

Resume



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Personal

I am a language specialist having more than 20 years of work in language services (such as translation, interpretation, editing, localization, transcription, copywriting, content writing, subtitling). A computer literate, dynamic, always willing to learn, and like reading, writing poetry, and playing football.

I) Education

- 1- PH.D., Critical Discourse Analysis (CDA), University of Tanta, Faculty of Arts. Dissertation: CDA of George Bush and Usama bin Laden's Speeches: Political Discourse Analysis, 2013. Degree: first class of honors.
- 2- M.A., Discourse Analysis, University of Tanta, Faculty of Arts, titled "Women's Discourse of Power in Shakespeare's Macbeth and Antony and Cleopatra", 2002, Very good degree.
- 3- B.A., English Language, Faculty of Arts, English Department, 1992.

II) Major

Linguistics and Translation.

III) Employment

1- **Dates (from – to)** 1994 to 1997

Name and address of employer: Future Translation Company

Type of business or sector: Management, & Soft Skills

·2- **Dates (from – to)** 1997 to 2003

Occupation or position held proofreader

Main activities and responsibilities:

- Rendering accurate, consistent, and reliable translation,
- Translating all computer, Internet, technical, financial, and commercial texts from English into Arabic.
- Translating web pages, manuals, and on - line documentations, translated financial and Oracle products.

3- **Dates (from – to):** 2003 –2007

Name and address of employer: Saudisoft.com

Type of business or sector: Localization &Software programs,

Main activities and responsibilities:

- Linguistically reviewing and editing the translated text according to standard glossaries and installed-supported dictionaries;
- Reviewing all financial products
- Rendering accurate, consistent, and reliable translation
- Participating in translating Windows 98 help files and user interface menus as well as windows game files of Minesweeper and solitaire.

- Participating in translating Windows Millennium help files and user interface menus
 - Participating in translating and reviewing Windows XP help files and User interface menus
 - Participating in translating and reviewing Windows7.
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Name and address of employer: Shaqra University, Saudi Arabia

Type of business or sector: Academic Affiliation

4- **Dates** Aug 2007 to 2017

Occupation/position held: Assistant Professor of Linguistics and Translation

5- **Dates** 2019 to 2021

Occupation/position held: **Translator and Reviewer**

- 1- Translating all types of documents from English into Arabic and vice versa.
- 2- Subtitling Audio Texts from English into Arabic and vice versa
3. Synchronize subtitle translation.
- 3- Linguistically review and proofread the final translation versions

6- **Name and address of employer:** Institute of Public Administration (IPA) – Main quarter, Riyadh, Saudi Arabia

Type of business or sector: Academic

Main activities and responsibilities: ·

- Teaching courses of translation, phonetics, linguistics, pragmatics, discourse analysis, reading and writing skills, drama, poetry, and novel for all levels.

7- From 2021 to the present

Freelance Translator and reviewer,



GloboLoc GmbH - The Game Localization Company

<https://globaloc.de/en/home-en/>

Main activities and responsibilities:

Translating more than **500.000** words and reviewing more than 1000.000.000 words in their huge project Fortnite to the giant Epic Games



<https://store.epicgames.com/en-US/>

Other Achievements in translation Field

A) Windows 98: Online translation, Proofreading, Testing & QA.

B) Managing translation Phase and Testing online site of Microsoft Messenger and 'Passport.Com' (Microsoft)

[Http://www.passport.com](http://www.passport.com) and reporting linguistic bugs to Microsoft.

C) Office 2000 (Microsoft) (proofreader & reviewer), managed and led Excel Team: Creating new terms, maintaining glossary, editing, and testing the final product.

D) Office XP (2002) (Help & User Interface Specific work on Office XP (Microsoft:))

F) Windows 2007 and Exchange 2010

G) Financial and Oracle specific Work

- Human Resource -----Translation
- Generic Apps

IT skills

Excellent knowledge of Translation Tools , CAT tools, computer systems and software: MS Windows (all editions) , MS Office besides Graphics software (Photo and Video Editing): Corel Draw, Adobe reader/writer, Illustrator, Photo Shop ,

Publications

- a- Anwar Elsharkawy, 2011, A critical discourse analysis of power and ideology, Munich, GRIN Verlag,
<http://www.grin.com/en/ebook/350636/a-critical-discourse-analysis-of-power-and-ideology>
- b- Anwar Elsharkawy, 2012, Critical Discourse Analysis and Discourse of Power, Munich, GRIN Verlag,
<http://www.grin.com/en/e-book/350938/critical-discourse-analysisand-discourse-of-power>
- c- Anwar Elsharkawy, 2013a, Women's discourse of power in Shakespeare's "Macbeth", Munich, GRIN Verlag,
<http://www.grin.com/en/e-book/345220/women-s-discourse-ofpower-in-shakespeare-s-macbeth>
- d- Anwar Elsharkawy, 2013b, What is Critical Discourse Analysis?, Munich, GRIN Verlag,
<http://www.grin.com/en/ebook/349819/what-is-critical-discourse-analysis>
- e- Elsharkawy, E. Anwar, 2016. Women's Discourse of power in Macbeth and Antony and Cleopatra, Lap Lambert Academic Publishing, Germany. <https://www.lap-publishing.com/>

References Available upon request .