CV Translator/ Interpreter/ Cultural Mediator Yacine Ben Chikha Tunisia/ Belgium

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Professional Profile

- Confident Arabic and French native speaker with **12 years of experience** in providing translation and interpretation services.
- Large experience working in seminars/conferences/workshops/interviews, as well as business meetings and exhibitions.
- Ensured in 2021 more than 800 hours of interpretation (in person and via zoom) in seminars, conferences and meetings
- In 2021, translated 530 000 words and proofread 200 000 words, a total of 730 000 processed words, or approximately 2920 pages (all sectors combined).

Key Skills

- Solid experience in translation and interpretation (English/French/Arabic) in different sectors Strong experience with regional and international organizations .
- Excellent communication, interpersonal and client relations capabilities.
- Cultural Mediation
- High customer service standards

Professional Experience:

Freelance Translator / Interpreter September 2007 - Present

- ✓ Translated documents/letters from English/ French to Arabic & vice versa.
- ✓ Reviewed and proofread translated documents by other translators/ collaborators-
- ✓ Ensured interpretation in Conferences and seminars
- ✓ Conducted face-to-face interpreting, online and telephone interpreting.

Cultural Mediator/Interpreter (Asylum and Illegal Immigration)

- ✓ 28 April- 15 July 2022: Glons Belgium (Fedasil Belgium)
- ✓ 27 Jul 6 Oct 2021: Cartagena Spain (*Frontex*)

Working Sectors

Websites and Social Medias localization

- Social Medias / Facebook
- Various websites, either for non-profit organizations, businesses or institutions

Industrial, Civil Engineering and Manufacturing:

- Educational material on civil engineering/ electrical
- Manuals and Trainings
- Manufacturing and utilities

Legal / Financial/ Economy:

 Litigation, pleadings, powers of attorney, registration of real estate, decision guides Service contracts, sales / purchase, franchise and rental agreements, Minutes of the general meeting, annual reports, audits, sustainability reports

Business / Management / Marketing:

• Management plans, business analyzes, strategy presentations, evaluation reports, manual human resources training case studies, Marketing

Computer / Technical texts:

- Hardware, Software, Network, Installation Manuals, Troubleshooting Guides
- Technical documents for several projects of large companies, manuals of all types Manuals for all types of devices, machines, equipment

Miscellaneous

- Politics
- Military, Security
- Asylum and Migration
- Media, social sciences, architecture, governance, urban planning

EDUCATION/ TRAINING QUALIFICATION

- ✓ July 2022: Certificate on Interpreting in the Asylum Context; European Union Agency for Asylum
- ✓ 2006-2007 : MA Human Rights and Democratization, University of Malta, Malta/ University of London-London – UK
- ✓ 2002 2006 : BA Communications, Journalism and Public Relations, Institute of Press and Information Sciences, Tunis- Tunisia

Working languages and Language Combinations

English- Arabic	Arabic - English	
English - French	French - English	
French - Arabic	Arabic - French	

CAT Tools

Trados, Memsource, MemoQ

Proposed Services and Rates

Service	Rate (\$USD)	Unit
Translation	0.06	Word
Proofreading	0.03	Word
Interpretation (online)	50	Hour
Interpretation (in person)	50	Hour