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PROFILE	A professional interpreter with over 5 years' experience providing an essential service, giving assistance to non-English speaking parties; deep background in performing a wide variety of language interpretation activities for the parties; sound knowledge of the general subject of the speeches that are to be interpreted; extensive vocabulary in both languages; profound ability to express thoughts clearly and concisely in both languages;
LANGUAGES	Romanian (native), English, French, Spanish
SPECIALISMS	Law, immigration, business, environment, health, education and local government
SERVICES	Interpreting (simultaneous, consecutive, telephone, whispering) services for various governmental and private companies.
INTERPRETING ASSIGNMENTS	Police interviews and witness statements Courts (Magistrates, Crown, Family and County courts) trials, Tribunals Legal consultations (criminal, family, immigration) Probation services
INTERNATIONAL ASSIGNMENTS	Spain: EU Twinning project : "Fight against money laundering and terrorism financing", Romanian prosecutors delegation in Spain (two weeks conference and whispering interpreting) The Netherlands: Europol Management Board Meeting (two days conference interpreting)
MEMBERSHIPS	Member of the National Register of Public Service Interpreters (NRPSI) Member of the Chartered Institute of Linguists (MCIL)
PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATIONS	2013 – Interpreting for UK Border Agency (International School of Languages - UK) 2012 – Interpreting for Refugee Council (Refugee Council - UK) 2011 – Metropolitan Police Test (Institute of Linguists - UK) 2010 – Community Interpreting Level 3 (Doncaster College - UK) 2010 – Interpreting for West Yorkshire Police (West Yorkshire Police - UK) 2009 – Telephone Interpreting Certificate (LLE – US)
SECURITY CLEARANCES	Home Office CTC Security Clearance Enhanced CRB NPPV Level 3
EDUCATION	2003 – 2005 – MA in translation English – French (University of Liege - Belgium) 1999 – 2003 – BA in Foreign Languages French – Polish (University of Bucharest – Romania)
ADDITIONAL INFORMATION	2006 – European Parliament Internship at Romanian Translation Unit 2005 – EU Leonardo da Vinci Internship