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Medicine and Technical Translator
Software Localization (English- Spanish)
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English > Spanish Medicine and Technical Translator

English into Spanish translator (Spanish native speaker) with more than thirty (30) years of experience translating in several and different technical fields, for example:

1) Engineering.

Automotive industry: (Mitsubishi Motors, Daewoo, Ford, GM Europe, Volvo, Chrysler, Suzuki and some other major automobile manufacturers all types of documents: marketing material, user's manuals, workshop manuals, Technical sheets, websites).

Aeronautics: (Service Bulletins, Flight Simulator documentation, Aero-Engine Spec Sheets, Maintenance Manuals, Maintenance Tasks, etc). Airbus Quality Specifications.

Heavy machinery: User's and workshop manuals, Spec Sheets of excavators, mining machinery, drillers, etc.

Machine-Tools: User's, workshop and maintenance manuals of NC lathes, drillers, etc.

Plastics and polymers.

2) Industrial.

Electrical facilities: Installation and maintenance manuals of industrial power houses (steam, turbines and electric power generators).

HVAC. MSDS.

Quality Assurance: Quality Manuals and Technical Specifications.

Hydraulic Systems.

3) IT & related.

Hardware: Fax machines, printers and hardware translation for Samsung, HP, OKI, Bother, Canon, etc.

Telecommunications: user's and installation manuals for satellite and terrestrial communication systems.

Electronics. Audio & Video. Mobile Telephony.

Security and Surveillance Systems. Photography (digital & SRL).

4) Biotechnology and Medicine.

Medicine: Medical Equipment (Vital Signs Monitors, Neurostimulation systems, Catheterism, Nuclear Medicine, Audiology, Orthopaedics), Cardiology, Laboratory, Virology, Surgery, Immunology, Molecular Biology and Genetics, etc.

Environment: Environmental studies, residues management.

5) **SW** Localization

Localization of software applications related to the above technical and medical industries, for example: process control system, industrial security software, imaging and photography processing software, vital signs monitor software, etc.

6) Patent Translation

Translation of industrial and technological patents.

Experience in DTP both in English and Spanish (QuarkXpress, FrameMaker, Ventura Publisher etc), and knowledge of TM programs such as MemoQ, SDL Trados Workbench and Multiterm, Wordfast, Alchemy Catalyst and SDLX (I do own licensed copies of them).

Equipped with a PC and Mac computers, HP LaserJet 3500 printer and an HP color DeskJet printer. English and Spanish word processing and DTP programs (for Windows and Mac), and ADSL line and a fax machine (24-hour dedicated line)

Education

1986-1992	BA Degree in Modern Language, English by the University of Seville (Spain)
1991	Three months course in Portsmouth (United Kingdom) on advanced English and
	Translation into Spanish, organized by the British European Center.
1991	Seminar on Modern Language Translation, organized by Vigo University (Spain)
1992	Seminar on bilingualism and language acquisition, organized by San Sebastián University
	(Spain)
1993-1995	Two years master organized by UNED (Distance-Program) on Translation from English
	into Spanish passed with A-Level Degree (Spain)
1994	Seminar on Literary Translation, organized by Seville University (Spain)
2005-2006	One year master organized by Universidad de Castellón, (Spain) on Medical Translation
2010	Webinar on Alchemy Catalyst 8.0, advanced features, provided by Alchemy Ireland Ltd.
2011	Introduction to CE marking for medical devices, updated to current standards
2011	Distance learning course on Photoshop and Photographic treatment
2011-2012	Distance learning course on Website Translation organized by AulaSisc (Spain)
2012-2013	Distance modular course on Health Computing and Informatics (UNED, Spain)
2013	Distance Learning Program from Coursera at Georgia Tech Uni. about Health Informatics
	in the Cloud
2014	Distance Learning course on Patent Translation organized by AulaSisc (Spain)
2016	Distance Learning course on Renewable Energies Translation organized by AulaSic (Spain)
2016	Introduction to Renewable Energy Sources organized by Universidad de Salamanca,
	(Spain)
2017	eCPD Webinar. Medical devices for cardiac surgery vascular surgery and thoracic surgery.
	Translation in medical devices field.
2019	Electric Vehicles – Technical Aspects, Coursera MOOC Course
2020	Hydrogen and Fuel Cells-CEER, distance learning

Occupational Background

1989-1992 Full-time in-house English/Spanish translator, Faot S.L, Sevilla (Spain), working solely for EADS-CASA

1992-current. Technical & Medicine Translator for several of the most important Translation Agencies all over the world.

Association Memberships

Member of ASETRAD (Spanish Translators' Association)

Member of MEDTRAD (Medicine translation Web based discussion group)

Member of Tremedica (Asociación Internacional de Traductores y Redactores Médicos y Ciencias Afines, International Association of Medicine Translators & Revisors).

ATA (US) Member