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TRANSLATOR

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Summary

I am a freelance translator. I was born and raised in Sweden, and have lived 20+ years in the USA, which has given me bilingual proficiency. As an avid reader with a great interest in languages, my two degrees have enhanced my strong writing skills.

A curious, quick learner and problem solver, I provide quality translations within many different subject areas..

Qualifications

- Pro.Z Member
- Member of SFÖ (Swedish Association of Professional Translators)
- SDL Trados License

Skills

- Experienced in working with SDL Trados and MemoQ
- Experienced in working with Microsoft Office and Google Workspace
- Experience working with Subtitle Edit
- Well versed in Swedish and American culture and society
- Thorough proofreader with a great attention to detail
- Good communicator, quick to respond

Languages

- Native: Swedish
- Native fluency: English
- Working proficiency: Danish, French
- Elementary proficiency: German

Education

2021 - 2023

B.A. in Translation - English to Swedish Lund University, Sweden

1992 - 1997

M.A. in Comparative Literature Lund University, Sweden

Experience

2023 - Ongoing

Freelance Translator

for Wallace Solutions Inc. – Bangkok, Thailand

Translation and review of marketing, medical, and instructional texts

2021 - Ongoing

Freelance Translator

for Media-Tryck— Lund, Sweden

Translation of brochures, manuals and emails.

2007 - 2020

Teacher

Swedish School San Diego - San Diego, USA

Provided instruction in Swedish culture and language to multilingual children. Wrote the school curriculum and webpage content.

2000 - 2002

Case Manager/Instructor

Child Action Inc. - *Sacramento, USA*

1998 - 2000

Merchandise Manager

Borders Books - Davis, USA

References

References available upon request.