

Program  
**8<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Watermarks in Digital Collections**  
**The Árni Magnússon Institute for Icelandic Studies, Reykjavik, Iceland**  
**19-21 June, 2025**

Venue location: The Árni Magnússon Institute for Icelandic Studies, Edda, Arngrímsgata 5, 107 Reykjavik

Thursday 19 June

9:00-10:30: Session 1

- Emanuel Wenger: 20 years of Memory of Paper: 2006-2025
- Silvia Hufnagel, Beeke Stegmann: "Life of Paper" Project Report: Quire Structures and Watermarks in 17th-Century Icelandic Manuscripts
- Luisa Martínez Leal: The Latin American database of underground watermarks

10:30-11:00 Coffee break

11:00-12:30 Session 2

- Maria Stiegler: Paper mixes and manuscripts
- Alberto Campagnolo, Elena Pierazzo, Robert G. Erdmann: Watermarks and Paper Features in Modern Italian Manuscripts: A Digital and Archival Approach
- Stefaniia Demchuk: Paper, Prestige, and Recipes: Cataloguing Watermarks in Early Modern Cookbooks

12:30-14:00 Lunch break

14:00-15:00 Session 3

- Marie Benešová: Printed versus digital databases of watermarks
- Linus Hartmann-Enke: German Museum of Books and Writing

15:00-16:00 Tour through the manuscript exhibition in Edda, Arngrímsgata 5

19:00 dinner

Friday 20 June

9:00-10:30 Session 4

- Thomas Klinke: Cranach on Paper - An exploration of the graphic oeuvre
- Gloria Boero: Late 19th–early 20th century paper types and uses at the Brera Academy of Fine Arts
- Chiara Palandri, Elisa Albano: Watermarks and Artistic Practices: Drawings by the Neoclassical Artists Andrea Appiani and Giuseppe Bossi in the Brera Academy of Fine Arts Collection

10:30-11:00 Coffee break

11:00-12:30 Session 5

- Rachel Hapoienu: The VSC: a new tool for watermark research at The Courtauld Gallery, London
- Aurora Belli: The Watermarks Project: documenting watermarks from the 17th century Dutch drawings collection at the Rijksmuseum with low-energy X-ray radiography
- Sytske Weidema, Sabine Craft-Giepmans: Innovative watermark research in Dutch drawings: a pilot project at the RKD

12:30-14:00 Lunch break

14:00-15:00 Session 6

- Ibrahim Jabbie: Exploring Watermarks in Historical Sierra Leonean Documents
- Stephania Gowler, Nicole Finzer: Using multispectral imaging to augment digitized West African manuscripts

15:00 Tour to be confirmed

Saturday 21 June

Excursion to Þingvellir and Skálholt (own expense)

For on site or online participation please register before June 1<sup>st</sup>: [Registration](#)

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