# Dmitry Bagrov

Russian & Ukrainian Translator

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Quality language services by an experienced writer

## My strongest points are:

- o perfect sense of style (especially in Russian and English)
- o great attention to details
- o deep cultural awareness

Owing to my writing experience, I take everything from the lexicon and the syntax. Thus, my translations look as if originally written in the target language, conveying the meaning and reflecting the style with precision and accuracy.

#### Services

Translation \$50 per 1000 words (general, leisure, marketing, personal documents)

> \$70 per 1000 words (contracts, technical, IT, literary)

> \$5 per line (poems and lyrics)

Transcreation \$100 per 1000 words (vast experience in writing sales texts)

Subtitling \$5 per minute (same language)

> \$8 per minute (another language)

Language Pairs

English to: Russian, Ukrainian Russian to: English, Ukrainian Ukrainian to: English, Russian

German to: English, Russian, Ukrainian

Language RUS-RU, RUS-UA, UKR-UA, ENG-GB, ENG-GB-OED, ENG-US

varieties:

#### Skills

#### Areas of Expertise

Legal: contracts, personal documents, legal research

Technical: security printing, technical standards

IT: hardware, software, networking, cybersecurity

Leisure: tourism, attractions, museums, films

Marketing: marketing research, websites, press releases, print materials, newsletters

Language Proficiency

English C2 Fluent speaker with excellent writing style

German B2 Good command of grammar; quite fluent, but need more practice

Russian Native Native speaker with professional writing experience

Ukrainian C2 Near-native proficiency

Software

Office suites: Microsoft Office, LibreOffice, Google Docs, LATEX

Language OmegaT, Google Translator Toolkit, Gnome Subtitles

tools:

Web: WordPress, 1C Bitrix, Redaxo, MediaWiki; HTML, CSS

Other: Tranwise, Tesseract, Vim, GIMP, Audacity

### Experience

since 2015 Freelance Translator, Kyiv, Ukraine.

I'm working or have worked for both individuals and business clients such as:

RusTech-MTC LLC Russian-to-English technical translations

Big Funny Russian-to-English and Russian-to-German translations

'Vchasno' translation agency Various translations between English, Russian,

and German

UpToDate Language School Various Ukrainian-to-English, Russian-to-English,

English-to-Russian, and English-to-Ukrainian translations

April–August **Copywriter**, *ArchiCGI*, Kiev, Ukraine.

2018 My responsibility was to create sales articles for three company blogs. While working there, I mastered SEO and marketing writing, improved my style, grammar, and vocabulary as well as readability of my copies. Also, I learned a lot about 3D graphics, architectural marketing, furniture manufacturing and promotion, real estate business.

March- News Writer, Zero Element, Seattle (remote job).

August I worked full time as a news writer making two to three articles a day, each of them in English.

This way, I significantly improved my writing proficiency and research skills. As a writer, I demonstrated a good sense of style, a deep understanding of the topic, and the ability to quickly analyse significant bunches of information.

since 2015 Self-Employed English and German Teacher, Saint Petersburg, Kyiv.

I have always been a creative teacher. Sometimes I wrote materials by myself, especially when teaching online.

2014–2015 **Technical Support Specialist**, eTelecom, Saint Petersburg.

My colleagues recognized me as one of the most client-oriented workers of the support group. They also praised me for staying resilient and polite with angry clients. Some subscribers didn't speak Russian, so I used English with them. How did I, a philologist, get there? I had been studying hard Linux and computer networks by myself. IT is one of my hobbies.

2010–2014 Freelance Copywriter, Horlivka, Ukraine.

The businesses I worked for and the jobs I did were as follows:

Poisk-Podbor.ru Product reviews and articles on how to choose a product (in Russian)

Euroset.ru Product reviews (in Russian)

Inpinto.com Articles on beer and brewery (in Russian)

Mallstreet.ru Articles on how to choose a product (in Russian)

Terminal.ru Product descriptions for e-commerce (in Russian)

2010–2013 **Teacher of German Language**, *State School No 33*, Horlivka.

I taught mainly  $5^{th}$  to  $9^{th}$  grade students German, Ethics, and Arts. I also conducted English, Ukrainian, and Literature lessons as a substitute teacher. As the head of the school's trade union, I made up the collective labour contract and had it agreed with the municipal authorities. Sometimes I took the floor on school festivals, and it helped me discover my artistic side.

2009 Counselor, Yuri Gagarin Summer Camp, Eupatoria.

At the summer camp, I organized the children's activities and ensured their staying safe. There, I developed leadership skills and learned to take responsibility for other people's well-being.

Volunteering

since 2015 Interpreter.

Sometimes I interpret for foreigners for free: namely, I help them file police reports or otherwise interact with local authorities.

2008–2010 Article Translator, Wikipedia.

I created several Russian Wikipedia pages by translating them from English or German.

#### Education

2006–2010 **B.Ed.**, Gorlovka State Pedagogical Institute of Foreign Languages.

Teacher of German Language and Foreign Literature

As a philologist and a future educator, I studied German, English, Latin, foreign literature, grammar, phonology, and methodology of teaching, took part in students' contests and conferences, won intellectual competitions twice. I also was a member of an English speaking club and a philosophy club.

My hobbies were **philosophy, rhyming, writing short sci-fi stories, and contributing to Wikipedia.** I also **designed my faculty's official website** using HTML and CSS.

Further Education

April 2018 Digital Skills: Digital Marketing, Accenture course on FutureLearn.

The course covers the basics of the trade, namely marketing strategies and campaigns, banner and PPC advertising, SEO and email marketing. View Certificate of Achievement.

April 2018 Digital Skills: Web Analytics, Accenture course on FutureLearn.

Another introductory course, this time on various types of analytics, miscellaneous techniques and metrics, and using Google Analytics in business. View Certificate of Achievement.

July 2014 Introduction to LaTeX, Higher School of Economics course on Coursera.

Making documents and presentations in the LaTeX desktop publishing system. View Statement of Accomplishment.

April 2014 Computer Networks, University of Washington course on Coursera.

Introduction to networking, from the data link to the application layer. View Statement of Accomplishment.