

CURRICULUM VITAE

PERSONAL INFORMATION

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WORK EXPERIENCE

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Dates | 1991-present |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Name of employer | Self employed |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Type of business or sector | Freelance Translator English>German, Technical Editor |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Main activities | Translation/text for various companies in the technical sector; main fields of expertise: automation, automotive, construction machines, offroad vehicles, agricultural machines, mechanical engineering, process engineering, motion control. |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Dates | 1989-1991 |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Name of employer | Foxboro Deutschland GmbH |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Type of business or sector | Process Automation |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Occupation held | In-house translator, instructor, technical editor |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Main activities | Translation and creation of user manuals, product specifications, brochures for automation system and engineering software |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Dates | 1987-1989 |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Name of employer | Foxboro Deutschland GmbH |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Type of business or sector | Process Automation |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Occupation held | Application and Database Engineer |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Main activities | Planning, engineering, setup, and commissioning of process automation systems |

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Dates | 1984-1987 |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Organization providing education and training | Volkshochschule (Adult Education Center) Wuppertal |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Principal subjects | Translation English/German and German/English |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Qualification awarded | State Certified Translator (Chamber of Business & Commerce) |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Dates | 1978-1984 |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Organization providing education and training | Gesamthochschule, University Wuppertal |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Principal subjects | Anglo American Language & Literature |

TRANSLATION EXPERIENCE

- **Language** English into German (Native German speaker)
- **Output** 10-15 pages (2,000-3,000 words) per day
- **Areas of specialization**
 - Automation & Control
 - Process Industry
 - Enterprise Management
 - Business & Marketing
 - Logistics, Supply Chain Management
 - Software Localization
- **Text Types**
 - Technical Documentation
 - Hardware & Software Manuals
 - Training Documentation
 - Press Releases, Marketing Material, Product Brochures
 - Websites (<http://www.foxboro-deutschland.de/start.htm>)
- **Customers** Invensys Foxboro, Aspen Technologies, ABB, Rockwell, Intergraph, Star
- **Hardware** IBM compatible PCs (Windows 2000/XP) and Macintosh (OS 9)
- **Software**
 - Star Transit (2.7, 3.0, XV)
 - DéjàVu X
 - Trados 6.5
 - Wordfast (Trados clone)
 - MS Office, Adobe Framemaker, PageMaker, Acrobat, Photoshop, Illustrator, InDesign, Quark Xpress, Corel Draw (latest version, each)