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Qualifications:

November 1984: University of Oxford (Oxford Certificate, mention Pass

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June 1985: Institut Français de Barcelone (Diplôme de Langue

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Languages:

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Experience:

- 1988-1990: Velcro Europe, S.A. Financial Department
- 1991-2001: Spanish and French teacher.
- Translations for several governmental organizations: OMS, UNICEF, UNESCO, FAO, UNITED NATIONS, as well as for "La Fanmi Se Lavi", founded by Jean-Bertrand Aristide.
- Translations for non-governmental organizations: CARE, OXFAM, BROT FUR DIE WELT, SAVE THE CHILDREN, LA FANMI SE LAVI, etc.
- Translator and interpreter English/Creole for operation "Uphold Democracy" in Haiti.
- Several translation tasks for independent companies.

- Spanish and English written documents on art naïf exhibits in USA, Costa Rica, Honduras and Guatemala (Company G. Mervilus Fine Arts)
- Speeches translations by Haitian political parties held at Hispanic countries in Central America and the Caribbean (into Spanish from French and Creole)
- French and Creole teacher for the staff at the Cuban Embassy in Haiti.
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- Reviser and proofreader on 1998 promotion for official Spanish examinations by graduated students. Haitian government and USAID initiative.
- Bibliotheca Alexandrina (New Library of Alexandria, Egypt). Manuscript & Rare Book Department (Responsible at the Spanish Section). Proofreader and translator of catalogs and other documents related to the opening of the Library of Alexandria.
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