# **Dedicated English Major**

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#### RESUME

I am a native and experienced Danish translator. I have translated more than 1 million words since 2020. Vendors I currently or previously worked for include Alconost, All Correct Games, Character Localization, Mars translations, Mother Tongue, SDL, and Urhandleren Invest. Because of all these quite different vendors with their clientele, I have experience in translating many different fields, including localization of apps and video games, general software, technology like computers and tablets, marketing and e-commerce, legalities, finance, etc.

I have a bachelor's degree in English, focusing on translations into Danish. I also have courses/certificates in GDPR, Word, and Excel. Furthermore, I interned at Forlaget Jentas, which gave me some experience in proofreading, translating, and editing.

At the start of 2023, I started my own translation business, Valbjørn Translations. I always come with a positive attitude, willingness, and motivation to learn and expand my vocabulary in the most technical ways. Regarding global/EU experience, I have worked with AI projects for the EU parliament and EU law regarding E-commerce.

### SKILLS

#### **Experienced Translator of Management Systems and Web Shops:**

• Amazon web shop through Character Localization. I translated about 200k words in 2 months. It mainly added and categorized different products and translated the management system for the webshop and itself.

• ASOS through Mother Tongue. About 200k words. Translating the webshop and its management systems of product types and materials.

• Dickies through Let's Go Languages. About 100k words. Translation of the web shop and its product types/materials management systems.

• Crypto coin and bank through GTH Translations. About 20k words. Translation of a finance website, apps, and email templates.

#### **Experienced General Translator**

General translations on Mars. About 200k words of smaller projects, mainly translating web shops, technical manuals, or management systems. This includes the SiteTracker project, a management system for many companies, mostly about windmills and radio towers, and Kress Commercial, a webshop and a management system for lawnmowers and other similar devices.

# **CAT Tools and Other Tools**

I am experienced using MemoQ, Trados, and many online CAT tools. I am always looking forward to learning more. I also have experience using management systems for linguistic quality assurance, like JIRA and TestRail, so I am familiar with the terminology and its usage.

### **Experienced Translator of multiple fields**

- In social media, I have translated multiple apps like the TikTok app
- In life sciences, I translated manuals, study papers, medical journals, and user guides for professionals.
- In legal translations, I have translated probate law, marriage certificates, marriage law, medical-related law documents, and law and insurance documents.
  - In addition, I have also translated copyright law, user agreements and the like for using a platform like TikTok/Facebook/Googles platforms.
- In technical translations, I have manuals, user guides, app localization, and product descriptions.
- In automotive translations for Tesla and Honda. I have translated their UI for the cars interface and apps, marketing, and manuals.
- In marketing for Google. I translated ads for cars, bikes, cosmetics, appliances, electronics, and anything in between.
- In video games, I have performed linguistic quality assurance for Football Manager 22-24, translated Star Stable Online and other smaller video games, given feedback on translations of mobile games, and translated story-related content and UI.

### WORK EXPERIENCE

- 2022-Now: Freelancer, Valbjørn Translations
- 2022-2022: IT Support, University of Copenhagen
  - Helped with IT systems, printers, and other devices for a school campus
- 2020-2022: Tutor, DinTutor

- Tutored students in English and Danish
- 2021-2021: Proofreader/editing, Forlaget Jentas
  - Proofread and edited about 20 books in 4 months for Jentas, where I caught a lot of mistakes in their books, which had already been professionally proofread.

# EDUCATION

- 2020-2023: Bachelor of Arts in English, University of Copenhagen
  - I took three 15 ECTS translation classes, one of which I wrote a paper on the translation of video games. My thesis revolved around the usage of machine translation for fiction.
- 2017-2020: STX, Rosborg Gymnasium og HF
  - o English, Danish, social studies, and math

# LANGUAGES

I speak and write English and Danish (native) at the C2 level.

### HOBBIES

I mostly play video games or read books. I love a good horror, thriller, or fantasy book, and my favorite author is Stephen King. I spend time with friends and family when I'm not reading or playing.