

## Professor Johan van Benthem

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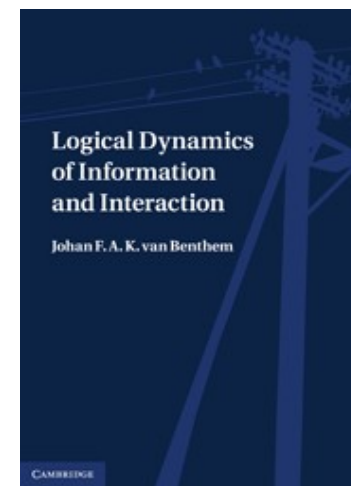
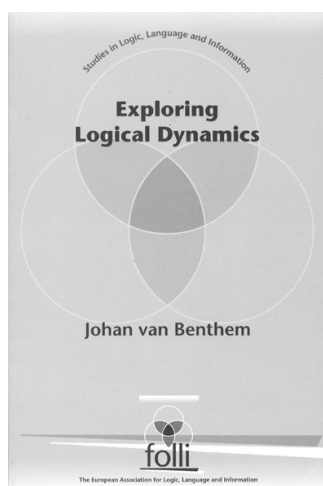
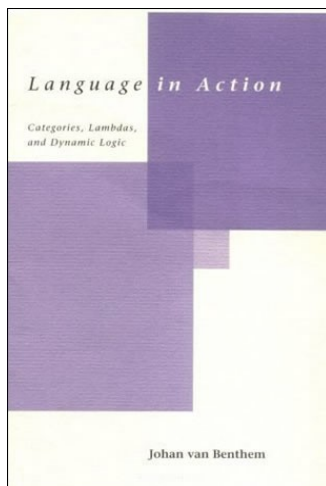
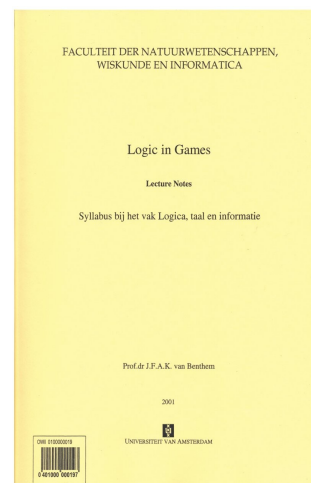
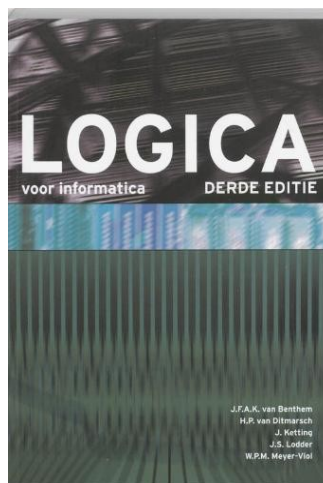
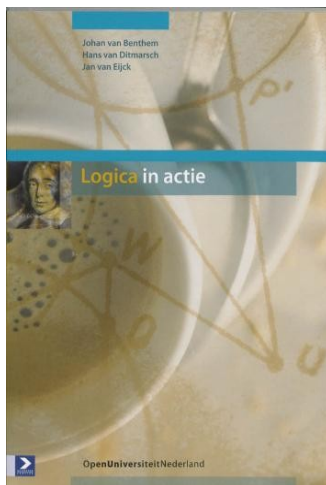
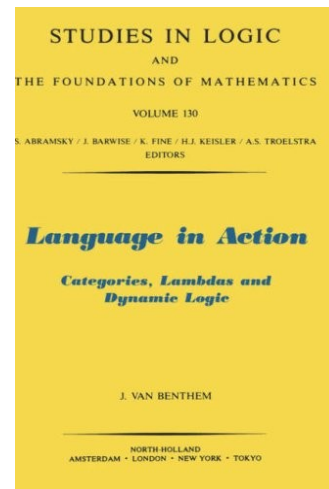
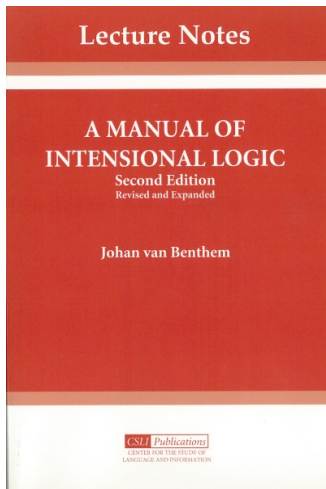
He has worked in modal logic, temporal logic, logical semantics and syntax of natural language, as well as dynamic logics of computation and communication. He was the founding director of the 'Institute for Logic, Language and Computation' (ILLC), a joint venture of the departments of mathematics, computer science, philosophy and linguistics, whose main field is the structure and dynamics of information - and also the first Chairman and First Honorary Member of the European Association for Language, Logic and Information (FoLLI).

His published monographs include *The Logic of Time* (1983), *Modal Logic and Classical Logic* (1985), *Essays in Logical Semantics* (1986), *Language in Action* (1991), and *Exploring Logical Dynamics* (1996). His current main interest is the theme of intelligent interaction, at the interface of logic, computer science, and game theory, with three new books *Modal Logic for Open Minds*, *Logical Dynamics of Information and Interaction* and *Logic in Games* to appear in 2010. Published some 400 papers. Editor of Handbooks of *Logic and Language* (1997), *Modal Logic* (2006), *Spatial Logics* (2007), and *Philosophy of Information* (2008). Supervised 75 Ph.D. theses, and taught widely in Europe, the US and China.

He is a member of the Academia Europaea (since 1991), and the Royal Dutch Academy of Arts and Sciences (since 1992). In 1996 he received the NWO Spinoza Premium for his total research. Doctor honoris causa, Université de Liege, 1998. International 'Who is Who' since 1995, member Institut International de Philosophie (2001), and Hollandse Maatschappij der Wetenschappen (2002).

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