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# FRANÇOISE LECLERCQ

## Freelance translations (EN, DE, NL > FR) since 1998

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### **Education**

June 1998: Degree in Conference Interpreting (École d'Interprètes Internationaux de Mons), passed with

honours

Languages: English and German (C languages)

Options: Computer-aided translation

International relations

<u>Dissertation</u>: part translation of W. WAGNER's Kulturschock Deutschland (sociological study of

the German reunification)

**June 1999:** Degree in translation (École d'Interprètes Internationaux de Mons), passed with honours

Languages: English and German (C languages)

Options: International law

Dissertation: part translation of *Texte dagegen*, edited by S. Barthold (short stories about racism

in Germany)

May 2000: Intensive Dutch language lessons, Jeroen Bosch Institute, 's Hertogenbosch (NL)

Aug. 2000: Seminar on Dutch language and culture, John Boswell Institute, University of Utrecht (NL)

# **Work Experience**

Since july 1998 Freelance translator (German-French; English-French)

Oct. 1998 – Oct. 2000 Freelance Interpreter (German-French; English-French), a.o. working with

JICS (European Commission)

**Since October 2000** Freelance translator (Dutch-French)

**Sept. 2001 – Sept. 2003** Assistant professor at the École d'Interprètes Internationaux de Mons

(a.o. in charge of German-French conference interpreting seminars)

## Areas of specialization

Area Jobs done, some on behalf of translation agencies

IT Software and web site localization, online help, IT-related

documentation

**ERP, CRM, HR**Online help for ERP programmes (e. g. SAP) and training material

**Technical documents**User guides, technical audit reports, operator manuals, security data

sheets, technical documentation, ...

**Marketing and editorial content** Brochures, corporate newsletters, press releases, web sites,

correspondence, training manuals, coaching material, leaflets

Politics, European affairs and International Organizations

Development aid documents, Press releases in European matters, working documents for the European Commission and the European Parliament, first-hand experience of the European institutions in Brussels, having worked several years as a freelance interpreter with

the JICS

## **Software**

Software Suite: Office 2003 (FR) & Office 2007 (FR) CAT Tools: Trados 6.5.5, SDL 2006 Suite & SDL 2007 Suite Terminology tools: Multiterm iX, Multiterm 95, Glossy

FTP Tool: FTP Expert v3.0

Security tools: McAfee Security Center, Spyware Doctor, Mozy Backup

#### Hardware

Backup

Dell Dimension 5150C Hard drive: 160 GB

Processor: Pentium D

RAM: 1 GB

OS: Windows XP Professional

Dell XPS M1330 Hard drive: 160 GB

Processor: CORE 2 DUO T5550 1,83GHz

RAM: 2048 MB

OS: Windows Vista Business Iomega external HD, 160 GB

Internet connection ADSL

#### Output per working day

**Translation:** 2000 to 4000 words a day, depending on the technical complexity of the source text.

**Proofreading:** 4000 to 8000 words a day, depending on the technical complexity of the text and on the

quality of the provided translation.

References on request

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