CURRICULUM VITAE

Personal information

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Nationality/Mother tongue: Italian

Date of birth: 05/12/1983

Gender: Female

Occupation

Freelance translator: EN/DE>IT

Experience: >11 years

Specialty areas: medicine, healthcare, pharmacology, electronics and computer, market research, user

manuals of medical devices, software localisation

CAT tool knowledge: SDL Trados 2007, SDL Trados Studio 2017/2019, Passolo, Déjà Vu, Translation

Workspace, MemoQ, XTM, Across, Memsource

CAT tools used: SDL Trados Studio 2021, SDL Passolo Essential 2011, MemoQ 9.6, Across 7, Memsource

Work experien	Ce
September 2016 - present	Translator for Flexword
	Main activities: Translation/Proofreading English>Italian / German>Italian
	Topics: press release, manuals - medicine, healthcare, pharmacology
May 2016 - present	Translator for GlobaLexicon - London
	Main activities: Translation/Proofreading English>Italian
	Topics: questionnaires, market research - medicine, healthcare, pharmacology, food
September 2015 - present	Translator for Oxford Conversis Ltd - United Kingdom
	Main activities: Translation/Proofreading English>Italian
	Topics: medicine, healthcare, pharmacology, technical documentation
February 2015- present	Translator for Tolingo GmbH – Hamburg, Germany
	Main activities: Translation/Proofreading German>Italian / English>Italian
	Topics: medicine, healthcare, technical material
February 2015- present	Translator for Arancho Doc srl - Bologna, Italy
•	Main activities: Translation German>Italian / English>Italian
	Topics: manuals, brochures, software localisation in the medical and technical fields
November 2015 - present	Translator for Alchemy Translations - Lithuania
	Main activities: Translation/Proofreading German>Italian
	Topics: medicine, healthcare, pharmacology
April 2016 – December	Translator for Leman Translations - France
2016	Main activities: Translation German>Italian

	Topics: healthcare, tourism
February 2015- November 2016	Translator for Going Green Translations - Teramo, Italy
	Main activities: Translation German>Italian / English>Italian
	Topics: corporate communication, medical and technical texts
February - May 2015	Translator for Ehlion LLC – New York
	Main activities: Translation German>Italian / English>Italian
	Topics: Optics/Optical systems
07/01/2010- 31/01/2015	In-house translator in the translation agency, Words & Bytes - Monteveglio Valsamoggia (Bologna) Italy Main activities: Translation and proofreading 1 st language pair: English>Italian - operator's manuals of medical devices, clinical trials, patient questionnaires/information forms/consent forms, market research questionnaires, marketing material and training courses in the healthcare and other more general fields, health, safety and environment guidelines, catalogues of electronic and electric materials, computer accessories and IT distributors, websites, software localisation, telecommunication manuals
	2 nd language pair: German>Italian - operator's manuals of medical devices, market research questionnaires in the healthcare and other more general fields, catalogues of electronic and electric materials, computer accessories and IT distributors, Websites, software localisation
09/11/2009- 22/12/2009	Traineeship as vendor management assistant in the translation and localization agency CrossGap Srl – Bologna
	Main activities: resource allocation; management of resource database; contact with vendors; research for recruiting vendor
10/06/2008-	International sales assistant in the company 3B Scientific srl - Ozzano Emilia (Bologna) Italy
30/06/2009	Main activities: orders, quotations and assistance to Italian and foreign customers. Daily communication with the German headquarters and other European branches
	Type of business: learning material in the field of medicine, physics, biology, physiotherapy equipment
05/2006	Translation of the AYVAZ Dolmetschen Übersetzen translation agency's Web site (German>Italian) for AYVAZ Dolmetschen Übersetzen - Giessen (Germany)
2002-2006	Client assistant in hotels, and waitress in restaurants in Italy and in Germany (Hörbach-Herborn, 6 months).
Education and tr	raining
14/09/2013	La giornata del traduttore – Percorsi professionali per la traduzione
	Meeting on the translator's job: specialisation, social web marketing and branding
04/12/2009- 30/03/2010	Training course "Marketing e comunicazione d'impresa" in the training centre Seneca Formazione – Bologna (Italy)
	Principal subjects: marketing, internationalization, corporate organization and management, methods and techniques for public relations, personal management development, security in job environments
09/2006- 11/2009	Master's degree, Foreign languages for intercultural communication; final mark 108/110, University of Bologna (Italy)

	Principal subjects: English and German languages and linguistics, translation English/German>Italian, dialogue interpreting English and German
	Thesis: La comprensibilità dei foglietti illustrativi dei medicinali: un confronto fra il tedesco e l'italiano (The comprehensibility of drug package inserts: a compare between Italy and Germany)
09/2002- 01/2006	Bachelor's degree, Dialogue interpreting and intercultural communication; final mark 110 cum laude, University of L'Aquila (Italy) Principal subjects: English and German languages and linguistics, translation English/German>Italian and Italian>English/German English thesis: Translation, travel and globalization
	German thesis: Der literarische Reiseführer (The literary travel guide)
09/1997- 07/2002	High school Diploma, Peano High school (Nereto, Teramo - Italy), final mark 100/100. Scientific and linguistic studies

Personal skills/competences

Mother tongue	Italian
Other languages	English C1 = Proficient user German C1 = Proficient user French B1 = Independent user European level: Common European Framework of Reference for Languages
Social skills/ competences	Precision, attention to details, flexibility, dynamism, team work skills. Good communication and relationship skills.
Technical skills/ competences	Very good knowledge of Microsoft Office (Word, Excel and Power Point), Adobe Reader and several CAT tools (SDL Trados 2007, SDL Trados Studio 2014, Passolo, Déjà Vu, Translation Workspace, MemoQ, XTM)

Additional information

- Two-weeks cultural exchange in Canada (2000)
- Three-weeks study holiday in Ireland (summer 2001)
- Two-weeks study holiday in London (2004)
- Stay and work in Germany (March-August 2006)
- Scholarship in Germany for Master's degree thesis research (Bochum Germany, July 2009)