## Fábio Oliveira Ferreira

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### **Profile**

I have a solid knowledge of English and Portuguese and am an effective communicator. I have been working on a freelance basis and acquired experience in editing, proofreading, translating and writing. I am a quick learner, always keen to improve my abilities and further my qualifications.

## **Experience**

## Editorial Coordinator | March 2010 - Present

#### IFT Publisher, Lisboa

Supervision of editorial content in books and magazines. Creation, presentation and sales of literary projects.

#### Editor, Translator, Proofreader and Scriptwriter (Freelance) | March 2009 - Present

Services rendered to such companies as Nintendo of Europe, Hewlett-Packard, EPAL, Portuguese Catholic University, National Theatre of São Carlos, Neaaconsulting, Brandtarget, among others.

#### Marketing Officer | July 2008 - January 2009

### Carlos Gomes e Relvas - Mediação Imobiliária, Lda., Santa Maria da Feira

Development and implementation of Internet advertising strategies, customer service, statistical data management, web content update, writing of press releases, publicity control.

#### Call Centre Operator | October 2007 - July 2008

#### Teleperformance Portugal, Lisboa

Presentation and sale of AIG personal accident insurance products.

#### Journalist (Voluntary Work) | June 2007 - October 2007

## Accessible Portugal, Caparica

Writing of articles in English for a tourism magazine directed to disabled people, responsibility for the *Travel* section, coverage of events of interest to the readers.

### Office Assistant (Voluntary Work) | January 2007 - March 2007

#### CN Factoring Fomento Mercantil Ltda., Guarulhos - São Paulo, Brazil

Translation of e-mails and correspondence from English into Portuguese, customer service, dealing with banks and post offices, database update.

## **Education**

#### Susanne James Associates | Brentford, England (Present)

Home Study Course for the Institute of Linguists' Diploma in Translation

#### Universidade Nova de Lisboa | Lisboa (2004 – 2008)

3-year Honours Degree in Communication Sciences with specialization in Translation

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### University of Cambridge | Cambridge, England

Certificate of Proficiency in English (2007)

First Certificate of English (2002)

#### Centro de Educação Integral | São João da Madeira (2002 - 2004)

Course in Humanities, equivalent to UK A-levels

Featured two-year studies of Translation Techniques (English – Portuguese – English)

# **Training**

Italian Level 1, Instituto Italiano di Cultura, Lisboa (2006)

Initiation Course in Japanese Language and Culture, Instituto Tecla, Porto (2004)

**7<sup>th</sup> Grade Musical Formation / 4<sup>th</sup> Grade Piano**, Academia de Música, São João da Madeira (1997 – 2004)

30-Hour English Language Course, University of Central Florida, Orlando, U.S.A. (2003)

30-Hour English Language Course, Queen Mary University, London, England (2001)

## **Skills**

Advanced computer literacy in Office<sup>TM</sup> software (Excel<sup>TM</sup>, PowerPoint<sup>TM</sup>, Word<sup>TM</sup>) and Internet Used to work within tight deadlines and under pressure

Responsible and organised

Diplomatic and pragmatic communicator

Adaptable and flexible

Fast learner

Able to work on my own initiative and within a team environment

Prizewinner for accurate and creative writings in Portuguese

# **Additional Information**

Good knowledge of French Driving licence

#### Interests

Getting to know new languages and cultures abroad or even within my own country is something exciting for me. Playing the piano is another activity that I enjoy.

### References

All references are available upon request.