'Logic' (pub. 22.10.14-12:02). Quote in M. Bergman & S. Paavola (Eds.), *The Commens Dictionary: Peirce's Terms in His Own Words. New Edition*. Retrieved from http://www.commens.org/dictionary/entry/quote-classification-sciences.

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Quote: The purpose and utility of logic [...] lies in its final achievement of a

methodeutic for the guidance of thought; and from this point of view logic is the theory of the self-control of thought in order to realize its intention, which is truth. So regarded, logic may be called a special kind of ethics, if by ethics we mean the theory of the self-control of conduct in order to realize a deliberately

adopted purpose. For inquiry is only a particular kind of conduct.

**Source:** Peirce, C. S. (nd). *On Classification of the Sciences*. MS [R] 602.

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