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4c Promotion of geographical names standardization and cooperation/outreach

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Travellers' tales

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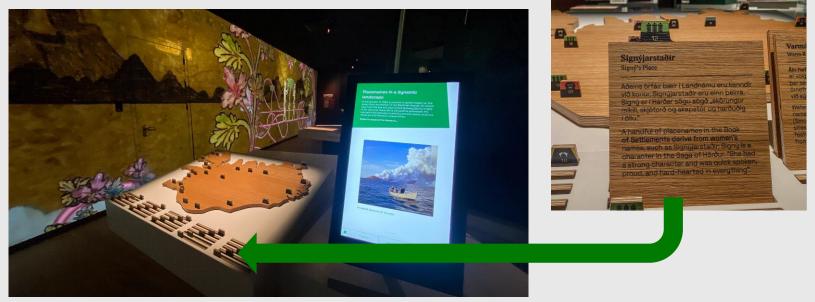
arðveitir hún merka texta sem sumir lýsa rlöndin, suður að Miðjarðarhafi og vestur íks saga rauða en þar segir meðal onar til Norður-Ameríku.

líklega Ólafur Loftsson og óþekktur skrifari

In this small 15th-century book of sagas, vellum. Some of the leaves are of irregula been offcuts from other manuscripts. A lost over the centuries, so parts of man

This modest volume contains important great voyages in the Norse world, south westwards across the Atlantic. Best kn Red, which recounts Eirikr's settlement journey to the New World.

1400–1420 : Vellum : 48 leaves : Scribes probe Reykjavík, Árni Magnússon Institute : AM 557 4to



The exhibition's aims:

- Optimising accessibility & interaction
- Communicating new information and ideas
- Broadening perspectives

Exhibits include:

- Interactive map (shown above)
- Touchscreen exhibit on new Icelandic geographical names, and
- Touchscreen exhibit on Icelandic geographical names in a global context



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