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Educational Background

• September 2010 – June 2011

Master degree on media translation (dubbing, subtitling, videogames, voice-over) at UAB (Barcelona)

• January 2010 – April 2010

TOEFL preparation course at LSI Languages (Los Ángeles)

November 2010

Professional proofreading course (style revision) at Cálamo&Cran (Barcelona)

November 2003 – January 2004

Professional proofreading and editing course at Cálamo&Cran (Barcelona)

• October 2003 – May 2004

Postgraduate on website and software localization at the Autonomous University of Barcelona (UAB)

• September 1999 – February 2004

Master degree on Translation and Interpretation at UAB (Barcelona)

• October 1999 – June 2003

Official French (4th, 5th and 6th level) courses at Alliance Française (Barcelona)

• September 1995 – June 1999 Secondary school at IES Montgrí

Work experience

• Currently

Live subtitles of Sports games for local tv (Marca TV) through the company Multisignes.

Currently

Freelance translator for the translation companies BBL Translation located in Barcelona and Babellia, located in France.

• 2003 to currently

Freelance translator for the textile company Anita Khan (http://anitakhan.com).

Currently

Freelance translator for the company Prisma Editions.

November 2007 – June 2009

Computers Unlimited (distributor of software and computer accessories based in London) Job title: Purchase Executive. Duties: data system maintenance, order placing and chasing, supplier communication, new products research and set up, wikipedia, reports in English and French, etc.

October 2005 – June 2007

Moehs Ibérica (manufacturer of chemical products located in Barcelona)

Job title: Purchasing assistant:ordering and follow-up, deal with suppliers and manufacturers, show and trades organization, database maintenance, daily reports in English and French, etc.

• April 2004 – June 2005

Banc de Sabadell – Education Department (Barcelona)

Major project: Translation into Catalan of 70 interactive economic and financial courses in HTML and Flash formats.

• April 2004 –June 2005

Dower Security S.L (manufacturer of fire protection systems)

Job title: Admin assistant. Duties: admin stuff, website maintenance, translations, catalogue maintenance, mailings, etc.

Internship

• May-June 2011

CCCB (Contemporaneous Cultural Center of Barcelona)

Job description: subtitles for conferences on specific fields such as architecture.

Languages

• Catalan: native speaker (certification: Nivell D)

Spanish: native speakerEnglish: advanced skills

• French: advanced skills (DELF A1 and A2)

German: intermediate levelItalian: advanced level

Computing skills

- Windows 7, Microsoft Office 2010
- SDL Trados 2009, Déjà Vu
- Flash CS4, Dreamweaver CS4, Fireworks CS4, Photoshop CS
- Subtitle workshop, Media subtitler.
- Cisco, TN fingertext (for live subtitles)
- Dragon Naturally Speaking v.11.0