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#### Research interests

My current research project, which is funded by the *Icelandic Research Fund* (RANNÍS), is to develop a conventionalist account of mathematical truth, based on my previous work on the rule-following paradox and Wittgenstein's philosophy of mathematics.

**Areas of Specialisation:** Wittgenstein, philosophy of mathematics, philosophy of logic, the rule-following paradox.

**Areas of Competence:** Metaphysics, logic, epistemology, history of analytic philosophy.

### **Current position**

#### **Previous positions**

2021 — 2022 Adjunct Lecturer
University of Iceland
 2020 — 2021 Sessional Instructor
University of Iceland
 2016 — 2019 Early Stage Researcher

#### **Education**

University of Stirling

2020 **PhD in Philosophy**, University of St Andrews and University of Stirling (SASP)

Supervisors: Prof. Peter Sullivan and Prof. Crispin Wright Thesis: A defense of Wittgenstein's radical conventionalism

2015 **M.Litt. in Philosophy**, University of St Andrews and University of Stirling (SASP)

Supervisor: Prof. Peter Sullivan

Thesis: Russell's Conception of Logic in the Principles of Mathematics

2013 **M.Sc. in Logic**, University of Amsterdam

Supervisor: Prof. Martin Stokhof

Thesis: A Chalet on Mount Everest: Interpretations of Wittgenstein's Remarks on

Gödel

### **Publications**

		Journal articles
2022	J2	Rules as constitutive practices defined by correlated equilibria Inquiry
2021	J1	Contradictions and falling bridges: what was Wittgenstein's reply to Turing? British Journal for History of Philosophy 29 (3): 537–559
		Other publications
2022	J2	<b>fyrir öll x</b> Icelandic version of forall x, an open and free logic textbook
2017	J1	<b>Af aðferð Chomskys og vinnubrögðum Guðna Elíssonar</b> Ritið: tímarit Hugvísindastofnunar
		Selected talks
2022	Т9	Wittgenstein on contradiction: Wittgenstein's debate with Turing, 11th British Wittgenstein Society Conference: Wittgenstein and AI, New College of the Humanities, London
2019	Т8	What was Wittgenstein's reply to Turing?: Contradictions and Falling Bridges, Wittgenstein: Naturalism and Necessity, University of Bergen, Bergen
	Т7	A Game-Theoretic Solution to the Rule-Following Paradox, Arché 20th Anniversary Conference, University of St Andrews, St Andrews
	Т6	Rules as Constitutive Practices Defined by Correlated Equilibra, Rules, Norms, and Reasons 1: Kripkenstein's Paradox, University of Milan, Milan
2018	T5	The Inadequacy of Dispositional Accounts of Rule-Following, Diaphora Workshop V: Determinism and Open Choices, University of Neuchâtel, Neuchâtel
2017	Т4	Wittgenstein's Conventionalism, Diaphora Workshop III: A Priori Knowledge, University of Stirling, Stirling
2015	ТЗ	Russell's Early Conception of Logic, Cool Logic, University of Amsterdam, Amsterdam
	T2	<b>Turing's objections to Wittgenstein.</b> , 2nd Belgrade Graduate Conference in Philosophy and Logic, University of Belgrade, Belgrade
2014	T1	A Kripke model of Kripke's Outline of a Theory of Truth, 7th Cambridge Graduate Conference on the Philosophy of Logic and Mathematics, University of Cambridge, Cambridge

Grants, Awards and Fellowships

Postdoctoral Research Grant from the Icelandic Research Fund.

2022 — 2025

# **Teaching**

2022	C5	HSP201G Logic (Spring) Primary Instructor. University of Iceland
	C6	HSP201G Metaphysics (Spring) Co-Instructor. University of Iceland
2021	C1	HSP201G Introduction to Logic (Spring) Primary Instructor. University of Iceland
	C2	<b>HSP425M Seminar: Wittgenstein's Philosophical Investigations (Spring)</b> Primary Instructor. University of Iceland
	C3	HSP105G/HSP724M Critical Thinking (Fall) Primary Instructor. University of Iceland
	C4	HSP073F Research Ethics (Fall) Co-Instructor. University of Iceland

## Reviewing and refereeing

Erkenntnis

Philosophical Quarterly