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## TRANSLATION RELATED EXPERIENCE

Babylon Ltd. (Translation), Internet, USA, [Member of Human Translation Team]

June 2009 – present Freelance Translator (English, German, Uzbek to Turkish)

Technical documents, etc.

Universal Language Services and Publishing Inc. (Translation, Publishing), Istanbul, Turkey

May 2000 – present Freelance Translator (English and German to Turkish)

Technical manuals, spare parts lists, catalogues, etc.

Part-time Translator (in-house, English and German to Turkish) Jul.1999 - May 2000

Automotive system localizations, manuals.

AFY Translation & Publishing Services (Translation / DunyoNet LLC), Namangan, Uzbekistan

Nov.2006 - Dec.2009 **Business Consultant (Freelance)** 

Finding new clients, negotiation for potential jobs.

Project Coordinator (part time) Sep.2005 - Nov.2006

Coordinating translation projects, organizing translation teams.

Uzman Translation Ltd. (Translation), Ankara, Turkey

May 2007 – Jun.2007 Freelance Translator (English to Turkish)

Electronic device manual.

Kent Tercume Danismanlik Ltd. (Translation), Istanbul, Turkey

Jun.2005 - Oct.2005 Freelance Translator (English to Turkish)

European Union documents.

Persona Ceviri ve Baski Hizmetleri Ltd. (Translation, Printing), Istanbul, Turkey

Jul.1999 – May 2000 Freelance Translator and Interpreter (English and German to Turkish)

Technical manuals, conferences, audio and videos, catalogues etc.

The Monthly Journal "Tanitim", Istanbul, Turkey

Oct.1987 - Sep.1991 Translator & Assistant Editor (Turkic Dialects to Turkish, part-time)

Translating and/or editing articles, news, training texts, poems etc.

Various Literary Journals and Associations

Sep.1985 – present Freelance Translator (English, German, Arabic and Turkic Dialects)

Articles, news, poems, stories, documents etc.

## **LANGUAGES**

English, German, Uzbek to Turkish Language pairs:

Mother tongue: Turkish

English, German, Uzbek Fluent: Good: Azerbaijani, Arabic, Turkmen Read / Written: French, Kazakh, Uyghur Russian, Ottoman, Persian Read:

## **AREAS OF EXPERTISE**

General Engineering, Mechanical Engineering, Robotics, Mechatronics, Expert:

Textile, Paper and Related Heavy Industries, General Science and

Technology, Quality Assurance and Quality Management, Poetry.

Working Knowledge: Electrical Engineering, Energy, Food Technology, Gas Technology, High

> Technology, Software Localization, Automotive, Plastics, Management, Business Administration, General Issues, Economy, Academic Projects and

Dissertations, General Literature.

## OTHER PROFESSIONAL AND COMPLEMENTARY WORK EXPERIENCE

Kitap Yayincilik Sanayi Ticaret A.S. (*Publishing* / Ozbay Group), Istanbul, Turkey May 2008 – Jun.2009 Quality Management Consultant (part-time)

Gap Insaat Yatirim ve Dis Tic.A.S. (*Construction&Project-Contract*/Calik Group),Istanbul,Turkey Sep.2007 – present Project Coordinator and Mechanical Group Manager (full-time)

Modkar Ambalaj San.ve Tic.A.S. (Paper & Packaging / Eren Group), Tekirdag, Turkey

Apr.2007 – Sep.2007 Maintenance Manager (full-time, parallel to Project Cons. job at 5M)

5M Otomotiv San.Tic.A.S. (Automotive-Ancillary), Bursa, Turkey

Nov.2006 – Sep.2007 Technical Manager (full-time), and Project Consultant (part-time)

Namangan Engineering Economical Institute (*Education, Counseling*), Namangan, Uzbekistan Mar.2006 – Nov.2006 Textile Technology Consultant (part-time, parallel to jobs at Papfen)

