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PROFESSIONAL CAREER

Freelance translator

1999 - Present

More than 250 translated books for different publishing houses in Bulgaria, including: *Era*, *Fama*, *Pleyada*, *Skyprint*, *Softpress*, *Zahari Stoyanov*, *Pergament*, *Reader's Digest*, *Egmond Bulgaria*, etc.

Translating scientific articles between Bulgarian and English for private clients.

Writing education and language tools both in Bulgarian and English.

Genres: general fiction, biography, popular science, language education, thriller, suspense, horror, fantasy, science fiction, historical, children's literature, short stories, technical translations.

Bulgarian Institute of Molecular Biology, Sofia — *Biologist*

1996 - 1999

EDUCATION

University of Sofia, Sofia — *MSc in Molecular Biology*

1990 - 1996

National School for Mathematics and Natural Sciences, Sofia

1895 - 1990

SELECTED TRANSLATIONS

Atkinson, Peter: *Galileo's Finger*

Avey, Denis: *The Man Who Broke Into Auschwitz*

Beck, Martha: *Finding Your Own North Star*

Blake, Russel: *The Voynich Code*

Bukowsky, Charles: *Pulp*; *Hot Water Music*; *Post Office*

Coles, Peter: *Cosmology: A Short Introduction*

Deaver, Jeffery: *The Bone Collector*; *The Cold Moon*; *The Devil's Teardrop*

Ehrman, Bart: *Truth and Fiction in The Da Vinci Code*

NATIVE LANGUAGE

Bulgarian

TRANSLATING FROM

English

Russian

French

Italian

Spanish

SERVICES

Translation

Editing

Proofreading

Subtitling

Partial preprint

EXPERTISE

Literary and general translation

Sciences: Biology, Chemistry, Mathematics, Physics, Astronomy, Ecology

Medicine, Pharmacology

Humanities: History, Biography, Linguistics, Psychology, Philosophy, Geography,

Franklin, Benjamin: *Autobiography*
Garfinkel, Simson: *Database Nation*
Garton Ash, Timothy: *The File*
Isaacson, Walter: *Einstein; Steve Jobs; The Innovators; Leonardo da Vinci*
Keown, Damien: *Buddhist Ethics. A Short Introduction*
King, Stephen: *The Dark Tower V. Wolves of the Calla, From a Buik 8*
Maugham, Somerset: *A Christmas Holiday; Short stories*
Mailer, Norman: *The Castle in the Forest*
McCormack, John: *A Story of Ireland*
McCullough, Coleen: *Caesar; The October Horse*
McGonigal, Kelly: *The Willpower Instinct*
Miller, Henry: *Under the Roofs of Paris; The Smile at the Foot of the Ladder*
Obama, Michelle: *Becoming*
Orwell, George: *Burmese Days*
Palahniuk, Chuck: *Lullaby*
Pickover, Clifford: *Surfing Through Hyperspace*
Prideaux, Sue: *I Am Dynamite*
Saki (H.H. Munro): *Short stories*
Scott Card, Orson: *Xenocide, Shadow of the Hegemon*
F. Scott Fitzgerald: *Short stories*
Sheckly, Robert: *Uncanny Tales*
Skloot, Rebecca: *The Immortal Life of Henrietta Lacks*
Swan, Michael: *Practical English Usage*
Theroux, Paul: *The Stranger at the Palazzo d'Oro*
Wilson, Jim: *The Nazi Princess*

WRITING EXPERIENCE

A Practical Grammar for English Speakers
Learn Bulgarian the Easy Way (co-author)
“Учим български лесно” (Bulgarian textbook for Russian speakers)
“Навигатор по математика” (mathematics learning tool in Bulgarian)
English for Travellers (in Bulgarian, co-edition of Skyprint and the BBC)
A Practical English Grammar for Bulgarians (in Bulgarian)