

Curriculum Vitae

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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:

December 2008 to date: Nordic Council of Ministers, Pan-Nordic College Student Research Manager.
September 2008 to date: Board Member of EURAD, Speciality: Primary Prevention Methods.
October 2006 to date: Director of „Youth in Europe - A drug Prevention Programme" within the ECAD framework.
September 2002 to date: Director of the Icelandic Centre of Social Research and Analysis. ICSRA, Reykjavik University.
April 1999 to July 2002: Director of ISVA ltd, rage working in Iceland, Denmark and Latvia.
June 1998 to March 1999: Co-founder and Managing Director of Promark Ltd, marketing advisors.
1992 to May 1998: Director of Eymundsson bookstores Ltd.
1985 to April 1992: Marketing manager of Oddi printing Ltd.

PARALLELL WORK EXPERIENCE:

- **May 2004 to date:** Nominated correspondent by the Ministry of Education as the Icelandic representative in the **European Network of Experts on Youth Knowledge** in Strasbourg. www.youth-partnership.net
- **April 2005 to date:** Nominated correspondent by the Ministry of Education as the Icelandic representative in the **European Knowledge Center of Youth Policy**. The EKCYP is a tool for the implementation of the White Paper on Youth and in particular the European Commission common objectives on a Better Understanding of Youth and the Council of Europe monitoring of youth policy
- **November 2005 to March 2006:** Nominated to the Reykjavik University Ethnic Committee.
- **March 1999 to September 2002:** Chairman, Icelandic Centre for Social Research and Analysis.
- **May 2001 to date:** Icelandic correspondent for Securetec Detection Systems, Germany, advocating for drug monitoring, law changes and enforcement.

EDUCATION:

- M.Ed, Master of Public Health and Education at the Reykjavik University, 2008.
- Bachelor of Arts (B.A. honors) in English and German from the University of Iceland 2002.
- Graduate from the Menntaskolinn i Reykjavik College in Iceland in 1981. Majored in Mathematics and Natural Science.

LANGUAGES:

- Icelandic, English and German

SINGLE SUBJECT COURSES AND SEMINARS:

- The First Annual Health Disparities Convention at the Columbia University, New York, March 2006
- The SOPHE (Society for Public Health Education) Health Education Advocacy Summit, Washington, March 2006
- SOPHIE í BOSTON NOVEMBER 2006
- Better Understanding of Youth 16-18 June 2005 in Luxembourg Non-Formal Education, Luxembourg July 2005, The Presidency of the Council of the European Union
- European Campaign for Diversity, Participation and Human Rights. Strasbourg, May 2005
- Young Active Citizenship EU meeting. Hyvinkää, Finland July 2006
- Drinking and Drug Taking Practices. A research course, 24th to 30th September 2006, Tvärminne Zoological Station / University of Helsinki
- The Landmark Forum Personal Training Education, London, May 2005
- Intensive German training for 2 weeks in January 2005, Tübingen University

LECTURES AND SPEECHES:

- Numerous national lectures and speeches for the past 5 years on
 - o “Evidence based policymaking in the field of drug prevention” and
 - o “Adolescence Substance Abuse Prevention”
- International lectures on the same issues in Norway (Ålesund), Latvia (Riga), Lithuania (Vilnius, Kaunas, Klaipeda), Korea (Gyeongju), Uganda (Kampala) and Rumania (Bucharest).

PUBLICATIONS:

Margrét Lilja Guðmundsdóttir, Álfgeir Logi Kristjánsson, Inga Dóra Sigfúsdóttir and Jón Sigfússon (2007). Young People in 2007: Elementary School Students. Report written for the Ministry of Education, Science, and Culture based on data from the Icelandic children’s survey in 2007. Reykjavik: Icelandic Centre for Social Research and Analysis.

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Seltjarnarnes Local Government based on data from the Icelandic survey of adolescents in 2007. Reykjavik: Icelandic Centre for Social Research and Analysis.

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Álfgeir Logi Kristjánsson, Inga Dóra Sigfúsdóttir and Jón Sigfússon (2005). The Drug use of Icelandic adolescents. Report written for the Icelandic Organization of Public Health based on data from the Icelandic survey of adolescents in 2004. Reykjavik: Icelandic Centre for Social Research and Analysis.

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GENERAL INTERESTS:

My daughters and grandchildren, public health, well being of youth, music and fishing.