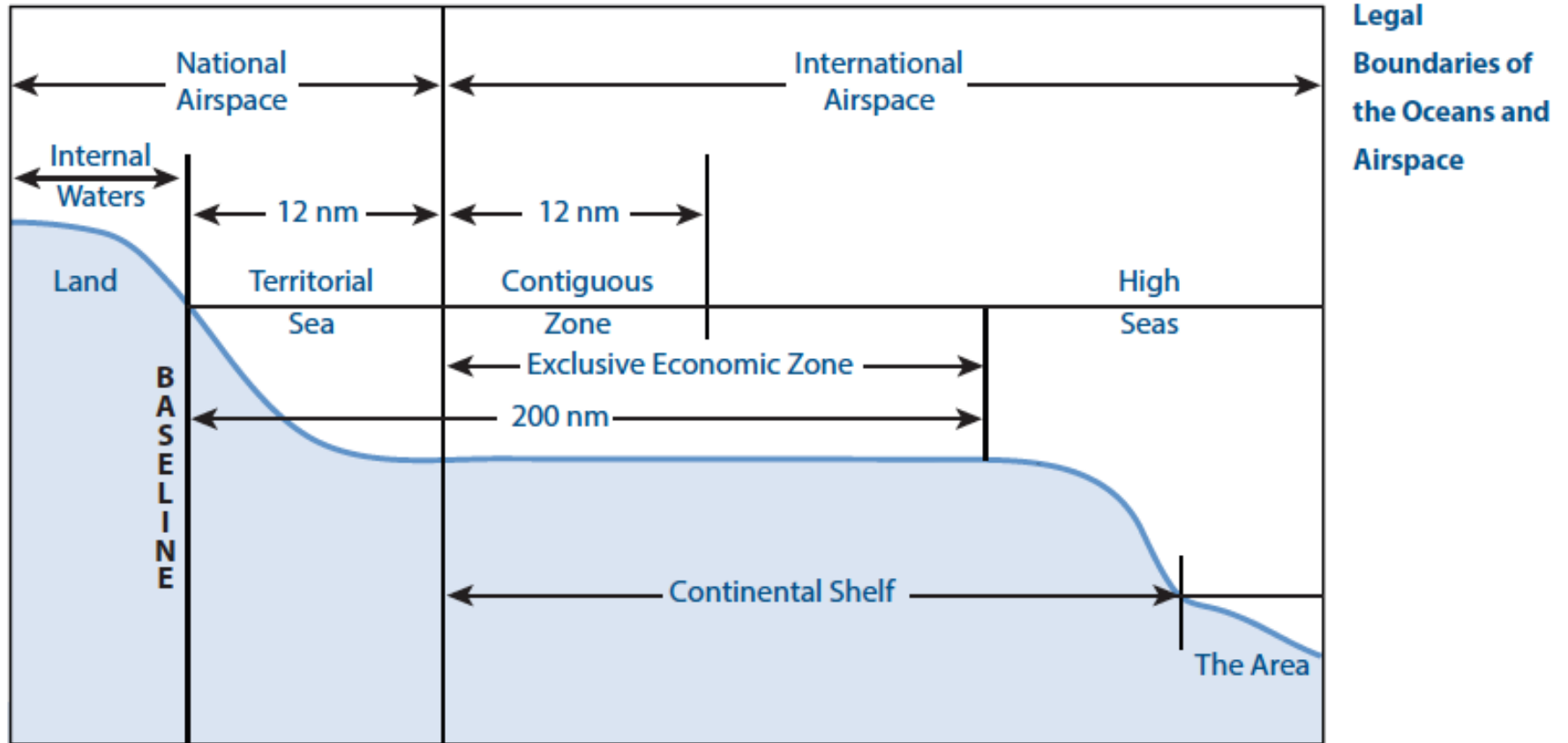
Current and emerging legal, operational, and investment issues

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Legal Boundaries of the Oceans



