# **ELENA COSTANZO**

TRANSLATOR | EN, ES  $\rightarrow$  IT

### PERSONAL INFORMATION

#### Address

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#### Place and date of birth

Florence, 29/03/1995

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#### Pro7

http://www.proz.com/translator/3102268

### **LANGUAGES**

Italian - Native speaker

English - C1

Spanish - C1

Russian - A1

Japanese - A1

### **SOFTWARE**

CAT Tools (CafeTran, OmegaT, Memsource, MateCat, SmartCat)

Microsoft Office

### **PRESENTATION**

Graduated in Linguistic and Cultural Mediation. I propose myself to fulfill the role of translator and localizer.

My friends and colleagues know me as an enthusiastic person who is straight forward. I value accuracy, sincerity and collegiality and this is why I assure utmost seriousness, commitment and also desire to learn.

## **EDUCATION**

10/2015 - 07/2020

### Linguistic and Cultural Mediation

University for Foreigners of Siena

Piazza Carlo Rosselli 27/28, 53100 Siena (SI)

Thesis: Grease: analysis of translation strategies and musical adaptation

The thesis proposes the analysis of the Spanish and Italian translation of two of the most famous songs of the musical Grease. Misunderstandings, due to the linguistic and cultural diversity of the related texts, have been highlighted - but also similarities. I paid particular attention to translation strategies used for the proposal of an effective musical adaptation. However, translating means "betraying", so it is important to identify the best translation to limit the outrage.

09/2010 - 06/2015

### **Institute of Commerce**

Enrico Fermi Technical and Commercial Institute

Via Bonistallo 72, 50053 Empoli (FI)

### **WORK EXPERIENCE**

06/2019 - 06/2020

### Tourist guide

Sonnino Castle

Via Volterrana Nord 6 / A, 50025 Montespertoli (FI)

- Description, explanation and illustration of historical, cultural and environmental aspects about visited places (castle, cellars and vinsantaia, where vinsanto is produced). Guide to technical wine tasting produced by the company.
- Improved confidence and command of foreign languages. Development of an appropriate and increasingly fluent language.
- The multicultural environment allowed me to directly study linguistic differences between various cultures.

### Other work experience

Not related to the tourism / linguistic sector

• 09/2020 - to the current date

Responsible for administrative operations and procedures Montelupo Fiorentino Town Hall

• 04/2017 - 05/2019

### Cashier

Unicoop Firenze sc

• 06/2012 - 09/2012

#### Waitress

Antica trattoria del Turbone sas

## **SKILLS**

- ✓ Listening and communication skills;
- ✓ Flexibility and adaptability
- Excellent team working skills consolidated in 8 years of work experience
- ✓ Organization
- ✓ Knowledge of translation techniques and computer facilities
- Ability to use the main computer applications such as CafeTran, OmegaT, Memsource, MateCat, SmartCat
- ✓ Creation and reading of basic HTML code

## **CERTIFICATIONS**

07/11/2020

### HTML for translators

European School of Translation

Short training course about basic notions of HTML language, with an explanation of the main tags for creating a web page.

06/11/2020

### Become a translator

Creative Words

Main covered topics: video game translation and localization, CAT Tools (SDL Trados Studio, memoQ, MateCat, Memsource, SmartCat), MT Post-Editing, LQA

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