#### **EMPLOYMENT HISTORY**



# VIVIAN MALOBA

TRANSCRIPTIONIST, TRANSLATOR

#### PERSONAL PROFILE

Passionate, talented multilingual Translator with a proven ability to translate written English to Swahili. A quick learner who can absorb new ideas and can communicate freely with people from diverse backgrounds. Three years experience in translation

## **SKILLS & ABILITIES**

- -Great at research
- -Familiar with translation software tools like trados
- -Translation, transcription and copywriting
- -Ability to use Microsoft programs like word, excel, outlook
- -Ability to work under pressure
- -Proofreading and document review skills

## **CONTACT INFORMATION**

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#### **Subtitle Translator**

#### Iyuno Media,08/2021-current

- -Translated English subtitles to Swahili
- -Applied cultural understanding to discern specific meanings beyond literal words
- -Provided verbal summaries of non-English documents for immediate use
- -Used translation memory software to verify consistency of translation within documents to improve efficiency
- -Reviewed final works to spot and correct errors in punctuation, grammer and translation.
- -Communicated effectively with clients to establish scope and requirements of translation, following up after submission of work to confirm satisfaction and understanding

# Freelance translator DayTranslations, 2020 to 2021

- -Translating various articles, marketing documents, legal documents and other materials from English to Swahili
- -Translating confidential company documents from English to Swahili
- -Maintained excellent client experience and promoted services as a freelance translator.
- -Reviewing and proofreading native language text (Swahili)

#### **English-Swahili translator**

#### PACTERA.COM, August 2021-Present

- -Translating confidential legal documents and contracts.
- -Translating machine related terms for use interface company based in China. The UI terms were not only for phone apps but also for websites.
- -Using my software engineering knowledge, I ensured words were placed at the right sites in the software programs.

#### **Translator, Transcriptionist, Interpreter**

#### Translators without borders, 06/2019-02/2021

- -A new NGO made its way into Kenya, it sought the services of a translator to translate their confidential documents as well as their speeches and mission statement.
- -They also sought a transcriber to transcribe and translate instructions relayed to community leaders from instructors that had difficulty understanding Swahili.

#### **EDUCATIONAL HISTORY**

#### University of the people

Computer science

Year 2021-continuing

# **Pwani University**

Bachelor of Education, English, Swahili

Year 2016 to 2021

#### **Eagles Training Institute**

Computerized secretarial course Year 2016