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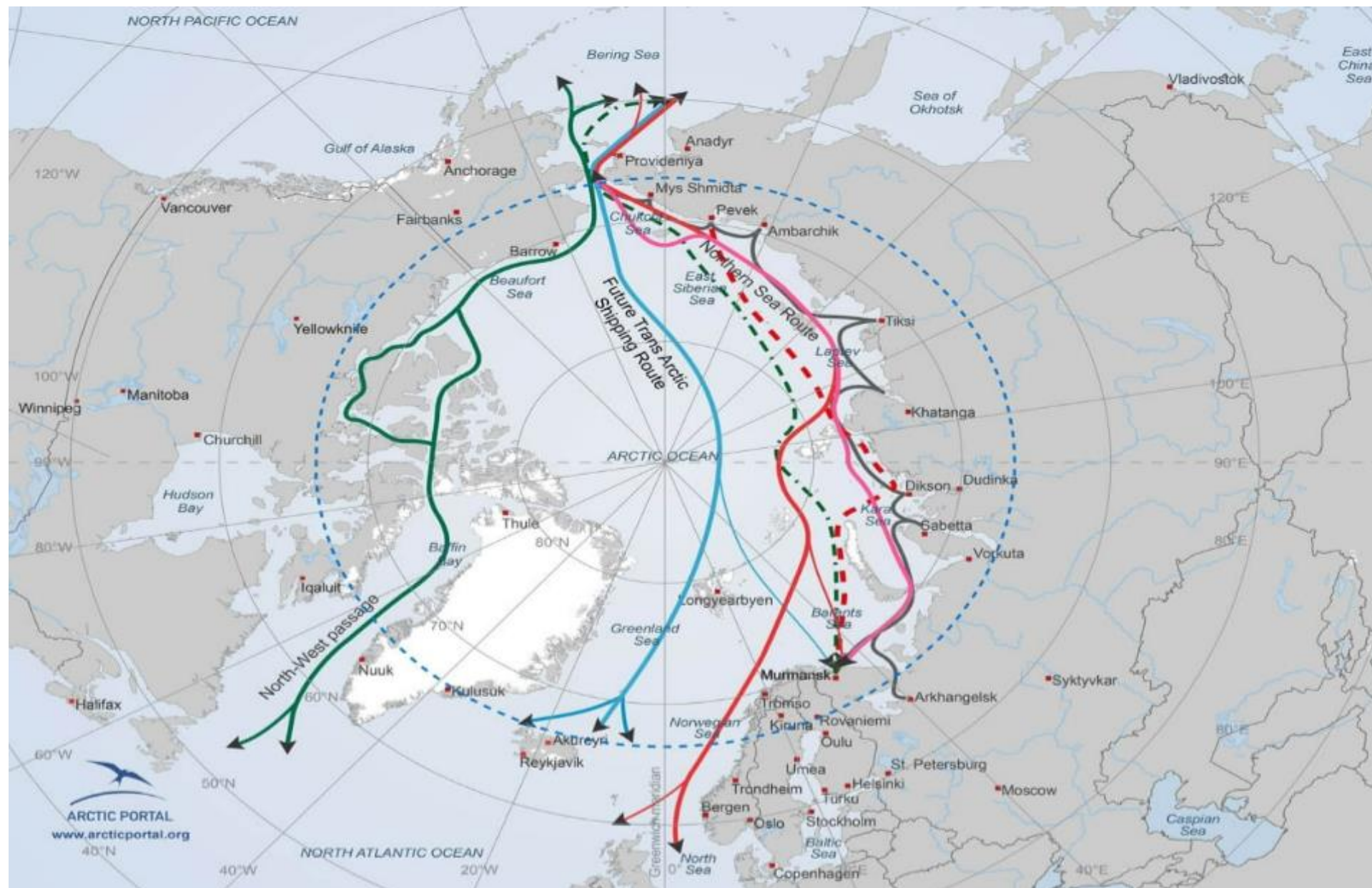


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Overview of Key Legal Issues in the Arctic

- Domestic and International Law – U.S. as Arctic Nation
- UNCLOS and International Seabed Authority – U.S. as Non-party
- Polar Code, SOLAS, MARPOL, STCW
- U.S. Coast Guard Obligations – Environmental, SAR, Navigation Safety
- Subsea and Deepsea Exploration – Mining, Oil, Gas, Minerals
- Continental (and Extended Continental) Shelf Claims
- Non-Arctic Nations Increasing Presence – e.g., China
- Impact of Russian Sanctions
- Commercial and National Security Outer Space Operations
- Investment in Vessels and Infrastructure
- Emerging Operational and Legal Risks

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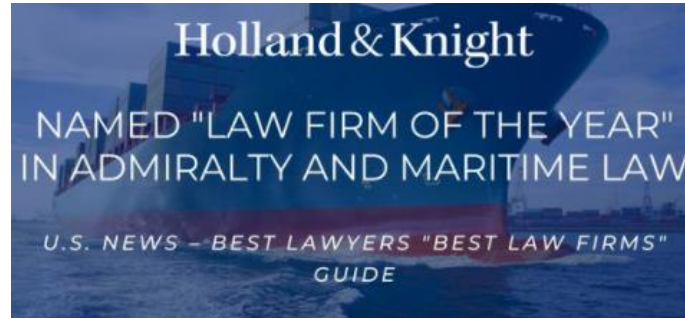


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