Alton Riklon

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**Objective:** Seeking to be placed in translation assignments, where I can utilize my Marshallese and English language skills.

**Experiences:**

The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints October 2013 to January 2014

Independent Contractor

Brief description: Translate the church magazine (Lia-hona), and proofreading assignments done by other translators. I performed on-stage interpretations for visiting church leaders, and trainers from the churches’ headquarters or other areas.

Radio Marshalls V7AB 1098 AM July 2002 to July 2004

Radio Journalist

Brief description: Composing and translating the mid day summary news, and live-broadcast it as well. Spoke in English or Marshallese at community activities and national sports events. Researching and following government activities to setup interviews with officials involve in developments in the publics’ interest. I did voice-overs for world news and local news. I participated in meetings with the editor and news crew to brainstorm for more news to be aired on the evening news, or on the following day.

Self-employed August 1998 to December 1999

Translator

Brief description: Representing Marshallese clients involve in misdemeanor charges ranging from DUI to domestic violence at various Washington State municipal courts. Work on one serious case, which, the victim was killed through spousal violence.

**Education:**

Hawaii Pacific University Business Administration August 2000 to May 2002

Business Computer Training Institue Business Automations July 1997 to May 1998

Maui Community College Business Administration September 1995 to May 1996

College of the Marshall Islands Business Management September 1994 to May 1997