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**T K DEVASIA**

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A masters in English literature, working as a journalist for over 35 years and as professional translator for about 15 years. As a journalist I have been covering all developments in Kerala for national and international publications and as a translator I have a proven track record of providing accurate translation as well as editing, reviewing and proof reading covering diverse subjects such as medical, educational, art and communication literature and business. I am reliable, flexible; client-oriented and deadline sensitive.

**PERSONAL DETAILS**

Sex: Male

Age: 64 years

Nationality: Indian

**CONTACT ADDRESS**

9D, Infra Vantage,

Divine Park Road,

Opposite Cochin Special Economic Zone,

Kakkanad,

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Kerala, South India.

**EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATION**

B.A (Sociology): Passed in 1982 from Indore University, Madhya Pradesh.

M.A (English Literature): Passed in 1984 from Devi Ahilya University, Indore, Madhya Pradesh.

**CAREER PROFILE**

1. Full-time and freelance journalist with experience of working for various national and international publications, including BBC, Reuters, Ucanews. Khaleej Times, Business and Political Observer, Free Press Journal and Indian Post.
2. Freelance translator, proof reader and reviewer for a number of national and international agencies, including Transperfect, Lionbridge, Valuepoint Knoweldge Works, Sakthi, Word Publishing and Crystal etc.
3. Currently working for Reuters and Firstpost as a correspondent in the southern Indian state of Kerala.

**LANGUAGES**

Mother Tongue: Malayalam

Source Language: English

Target Languages: Malayalam and English

**DAILY CAPACITY**

3000 – 4000 Words

**RATE**

Translation: $.0.040-0.060 per English word

Proof Reading: $0. 020

Hourly Rate: $ 30

**MEMBERSHIP WITH PROFESSIONAL BODIES**

Press Club, Trivandrum, Kerala. South India

Kerala Union of Working Journalists

oDesk.com

Translatorscafe.com

Proz.com

**CAT TOOLS**

Word Fast Professional

Smartcat

MemoQ

**INTERNET**:

Broadband

**PUBLISHED WORKS (SAMPLE):**

<https://www.firstpost.com/author/tkdevasia>

<https://www.reuters.com/journalists/jose-devasia>