

INLAND ICE

Point 660, Kangerlussuaq
Greenland

CAMP THE BIG MELT

It's an ocean of ice two miles high. What ice scientists call "The Big Melt" began about the turn of the century and since, over 200 vertical feet of ice has disappeared. Ice loss in Greenland has increased five times in the last 20 years. Dust, from as far away as Siberia is left behind when the ice melts, trapping even more of the sun's energy as ice disappears in a spiral of heat and melt.

Our guide is a climate science specialist, author and filmmaker. Stay in a tent next to the ice sheet or at the hostel in the nearest settlement at the old Bluie West WWII air base and "commute" the 22 miles to the ice sheet daily. Camping next to the ice is unlike anything anywhere. The abrupt edge of the ice rapidly increases to well over a thousand feet tall within a mile or two. The weather can be extreme or sublime and we always use the best and highest quality mountaineering equipment.

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