Namangan Engineering Pedagogical Institute (*Education*), Namangan, Uzbekistan Sep.2001 – Dec.2001 Visiting Lecturer (part-time, parallel to jobs at Papfen)

Papfen Joint Stock Company (Textile / Tekfen Group), Namangan, Uzbekistan

May 2000 – Nov.2006 Machinery & Energy Manager, Assistant General Director (full-time)

Mar.2004 – Nov.2006 Quality Management Representative

Armasan Vakum Ambalaj San. ve Tic. Ltd. Sti. (Plastics Packaging), Istanbul, Turkey

Jun.1998 – Mar.1999 General Manager

Kahramanmaras Kagit San. ve Tic. A.S. (*Paper /* Aksu Group), Istanbul-Kahramanmaras, Turkey
Dec.1996 – Jun.1998
Technical Manager (Project Manager & Quality Expert at Head Office)

Karbogaz Karbondioksit ve Kurubuz San.A.S. ( Gas / now Linde Group), Istanbul, Turkey

Jul.1995 – Mar.1996 Assistant Technical Manager

Ulker Gıda San. ve Tic. A.S. (*Food /* Ulker Group), Istanbul, Turkey Jun.1993 – Jul.1995 Project Development & Follow-up Chief

Istanbul Technical University (*Research*/ITU Fac.of ME,Automatic Control Lab.),Istanbul,Turkey
Oct.1987 – Oct.1991 Project Assistant (Non-staff, bonus based job parallel to MS studies)

### **EDUCATION AND QUALIFICATIONS**

Feb.2009 – present	Istanbul Technical University, Istanbul, Turkey Ongoing PhD, in Mechanical Engineering
Dec.2008 – Jan.2009	American Academy of Project Management, New York, USA MPM, Master Project Manager
Sep.2008 – present	Blekinge Institute of Technology, Karlskrona, Sweden Ongoing MBA, Master of Business Administration
Oct.2006 – Jun.2009	Anadolu University, Eskisehir, Turkey
Nov.2006 – Mar.2008	Degree: BA, in Business Administration Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ, USA Certificate: Project Manager SC
Oct.1997 - Sep.2000	Anadolu University , Eskisehir, Turkey  Degree: AA, in Management and Organization
Oct.1994 – Jul.1997	Istanbul Technical University, Istanbul, Turkey Incomplete PhD, in Robotics (transferred to Mechanical Engineering)
Oct.1987 – Oct.1991	Istanbul Technical University, Istanbul, Turkey  Degree: MS, in Robotics (honor student)
Sep.1981 – Sep.1987	Bogazici University, Istanbul, Turkey  Degree: BS, in Mechanical Engineering (and English Certificate)
Oct.1978 – Sep.1981 Aug.1974 – Jun.1978 Aug.1970 – Jun.1974	High School (Sn), Kabatas Erkek Lisesi, Science, Istanbul, Turkey High School (Jr), Erlenbachschule, Technology, Hamm, Germany Elementary School, Diesterwegschule (Grundschule), Ahlen, Germany

#### CREDENTIALS RELATED TO LANGUAGES

Dec.2008	Expert Rating, German to English Translator Skill Certificate (Expert Level)
Jan.2008	ETS, TOEFL Exam, İBT Score 87, Previous Score of 1987 was 603 PB
Feb.2000	8th Notary Public of Istanbul, Sworn Translator in EN/TR/EN, DE/TR/DE
Nov.1992	Higher Education Council, Foreign Languages State Exam, B Level German
Jun.1982	Bogazici University, School of Foreign Lang., English Proficiency Certificate

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# RELEVANT COURSES / SEMINARS AND QUALIFICATIONS (A full list available)

Oct.2006 Namangan State University, and AFY Translation & Publishing Services,

Translation Business Seminars (4 seminars)

Sep.2006 Namangan State University, and AFY Translation & Publishing Services,

Translation Techniques Seminars (4 seminars)

Apr.1996 – Feb1997 Marmara University, French Education Dept.(for Diploma in French),

