

Europass Curriculum Vitae

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Nationality

Czech, German

Date of birth

2.3.71

Gender

female

Occupational field

Senior translator - Czech / German

Work experience

Dates

Since September 1995

Occupation or position held

Senior Translator – German / Czech / Slovak / English (occasionally) (technical documentation and general topics)

Main activities and responsibilities

- Translation of technical documentation in various fields using CAT tools (Trados 2007, Transit NXT, Across....)
- Translation of economic and marketing texts
- Creation of terminology
- Editing
- Appraisal of sample translations
- Managerial and co-ordination duties
- Film subtitling and dubbing

Name and address of employer

euroscript Deutschland GmbH, Alt Moabit 91, D-10559 Berlin, Germany

Type of business or sector | Translation

Education and training

Dates

September 1994 - September 2000

Translator / Interpreter (intermediate exam)

Title of qualification awarded

Principal subjects/occupational skills

• Czech

covered

GermanRussian

Name and type of organisation

Humboldt University Berlin

providing education and training

Dates 2000 / 2001

Title of qualification awarded

Certified IHK Berlin tourist guide (German / Czech)

Name and type of organisation providing education and training

IHK Berlin (Chamber of Industry and Commerce)

Dates

September 1989 - May 1993

Title of qualification awarded

Diploma (Magister), Specialisation: **Teaching** / Art including state examination certificate

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Principal subjects/occupational skills

- Czech
- Didactics
- Pedagogics
- Psychology
- Art

Name and type of organisation providing education and training

South Bohemian University of České Budějovice (Budweis), Czech Republic Department of Education

Dates

September 1985 – June 1989

Title of qualification awarded

A-levels (Abitur)

Principal subjects/occupational skills

Czech, Russian, mathematics, history

Name and type of organisation providing education and training

Strakonice Grammar School, Czech Republic

Personal skills and competences

Mother tongue(s) C

Czech

Other language(s) Self-assessment European level (*)

> German English Spanish Slovak Russian

Understanding				Speaking				Writing
Listening			Reading	Spoken interaction		Spoken production		
	C2		C2		C2		C2	C2
	B2		B2		B2		B2	B2
	B2		B2		B2		B2	B2
	C1		C1		B1		B1	B1
	B1		B1		B1		B1	B1

(*) Common European Framework of Reference for Languages

Social skills and competences

- Ability to easily adapt to an intercultural environment, as experienced during my professional
 career working with colleagues of various nationalities as well as during my teaching position
 at the Academia Europea in Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic.
- Good communication skills, acquired during my teacher's education at university as well as during my advanced education and practical experience as tourist guide
- Organisational skills and competences
- Organisational capacity due to professional work (co-ordination of Czech / Slovak language team) and private obligations (family with child)
- Well-structured work, acquired during university studies and professional work
- Good time management, acquired during university studies and professional work
- Technical skills and competences
- Good overall technical competence due to longstanding experience in translating technical texts and participation in specific client seminars

Computer skills and competences

- Very good knowledge of the CAT tools Trados 2007, Transit NXT and Across (various versions) as well as other client-specific tools (training seminars and use)
- Good knowledge of Microsoft Office, particularly Word
- Professional use of the Internet

Artistic skills and competences

Artistic activities I practice in my leisure time, e.g. painting, drawing, playing guitar, handicrafts

Other skills and competences

Recreational activities including hiking, cycling, travelling, reading, cooking

Driving licence

Category B (passenger car)

Annexes

- University diploma Czech Republic
- State examination certificate

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- Interim appraisal of current employer
- Intermediate examination in German/Czech (Humboldt University)
- Clients' reference letters
- Language diploma in Spanish/English (advanced) Academia Europea, Santo Domingo
- Confirmation of teaching German Academia Europea, Santo Domingo
- Tourist guide certificate (Chamber of Industry and Commerce)