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SUMMARY

I am an advanced French speaker and have been translating for the last three years. I have gained most of my translation experience in the Engineering sector as this was my previous occupation. In addition, to this I am also a TEFL teacher and this helps with my target language presentation. A combination of these three skill areas has allowed me to translate at a required pace and deliver quality translations for a variety of clients.

EDUCATION HISTORY

08/08-09/08	Swansea University Postgraduate certificate. CELTA.	Swansea.
09/04 -08/05	Swansea Institute of Higher Education. PGCE Secondary- Design and Technology.	Swansea.
10/02-03/04	Swansea University MSc Mechanical Engineering. Printing and Coating.	Swansea.
09/01 - 06/02	Sheffield Hallam University. B.Eng (Honours) Computer Aided Engineering. 2:2	Sheffield.
09/96 - 06/98	Sheffield Hallam University. BTEC Higher National Diploma in Computer Aided Engineering.	Sheffield.
	School/College. BTEC ONC Motor Vehicle Engineering. GCSE French, Biology, Physics and English, Maths and Motor Vehicle Engineering. Level 3 French conversation.	London/Swansea.

TEACHING WORK HISTORY

- 06/10- Now. Reivers Education EFL Teacher/translator**
- Lesson preparation and delivery of English.
 - Organisation of cultural activities.
 - Work experience provider.
 - French engineering translations provided for various clients including EasyTranslate, Stealth Translations and AlphaTrad.
- 09/09- 05/10. Swansea College Education Support Officer**
- Supporting pupils with Special Educational Needs.
 - Small challenging groups from dis-advantage backgrounds.
- 05/08-07/09. Fairwater High School Motor Vehicle studies and SEN teacher**
- Teaching Motor Vehicle Studies, Maths and RE.
 - Working with SEN pupils with a variety of learning difficulties.
- 04/08-07/08. Fairwater High School Maths Teacher**
- Delivering GCSE curriculum in Maths.
 - Working with SEN pupils with a variety of learning difficulties.
- 01/08-04/08. Meridian Education General cover Teacher**
- General cover in a variety and subjects and schools
- 09/07-12/07. Sandfields School Technology Teacher**
- Delivering GCSE curriculum in Maths.
 - Working with SEN pupils with a variety of learning difficulties.
- 02/07-07/07. Olchfa School Technician/Teacher**
- Teaching Resistant Materials and Product Design to mixed ability pupils.
 - Material preparation for the Technology department.
- 10/06-02/07. Bryngyn School Technology Teacher**
- General cover in a variety and subjects and schools
- 09/06-10/06. Olchfa School Technician**
- Material preparation for 5 teachers and support teaching for SEN groups.
- 01/06-07/06. Morrision Comp School Resistant Materials Teacher**
- Teaching Resistant Materials at Key stage 3 and 4 and A/S level Product Design.
- 09/05-12/05. New Directions Education General cover Teacher**
- General cover in a variety and subjects and schools

OTHER WORK HISTORY:- 06/89- 07/01

- Search Engine Tester,
- Metal worker, Steel Estimator, Mechanical fitter, Labourer and general builder.
- Motorcycle Mechanic, Courier and Van driver.
- Auctioneering and book keeping.

INTERESTS

Maintaining and riding motorcycles with my local club, especially on trips abroad.
Watching Rugby as I have retired from playing the game. Swimming and Kung Fu.

REFERENCES: Available upon request