

'Converting the Isles'

Bibliography

SCANDINAVIA and ICELAND

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The following bibliography lists some important contributions to the study of the conversion of Scandinavia (i.e. Denmark, Norway and Sweden) and Iceland, and does not purport to be exhaustive. The volume of material for each region varies, in regard to both primary and secondary sources. Iceland is well known for its unique medieval literary traditions. Medieval Icelandic documents often describe Norway as well, while our understanding of Denmark can be informed by German sources. Perhaps owing to the vagaries of source survival, Sweden has more conversion studies based on archaeological evidence than Norway or Denmark. Denmark and Norway in particular, had close links to the British Isles in the relevant period. In some of the literature listed below, these relations are studied closely.

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