Salah Abdul Latif

**Translator and Interpreter**

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**Work Experience:**

* + Having more than 17 years practical experience as a professional translator and interpreter for various organizations including: government ministries, UNDP, IMF, EC, EU, UNHCR, ICNL, World Bank, USAID, Article 19, OECD, GIZ, KfW, FSVC, UNODC, IOM, UNFPA, WFP, ILO, NDI, UNICEF, Counterpart, RTI, IFES, Forum of Federations, UNOPS, to name but a few.
	+ Worked in hundreds of conferences, workshops, seminars, missions and training courses as a simultaneous and/or consecutive interpreter.
	+ Translated variety of documents; legal, developmental, technical, political, educational ...etc.

**Skills:**

* Professional translator (English-Arabic and vice versa) and very speedy Arabic-English typist.
* Wide knowledge of government regulations, systems and procedures
* Extensively involved in translation works related to elections, administrative reforms, finance, restructuring and HR systems in the government sector
* Professional computer user

**Countries visited in interpretation-related assignments:**

USA, Britain, France, Germany, Belgium, Switzerland, Turkey, UAE, Malaysia, Thailand, South Korea, Taiwan, Jordan, Malta, Russia, Qatar, Bahrain and Saudi Arabia.

**Key assignments:**

* EU Election Observation Mission – Chief Interpreter for the Mission and Interpreter for Baroness Emma Nicholson.
* Interpreter for Benita Ferrero Waldner, EC Commissioner for External Relations.
* EU exploratory missions for Yemeni elections.
* Interpreter for Donors’ Conferences, Yemen.
* Interpreter for high profile arbitration cases Paris, France.
* Interpreter for European Parliament and UN delegations to KSA.
* Interpreter for high-ranking delegations to Frankfurt, Germany.
* Interpreter for high-ranking delegations to Human Rights Council, UN, Geneva, Switzerland
* Interpreter for high-ranking government delegations to Brussels, Belgium

**Education:**

* **American University in Cairo (AUC)**(2001)