PERSONAL DETAILS



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Nationality

Portuguese

Date of birth 20/03/1980

WORK EXPERIENCE

2008 (Jan.) -Dates (from - to)

> Full-Time Freelance Translator and Proofreader **Function**

Main duties and responsabilities Translation of technical texts from English, German and Spanish to Portuguese

Proofreading and DTP

Fields of expertise:

- IT Software Localization (ZOHO Business App) - approx. 300,000 words translated

- Engineering (Technical, Building Materials, Industrial Machines, Construction Machines, Agricultural Machines, Mechanical Tools, Electric Tools, Hand Tools, Tool Operation Manuals for Caterpillar. I recently took part on a 3 months translation project for Hahn & Kolb (DE-PT). translating various catalogues of industrial products from several suppliers (including metal cutting tools, measurement tools, testing equipment, electric tools, workshop tools, cranes and lifting equipment, etc.)

- Electronics (Ongoing translation of Premier Farnell's online product catalogues, including microprocessors, cable & wire, automation & process control, test & measurement equipment, semiconductors, sensors & transducers, switches & relays, optoelectronics, connectors, circuit breakers) - approx. 100,000 words translated
- Automotive Industry (Service Manuals for SEAT, Workshop Manuals of FUEL INJECTION PUMPS for Delphie, Service Manuals for Audi)
- User's Manuals (Technical Tools, Industrial Machines, Home Appliances)
- Legal (Contract Agreements, Tenancy agreements, Terms and Conditions, Privacy Policies, Company Mission Statements)
- Finance, Economics, Insurance (Insurance Letters for Swiss Re, News articles on recession for CREDIT SUISSE, Financial trends reports)
- Marketing
- General Letters, Newsletters, FAQ's, Lectures, Press Releases
- Tourism (Hotel websites T&C (e.g. Starwood)
- Medicine, Clinical Trial Tests, Ecotoxicity studies
- Medical Equipment (Medical Imaging, Dentistry)
- Chemistry MSDS
- Annual reports
- Translation of TV shows, cartoons (SDI Media Group)
- Cooking (Recipes)

Dates (from – to)

2007 (Aug.) – 2008 (Jan.)

Company name and address

Translation company in Vila Nova de Gaia

Function

Full-Time In-House Translator

Main duties and responsabilities

Translation of technical texts from German and English to Portuguese

- Technical manuals (machines, domestic appliances, toys)
- IT (manuals, marketing Sony catalogue)
- Law (contracts, agreements)
- Automotive industry (Audi, Seat)
- Medical General (GE Healthcare Software application for diagnostic workflow imaging)
- Glossaries

Dates (from – to)

2006 (Apr.) – 2007 (July)

Company name and address

Viapre - Vistoria e Avaliação de Prejuízos

Rua João Andresen, 72

4250-242 Porto

Function

Insurance Claims Manager

Main duties and responsabilities

Opening and Closing of Insurance Claims Processes

Answering Phone Calls

Elaborating weekly and monthly statistics maps Proofreading and review of loss adjusting reports Claims Management (Transportation of Goods Policies) Quality Manager (ISO 9001:2000 Quality Management System)

Dates (from - to)

2005 (Sept.) -

Function

Freelance Translator

Main duties and responsabilities

Translation of film scripts, cartoons

Translation of Marketing, IT, Mechanical Engineering, Insurance texts, Food and Drink, Games,

Learning Contents, History.

Transcription

Proofreading

Dates (from – to) 2004 (Jan.) – 2004 (Jun.)

Company name and address AIMMAP – Associação dos Industriais Metalúrgicos, Metalomecânicos e Afins de Portugal

Rua dos Plátanos, 197 4100-414 Porto

Function Trainee Translator

Main duties and responsabilities Translation of technical texts (English < > Portuguese) in the following fields:

Metalworking, Mechanical Engineering

- Lists of industrial products

Nomenclature of woodworking machines and toolsGlossary of gears and transmission elements

Translation of general language texts (English < > Portuguese)

Proofreading

Writing of journalistic texts

EDUCATION

Dates (from – to) 1998/1999 – 2003/2004

Name and type of teaching institution Main subjects/professional skills Faculty of Arts of the University of Oporto (FLUP) Translation of general and technical language Elaboration of specialized bilingual glossaries

Subtitling

Course designation Participation in seminars, conferences, professional training Modern Languages and Literatures – English and German – Translation Studies (EN < >PT)

- V Seminário de Tradução Científica e Técnica Novos Empregos para os Tradutores, Faculty of Arts of the University of Oporto, 18-19 November 2002
- O Mercado de Tradução em Portugal (The Translation Market in Portugal), Instituto Superior de Serviço Social do Porto, 18 December 2004
- Técnicas de Pesquisa em Tradução Técnica (Search Techniques in Technical Translation), Instituto Superior de Serviço Social do Porto, 18 December 2004
- Interpretation of ISO Standard, AEP, 03 and 04 April 2007
- Occupational Health and Safety, Medilogics, 28 November 2007
- Spanish Language Course Basic Level, Centro de Estudos de Espanhol, 21 February 21 May 2008

PERSONAL SKILLS

MOTHER TONGUE PORTUGUESE

OTHER LANGUAGES

ENGLISH / GERMAN / SPANISH

Written comprehension
Written expression
Oral expression
Very good / Good / Basic
Very good / Good / Basic
Very good / Good / Basic

SOCIAL SKILLS Excellent interpersonal relationship

Communicative Team work skills

ORGANIZATION SKILLS Excellent organization skills

Good skills in project management

TECHNICAL SKILLS Computer skills (MS Word, Excel, Powerpoint)

Machine Translation Tools (good knowledge of Trados Studio, SDLX, Transit and Across)

Subtitling software (DST - DivX Subtitle Tool)

Corel Draw, Photoshop, InDesign, Acrobat Reader, Pagemaker, Illustrator (good knowledge)

Internet

Publication of a poetry book, Azul, Corpos Editora, 2003. **ARTISTIC SKILLS**

Reading, writing poetry, listening to music, languages and cultures, music, travelling, international cuisine, fitness, well-being, meditation **HOBBIES AND INTERESTS**