# JING QIAO ZHAO

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Native Spanish & Chinese

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#### FREELANCE SPANISH<>CHINESE; ENGLISH, FRENCH, CATALAN>CHINESE TRANSLATOR

Freelance translator & proofreader since 2005 · Patient · Detailed-oriented · Highly responsible

#### **EDUCATION**

MA, Audiovisual Translation, 2013 · Autonomous University of Barcelona, Spain BA, Translation and Interpreting, 2012 · Complutense University of Madrid, Spain ISTQB Certified Software Tester, 2011, Barcelona, Spain BA, Business Administration, 2008 · Complutense University of Madrid, Spain

Translation Studies, 2006 · Beijing Language and Culture University, China

Level 2 Certificate in Understanding Children and Young People's Mental Health (RQF), 2015 · Training Qualifications UK

#### LANGUAGES

Chinese - native (speaking: mandarin; writing: simplified; reading & comprehension: simplified & traditional)

**Spanish** – native (residence in Spain since 1986)

**English** – full proficiency (residence in the UK since 2011)

Catalan – full proficiency (residence in Barcelona for 10 years)

French – advanced knowledge

German & Japanese - basic knowledge

#### **SPECIALISATIONS**

Travel and hospitality: city guides, travel websites, brochures, hotels and resorts descriptions Major clients: websites and city guides for Accor Hotels, Meliá Hotels and InterContinental Hotels Group, The Savov

IT, technology, networks: website, datasheets, content, security networks Major clients: content for Palo Alto Networks, Extreme Networks

Business, finance and legal: manuals, lease abstractions, company websites, certificates, contracts, patents Major clients: Michael Kors, Jimmy Choo lease abstractions (Chinese>English), COP21 United Nations Paris Climate Change Conference, LinkedIn, Mediapro

Medical, technical: veterinary, water testing, marbles, stones, moulding machines, cranes, baby products Major clients: IDEXX Laboratories, Belimed, Neolith, Tiruña

Food & fashion: wines, gastronomy, restaurant menus, textiles Major clients: Inditex (Zara, Stradivarius, Massimo Dutti)

**Education:** language learning books, children's books, bilingual books Major clients: Beijing Language and Culture University Press, independent authors

Subtitling, captioning, transcription, interpreting: films, TV series, commercial videos, film sets Films: Crouching Tiger, Hidden Dragon, Young Detective Dee - Rise of the Sea Dragon, Detective Dee - Mystery of the Phantom Flame, Out of Inferno, Doc Martin, The Slap, Wild at Heart, Partners in Crime

Software localisation and QA: websites, software, apps, games Major clients: miHoYo (Genshin Impact), Twitch

**Project management**: collaboration and coordination of multilingual projects (Chinese, Korean, Japanese, Bengali, Arab, Catalan, Polish, English, Spanish, Italian, French), trading under Indrom Ltd.

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

### Freelance translator, editor - London, UK

2005 - Present

Fast, accurate & reliable translation services are crucial to your success and I am skilled in adapting to your specific requirements and needs. Major clients:

**Direct clients & agencies** (Spanish<>Chinese: English, French, Catalan>Chinese, Spanish) 05/2005 - Present Accor Hotels, InterContinental Hotels, Meliá Hotels (Spanish, English<>Chinese translator) 05/2015 - Present

Michael Kors, Versace (Chinese>English Lease abstractions & translator)	03/2017 - Present
LinkedIn (English>Chinese specialist translator & proofreader)	12/2021 - Present
<b>Mediapro</b> (Spanish>Chinese legal translator)	01/2022 - Present
Palo Alto Networks (English>Chinese translator & reviewer)	09/2015 - 03/2017
COP21 United Nations Paris Climate Change Conference (50,000 words)	12/2015 - 03/2016

#### Translate Plus - London, UK

08/2013 - 10/2013

**QA specialist checker** (English>Chinese, Spanish proofreader: DHL multilingual HR project)

#### Twin Group - London, UK

10/2012 - 08/2013

**Group Travel Executive (B2B, B2C)** 

- International school trips and language studies group operations
- Continuous agent and product development

# Softonic - Barcelona, Spain

09/2010 - 03/2012

**QA Functional Testing & Language Specialist** (Website & software testing: Chinese, English, Spanish, French, Italian, Dutch German, Portuguese, Japanese, Polish)

- Linguistic quality assurance and localisation of Chinese website
- Development, documentation and execution of test cases (JIRA) & debugging
- Work collaboratively as part of an Agile team with developers, designers, & project managers

# **CAT TOOLS**

SDL TRADOS 2021, MemoQ, Memsource, Xbench, Subtitle Workshop

#### OTHER INTERESTS

Astronomy, business, languages, music, painting, photography, sports.