I.to IV. Grade Certificates in French

Jul.1991 – Sep.1991 Al-Madinah University, Istanbul Summer School

Diploma: Diploma in Arabic Language and Literature

Mar.1986 - Dec.1986 Bogazici University, Arabic Language Research Center

Certificate: Certificate in Intermediate Arabic

## **COMPUTER SKILLS**

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Operating Systems: MS-DOS, BTOS, CyberNOS, MacOS, Linux, Windows(3.x, 9x, 00, ME, NT, XP), Programming Languages: FORTRAN, BASIC, Pascal, C, Robot PLs (VAL, AML, PAL etc), Matlab, Program Packages: MS-Office (Word, Excel, PowerPoint etc), AutoCAD, TopSolid, SolidWorks, MS-Project, MathCAD, Photoshop, SPSS, Statistica, QuarkXPress, RagTime, Acrobat Reader, MS-Reader, ResEdit, Aldus Freehand, Adobe Photoshop, Adobe Illustrator, 3DHome, Force, GlobalTrans etc. Has a working knowledge in SAP and Netsis ERP solutions.

Additional: He can also use TRADOS Freelance and other software. Learns easily any package.

Internet: Fluent, has his own sites. Can program in HTML.

Maintenance: Can replace basic parts. He has intermediate knowledge of hardware.

### **AWARDS AND ACHIEVEMENTS**

Jan.2009	Awarded as <i>Professor (Hons)</i> by the Board of the American Academy of Project
	Management, and selected to the <i>Honorary Advisory Board</i> of AAPM and IPMC
Sep.2008	Selected to <i>Great Minds of 21<sup>st</sup> Century</i> by the American Biographical Institute
Mar.2006	Selected to the 2006-07 Directory of Professionals by the International Who's Who
	Historical Society
2005, 2006	Has direct contribution to the awards (2005, 2006) of Papfen JSC as the Quality
	Management Representative of it.
Mar.1998	Has won the 1 <sup>st</sup> Prize in the <i>Total Quality Management</i> Message competition of
	K.Maras Kagit San.ve Tic. A.S.
1998	Has been added to the International Pulp & Paper Directory 1998 by Miller Freeman
	Publishing, New York, USA.
Oct.1991	Awarded with direct entrance for PhD and research studies abroad due his MS thesis
1987, 1981	Graduated as the top 5 <sup>th</sup> of BU ME Dept., was top 54 <sup>th</sup> in the university entrance exam
Dec.2009	Still unbeaten in ExpertRating German to English Translator Exam (topscorer for 52w)

## OTHER QUALIFICATIONS AND EXPERIENCES ( A full list is available)

- He is fellow, member, executive or affiliate of various professional and cultural associations.
- Has attended various courses, seminars and trainings other than language relevant ones.
- Has given seminars and courses on technical drawing, QC, SPC, TQM, internal audits, and TPM at companies and institutions.
- Has various literary and technical publications (list available upon request).
- Entered Yildiz University (1987) for MA in *Business Administration*, but did not continue the studies after 1<sup>st</sup> year.
- Has taught English, German, Uzbek, and Turkish at various levels.

## **SOME COMPLETED PROJECTS (A full list is available)**

- Skoda FABIA and OCTAVIA service and user manuals (1999-2000). EN-TR
- Samsung air conditioners operator manuals (2000), EN-TR
- Mercury Sea Motors Seminar books (1999-2000), EN-TR
- Mercedes and BMW electronic systems, and ABS control systems localization projects (1999-2000), DE-TR and EN-TR
- European Pairlament Journal, Instructions (2005), EN-TR
- Various company contracts, and establishment documents (2003-2006), EN-UZ and TR-UZ
- VW electronic systems localization project (2006), DE-TR
- Praktiker Turkey establishment documents, video and audio solutions, and press conference (2000), DE-TR and EN-TR

Praxair Karbogaz Quarterly Reports (1995-96), TR-EN

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