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# **Summary**

A multi-skilled, reliable and talented translator, interpreter, communicator and editor with proven ability to write, translate (French and English), proofread and edit documents on a variety of subjects. A quick learner who can absorb new ideas and can communicate clearly and effectively with people from all social and professional backgrounds. Well mannered, articulate and fully aware of diversity and multicultural issues. Flexible in the ability to adapt to challenges when they arise while remaining aware of professional roles and boundaries.

# **Skill Highlights**

- Effective oral and written communication skills, with native mastery of French and English languages.
- Computer literate, and familiar with MS Office, CAT tools, digital communication tools, among others.
- Proven ability to translate complicated texts including legal, health, military, official documents, among others.
- Strong knowledge of intellectual property, with an excellent commitment to confidentiality.
- Excellent time management skills: ability to establish priorities, balance demands of multiple projects, and meet deadlines.
- Extremely flexible, with the ability to function optimally both independently and as member of a project team.

## **Education**

Oct 2018 – Present PhD Fellow in Applied Linguistics (Ongoing)

Buea, Cameroon Faculty of Arts, University of Buea

Nov 2013 – Dec 2015 Master of Arts in Translation

Buea, Cameroon Advanced School of Translators and Interpreters, University of Buea

Oct 2008 – Aug 2011 Bachelors of Laws (LLB)

Buea, Cameroon Faculty of Social and Management Sciences, University of Buea

# Languages

English French
Native proficiency Native proficiency

# **Professional Experience**

# Oct 2021-Present Yaounde, Cameroon

#### **Senior Translator**

Ministry of Small and Medium-sized Enterprises, Social Economy and Handicrafts, Yaounde

- Translation and revision of official documents from English into French and vice versa.
- Research in terminology.

## April 2019 - Oct 2021

#### **Translator - Interpreter**

Buea, Cameroon

Court of Appeal, South West Region

- Translation of legal texts from French to English and versa.
- Interpretation during court sessions from French into English and vice versa, as the need arises.

## Oct 2015 - present

# Freelance Translator, Interpreter, Transcriber, Subtitler, Writer and Editor International Criminal Court, The Hague, Netherlands

- Transcription of sensitive and confidential audio and video files used for ongoing investigative cases.
- Good understanding of legal and criminal matters, and a strict adherence to confidentiality.
- ✓ EasyTranslate, TransPerfect, Goethe Institut, Friedrich Ebert-Stiftung, VALDAS Co. Ltd, Upwork among others
- Translating documents in multiple domains, including IT, finance, law, medicine, science, and poetry.
- Routinely provide transcription and subtitling services to both corporate and individual clients.

June 2016 - Aug 2016 May 2018 - Jul 2018 June 2021 - Aug 2021

Yaounde, Cameroon

### **Language Assistant**

International Police Peacekeeping Operations Support (IPPOS)

- Translated documents in the military domain.
- Interpreted from French into English and vice versa during meetings and MINUSCA pre-deployment training sessions.
- Handled other administrative tasks as directed.

## Aug 2014 - Sep 2014

Yaounde, Cameroon

### Translation Intern

Ministry of Territorial Administration and Decentralisation, Yaounde

 Researched legal and technical phraseology, and translated ministerial decrees, orders and official documents from French into English and English into French while ensuring that the final documents relayed the intended message as clearly as possible.

## Aug 2010 - Sep 2010

Buea, Cameroon

#### **Legal Intern**

Ekongta Elad Law Chambers, Buea, Cameroon

 Researched on precedents, past legislation and performed basic fact checking of cases, and assisted in tracking/managing the development of cases both in, and out of the courtroom.