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**OBJECTIVE**

I’m looking for translation jobs via Internet. I’d like to translate projects, documents and any text at all to Spanish.

**EDUCATION**

1995 *University of Cambridge*

First Certificate in English (FCE)

1997-2001 *University of Valencia*

Bachelor of History (Major in Modern History)

2002-2004 *Polytechnic University of Valencia*

Electronic technician

2004-2006 *Marxadella Institute in Valencia*

Sound Engineer

2004-2009 *University of Valencia*

**Bachelor of Translation and Interpretation** (English-Spanish-English)

**EXPERIENCE (As translator)**

1989-1990 I lived in the past in **San Jose (California)** for 14 months (1989-1990) when I was 9 years old. I really owe a lot of my English to that period of my life.

2000-2001 *University of Liverpool*

During my last year of degree (in Liverpool) I started **translating** some history texts and documents (not very long, between 4 and 10 pages) for students and teachers. Earning money as a translator helped me to pay my stay in England for one year.

2006-2008 *Celestica Valencia, S.A. (Electronic Components)*

In 2006 I started working in Valencia at Celestica's (Electronic components enterprise with headquarters in Canada) sales department and due to my English skills and translation studies I began making **translation** job for Spanish dealers and department colleagues as well.

2009-2010 *Spanish administration*

I currently work as a government employee for Spanish Home Office. I do **translation** and administrative work.

**ACTIVITIES**

*Musician*

I’m a Bass player, and I usually make little performances with local bands.

*Writer*

I’m very keen on History and I try to help on some specialized magazines writing short articles about 19th and 20th century’s history.

It's 7 years of experience as a translator and I can translate any kind of document to Spanish. I always try to make faithful translations in order to keep text's original sense.

I'd be pleased to answer any question you may have about me or my translation skills.

Thank you very much for taking your time reading this CV.