



The Richard and Margaret Beck Lectures on Icelandic Literature

The University of Victoria takes great pleasure in inviting you to hear

Ambassador Sturla Sigurjónsson
Iceland's Ambassador to Canada



**"Mutual Interests in the North:
Iceland and Canada in the 21st Century"**

Wednesday 27 April,
Clearihue Building A308
7:30 p.m.

Mr. Sigurjónsson joined the Icelandic foreign service in 1987 and served in a variety of multilateral and bilateral positions abroad, as well as official positions in Iceland. He became Iceland's Ambassador to Canada in 2014. In his talk, Ambassador Sigurjónsson gives a historical overview of the bilateral relations between Iceland and Canada and their allies. He discusses the current relationship between the two countries and identifies areas where Iceland and Canada have a stake in closer cooperation, as well as pointing out how Icelandic experience can be applicable to Canada. Light refreshments will be served following the talk.

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The Department of Germanic and Slavic Studies*

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