CURRICULUM VITAE

Pierre Le Grand - Translator and Reviewer

Date of birth: 25/03/1979

Nationality: French (native language)

Language combinations: English into French and German into French

RELEVANT EDUCATION

1997 - 2001 Post-graduate studies in translation and international relationships, CESTRI

(Certificat d'Études Supérieures en Traduction et Relations Internationales)

English-German into French, LYON.

2000 Certificate of the Franco-British Chamber of Commerce and Industry

1996 - 1997 First year in **medical school**, LYON I

1996 Baccalauréat (French equivalent of A-levels) in Science at LYON's

international school.

WORK EXPERIENCE

Jan 2006 – present Cofounder of eXceLingua. Translation services from English and German into French.

Translation and review as well as review only, mainly in the following fields:

- Life-science (articles in the specialized press, newsletters, instrumentation, studies, informed consent forms, medical imaging systems installation and user manuals, dentistry)
- Several millions of words handled in automotive, technical and industrial subject matters (Cars, trucks and buses, agricultural machinery and construction equipment, driver's environment, mechanics, parts catalogues, in-house magazines, corporate magazines aimed at customers, training courses (external technicians, employees and managers), and websites)
- Several millions of words handled in IT (hardware and software: printers, pre-press, scanning, user guides, online help, tutorials, user interfaces, SEO and ERP)
- Marketing (sales material, advertising, baselines, product documentation)

- More than 1 million words in Tourism (tourist information centre websites, full documentation for several cruise lines, tourist guides, brochures, and restaurant menus)
- NGO material (activity reports, studies, policies, campaigns, briefing papers)
- Training material for HR, trainers' training, communication skills, technical skills, use of new software... (facilitator's script, PPT presentations, e-learning platforms, trainees' handouts...)
- Dec 2002 to Dec 2005 Translation, editing and junior project management at the Birdwell Institute in Lyon. Projects from English and German into French, mainly in the following fields: Tourism (VisitScotland, VisitNorway), automotive, technical, marketing, IT and paramedical.
- **2002 (Apr Dec)** Helpdesk operator (call-center) for ADAC (Allgemeiner Deutscher Automobil-Club), ACTA Group, LIMONEST, France
- **2001 (Jan Juil)** CLARIANT GmbH, Marketing department, FRANKFURT AM MAIN, Germany
- **2000 (Apr)**Junior interpreter: "Eighth European Congress on Science and Theology", LYON
- 1998 1999 Moderator of a weekly radio broadcast "Was ist das?" in German, Radio Canut (local radio in LYON, 102.2 FM)