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Profile

I was born and educated in the U.K. where I lived, with periods of residence in Germany, until 2004. I then spent a year in Russia before deciding to settle in Portugal, where I have been working as a freelance translator since September 2006. My main fields of expertise are tourism, education, ecology, music, the visual arts, crafts, marketing and advertising. Experience in the tourism department of Metropolis International, a London publishing company has given me invaluable practical experience in this field.

Project portfolio (selection, samples available on request) Website, description of clothing, press releases, March 2007 -

I have been responsible for an ongoing series of translations for the website of a major fashion retailer. Specific jobs have included extensive product descriptions and press releases

Hotel websites

Several hotel websites, including description of the hotel and services, with particular focus on spa and wellness areas, terms and conditions

Brewing trade magazine, September 2006 -

Lengthy articles for a brewing trade magazine including current market developments, new technologies and PR strategies.

Education

University of Oxford, U.K. June 2004

B.A. German and History (2:1 with a distinction in the use of colloquial German)

University of Birmingham, U.K. (current study)

M.A. Translation Studies

References

I am happy to provide contact details for referees if requested.